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15UEC305- ANALOG COMMUNICATION

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Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (5 x 1 = 5 Marks)

- Which of the following is not an Amplitude Modulator? CO1- R
 - Square law modulator
 - Product modulator
 - Difference Modulator
 - Balanced modulator
- An 80 MHz carrier is frequency modulated by a sinusoidal signal of 1V amplitude and the frequency sensitivity is 100 Hz/V. Find the approximate bandwidth of the FM waveform if the modulating signal has a frequency of 10 kHz. CO2-App
 - 22 KHz
 - 220 KHz
 - 20.2 KHz
 - 110 KHz
- Which of the following can be termed as Quantum noise? CO3- R
 - Industrial noise
 - Thermal noise
 - Atmospheric noise
 - Shot noise
- The combination of mixer and local oscillator is called CO4- U
 - Filter
 - Converter
 - Amplifier
 - None of the above
- PPM and PWM can be together termed as CO5- R
 - PTM
 - PCM
 - PAM
 - DM

PART – B (5 x 3= 15Marks)

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| 6. | A 400W carrier is modulated to a depth of 75 %. Calculate the total power in the modulated wave. | CO1- App |
| 7. | Distinguish between FM and PM. | CO2-U |
| 8. | What is Weiner –Kintchine theorem? | CO3- U |
| 9. | Define pre-emphasis and de-emphasis. | CO4- U |
| 10. | What you mean by non-uniform quantization? | CO5- U |

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

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| 11. (a) | (i) With necessary diagrams and expressions, derive the equation for a single tone AM signal. | CO1- U | (12) |
| | (ii) List the need for modulation. | CO1- U | (4) |

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| (b) | (i) Compare and contrast various Amplitude Modulation systems. | CO1- Ana | (8) |
| | (ii) Discuss any two methods of generating a SSB signal. | CO1- U | (8) |

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| 12. (a) | (i) Discuss the indirect methods of generating a wide-band FM signal. | CO2- U | (10) |
| | (ii) Estimate the bandwidth of the FM signal
$c(t) = 10 \cos[2 \times 10^7 \times \pi t + 8 \cos(1000 \times \pi t)]$ | CO2- App | (6) |

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| (b) | (i) Write about the basic principles of FM detection and explain about ratio detector. | CO2- U | (10) |
| | (ii) How can you generate FM from PM and PM from FM? | CO2- U | (6) |

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| 13. (a) | (i) Given a random process, $X(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ where A and ω are constants and θ is a uniform random variable from 0 to 2π . Show that X(t) is ergodic in both mean and auto correlation. | CO3-App | (12) |
| | (ii) State and prove any two properties of Gaussian process. | CO3- U | (4) |

Or

- (b) (i) Briefly explain about noise measurements. CO3- U (12)
- (ii) An amplifier operating over the frequency range from 18 to 20 MHz has a $10\text{K}\Omega$ input resistor. What is the rms noise voltage at the input to this amplifier if the ambient temperature is 27°C ? CO3-App (4)
14. (a) With a neat block diagram, explain the operation of a Super heterodyne receiver. CO4- U (16)
- Or
- (b) Derive and discuss the noise performance of AM system using envelope detection. CO4- Ana (16)
15. (a) Explain the working of PCM system with block diagram. CO5- U (16)
- Or
- (b) Explain the generation and detection of PPM and PWM signals with necessary waveforms. CO5- U (16)

