

# ICE-3261 [Communication Engineering]

B.Sc. Engg. Part-3 Even Semester

75 Marks

3 Credits

33 Contacts Hours

## **Course Instructor:**

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## **Lectures:**

Begins: 11/12/2022

**Class Room:** Google classroom ICE-3261-22 (Even)

## **Topics included:**

Communication engineering fundamentals, analog communication, digital communication, various modulation-demodulation techniques, error control, block control, propagation techniques, satellite communication, Fiber optic communication

## **Course materials:**

### 1. **Text books:**

- i) Data Communication and Networking, **5<sup>th</sup> Edition**, Behrouz A. Forouzan
- ii) Data and Computer Communications, William Stallings, **8<sup>th</sup> Edition**

### 2. **Reference books:**

- i) Data Communication, Computer Network and Open Systems, F. Halsall
- ii) Computer Networks, Andrew S. Tanenbaum
- iii) Optical Fiber Communications, John M. Senior

**Course outcome:** After completing the course the students will be able to

- Use different modulation and demodulation techniques used in digital/analog communication
- Classify digital/analog modulation techniques
- Identify and solve basic communication problems
- Analyze transmitter and receiver circuits
- Compare and contrast design issues, advantages, disadvantages and limitations of digital/analog communication systems

## **Pre-requisite:**

Not applicable

## **Assumed Knowledge:**

The students will have background knowledge of physics and mathematics background obtained at a high school (or equivalent) level. In particular, working knowledge of basic mathematics including differentiation, integration and probability theories are assumed.

## **Examinations:**

Total three class tests and one surprise test will be taken in between classes and the final examination will be held at the end of the course. No electronic devices other than a calculator will be allowed during the examinations (including phones, PDAs, MP3/CD players). The tentative schedule of the examinations are:

Test	Tentative Date	Duration	Portions
Class Test I	4 <sup>th</sup> Week	1 Period	Sessions from 1 <sup>st</sup> week to 4 <sup>th</sup> week
Class Test II	8 <sup>th</sup> Week	1 Period	Sessions from 6 <sup>th</sup> week to 8 <sup>th</sup> week
Surprise Test	-	1 Period	Sessions from 1 <sup>st</sup> week to 8 <sup>th</sup> week
Class Test III	11 <sup>th</sup> Week	1 Period	Sessions from 9 <sup>th</sup> week to 11 <sup>th</sup> week
Final Examination	According to academic calendar	3 Hours	All sessions

### **Assignments:**

Assignments will be given periodically. The assignments are to be worked individually. **Any work directly copied from the internet, other students, text etc. will result an automatic zero for the assignment.** All late submission will have points subtracted from them. Assignment must be returned in hardcopy. However, an email containing your complete and finished assignments as document, JPEG or PDF will suffice until you can turn in the hardcopy. A week after the due date the assignments will no longer be accepted.

### **Tentative class schedule:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> week: Fundamentals of communication engineering, Data and Signals – fundamental concepts
- 2<sup>nd</sup> week: Digital communication fundamentals – transmission modes, impairments
- 3<sup>rd</sup> week: Digital transmission: digital to digital conversions – Line coding scheme
- 4<sup>th</sup> week: Digital transmission: digital to digital conversions – Block coding schemes
- 5<sup>th</sup> week: Digital transmission: analog to digital conversions – PCM, DM, Transmission modes
- 6<sup>th</sup> week: Analog transmission: Digital to analog conversions
- 7<sup>th</sup> week: Analog transmission: Analog to analog conversions – AM, FM, PM
- 8<sup>th</sup> week: Error detection and correction
- 9<sup>th</sup> week: Multiplexing
- 10<sup>th</sup> week: Transmission Media: Guided media, fiber optic communication, Unguided media, Propagation
- 11<sup>th</sup> week: Satellite Communication

**Teaching Strategies:** The teaching in this course aims at establishing a good fundamental understanding of the areas covered using:

- Formal face-to-face lectures
- Tutorials, which allow for exercises in problem solving and allow time for students to resolve problems in understanding of lecture material.
- Small periodic quizzes, to enable you to assess your understanding of the concepts.

### **Evaluation Strategies:**

Class Test – I	–	4%
Class Test – II	–	4%
Class Test – II	–	4%
Surprise Test	–	4%
Assignments	–	4%
Attendance	–	10%
Final exam	–	70%