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Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer All Questions

PART A - (5x 1 = 5 Marks)

1. The bandwidth for amplitude modulated wave is CO1- R
(a) $2f_m$ (b) $f_m/2$ (c) f_m (d) $4f_m$
2. The ratio of actual frequency deviation to the maximum allowable frequency deviation is called CO2- U
(a) Multi tone modulation (b) Percentage modulation
(c) Phase deviation (d) Modulation index
3. A deterministic process CO3- R
(a) Stationary (b) Wide sense stationary
(c) Both stationary & Wide sense stationary (d) none
4. The type of Pre-emphasis filter is: CO4- R
(a) Low pass filter (b) High pass filter (c) Band pass filter (d) Band stop filter
5. In pulse amplitude modulation CO5- R
(a) Amplitude of the pulse train is varied (b) Width of the pulse train is varied
(c) Frequency of the pulse train is varied (d) None of these

PART – B (5 x 3= 15Marks)

6. List the disadvantages of Single Side Band (SSB) modulation techniques. CO1- U
7. Define modulation index of frequency modulation. CO2- U
8. Define random variables with examples. CO3- U
9. Elucidate Capture effect and threshold effect. CO4- U
10. What is Nyquist rate? CO5- U

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

11. (a) (i) An audio frequency signal $10\sin 2\pi \times 500t$ is used to amplitude modulate carrier of $50\sin 2\pi \times 10^5t$. Calculate modulation index, side band frequencies, amplitude of each side band frequencies, bandwidth required and total power delivered to the load of 600Ω . CO1-U (8)
(ii) Draw an envelope detector circuit used for demodulation of AM and explain its operation. CO1-U (8)

Or
- (b) (i) Compare the characteristics of Amplitude modulation schemes. CO1 -Ana (10)
(ii) Give short note on Frequency division multiplexing. CO2 -U (6)
12. (a) Draw a phasor diagram and explain in detail about indirect method for frequency modulation transmitter. CO2 -U (16)

Or
- (b) (i) Explain the FM discriminator with a suitable diagram. CO2 -U (8)
(ii) Differentiate Narrowband and Wideband FM. CO2 -U (8)
13. (a) State and Prove the properties of Gaussian Process. CO3- App (16)

Or
- (b) Write short notes on correlation function. State properties of autocorrelation and cross-correlation functions. CO3- U (16)

14. (a) Explain the Superheterodyne Receiver with a suitable block diagram. CO4-U (16)
- Or
- (b) (i) Explain the significance of pre-emphasis and de-emphasis in FM system. CO4 -U (8)
- (ii) Write about the noise performance in DSB-SC and SSB-SC systems. CO4 -U (8)
15. (a) Explain in detail about the concept of Pulse Amplitude Modulation (PAM) and also mention its advantage and its application. CO5- App (16)
- Or
- (b) What is quantization noise? Derive the expression for signal to quantization noise ratio using uniform quantizer. CO5- App (16)

