Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST) Quiz II Question Paper, October, 2022 ECE(Avionics), Electromagnetic and Wave Propagation (AV214), 3rd Semester

Marks: 15

Answer all the questions. Make suitable assumptions if necessary. Given: $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7}~{\rm H/m}~\epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12}~{\rm F/m}$

1. The electric field of a uniform plane wave in free space is given by

$$\overline{E} = 10(\hat{y} + j\hat{z})e^{-j25x}$$

- (a) Determine the frequency of the wave, (b) find the corresponding magnetic field, (c) what is the polarization of the wave?
- 2. The amplitude of a uniform plane wave traveling through a lossy nonmagnetic medium at a frequency of 5.2 MHz reduces by 25% every meter. The electric field of the wave leads the magnetic field by 30°. Under these circumstances, find (a) the complex propagation constant of the wave and (b) the relative permittivity and conductivity of the medium.

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You may use the following equations:

$$\alpha = \omega \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon \mu}{2}} \left[\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\omega \varepsilon}\right)^2} - 1 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \beta = \omega \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon \mu}{2}} \left[\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma}{\omega \varepsilon}\right)^2} + 1 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- 3. A uniform plane electromagnetic wave at f=300 MHz propagates in the direction defined by the vector $\hat{x}+\hat{y}$ in a rectangular coordinate system. The complex electric field intensity vector of the wave at the coordinate origin is $\overline{E}_0=(1+j)\hat{z}$ V/m and the medium is air. Find the expressions of electric and magnetic field vectors.
- 4. The electric and magnetic fields in a coaxial cable having inner radius a and outer radius b, are given by

$$\overline{E} = \frac{V_0}{\rho \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} \cos \omega (t - z\sqrt{\mu_0 \varepsilon_0}) \hat{\rho} \quad \text{for} \quad a \le \rho \le b$$

$$\overline{H} = \frac{I_0}{2\pi\rho \ln\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} \cos\omega(t - z\sqrt{\mu_0\varepsilon_0})\hat{\phi} \quad \text{for} \quad a \le \rho \le b$$

where V_0 and I_0 are constants and coaxial line is oriented along z direction. Find out the net power flow along the cable.