

## FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

B.E. III/IV Year (ECE) II Semester (Main) Examination, May/June, 2011

## ANTENNAS &amp; PROPOGATION

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 75

Answer **all** questions from Part A.Answer any **five** questions from Part B.**Part A** – (Marks : 25)

1. Find the directivity and HPBW of an antenna having a unidirectional  $\cos^2$  radiation intensity pattern. 3
2. What is an atmosphere duct. 2
3. Find the relative excitation levels of a binomial array of 3 elements. 3
4. Explain pattern multiplication. 3
5. Write all the precautions to be taken while conducting antenna measurements. 3
6. A lossless half wave dipole with input impedance of  $73\Omega$  is to be connected to a transmission line having  $50\Omega$  characteristic impedance. Calculate the efficiency. 3
7. List the advantages of Lens antenna. 2
8. Write the important applications of Helical antenna. 2
9. Define antenna polarization. 2
10. Distinguish between far field and near field of an Antenna. 2

**Part B** – (Marks :  $5 \times 10 = 50$ )

11. (a) Explain “directivity of an antenna.” How does “directivity” differ from the “maximum power gain” of an antenna 5
- (b) Calculate the directivity of a Hertzian dipole. 5
12. Derive the equation for the magnetic Vector potential for a half wave dipole antenna ? 10
13. What is a log periodic antenna.
  - (a) Show that it is a frequency independent antenna. 6
  - (b) Explain the wide band characteristics of helical antenna. 4
14. (a) Derive an expression for radiated electric field of a n-element array with uniform excitation and inter element spacing  $\lambda/2.5$
- (b) Explain about lens antenna. 4

15. (a) With neat diagrams, explain the concept of duct propagation and list the associated formulae. 6
- (b) Describe a method of measurement of antenna impedance. 4
16. (a) Derive the Friis transmission Formula. 6
- (b) Write notes on Antenna temperature. 4
17. Write short notes on : 10
- (a) Yagi-Uda-Antenna.
- (b) Ground wave propagation.
- (c) Horn Antenna.