

AMIETE – ET (CURRENT & NEW SCHEME)

Time: 3 Hours

JUNE 2016

Max. Marks: 100

PLEASE WRITE YOUR ROLL NO. AT THE SPACE PROVIDED ON EACH PAGE IMMEDIATELY AFTER RECEIVING THE QUESTION PAPER.

NOTE: There are 9 Questions in all.

- Question 1 is compulsory and carries 20 marks. Answer to Q.1 must be written in the space provided for it in the answer book supplied and nowhere else.
- The answer sheet for the Q.1 will be collected by the invigilator after 45 Minutes of the commencement of the examination.
- Out of the remaining EIGHT Questions, answer any FIVE Questions. Each question carries 16 marks.
- Any required data not explicitly given, may be suitably assumed and stated.

Q.1 Choose the correct or the best alternative in the following: (2×10)

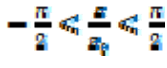
- a. The electric field lines and equipotential lines
 - (A) are parallel to each other
 - (B) cut each other orthogonally
 - (C) can be inclined to each other at any angle
 - (D) are one and the same
- b. Maxwell's equation $\nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{J} + \dot{\vec{D}}$ represents
 - (A) Gauss's law in magnetism
 - (B) Kirchoff's current law for direct current
 - (C) Biotsavart law
 - (D) Generalized Ampere's circuital law
- c. Ohm's law is obeyed by
 - (A) conduction current
 - (B) convection current
 - (C) conduction current and convection current
 - (D) none of these
- d. Two parallel wires carry current along opposite directions. The resultant force experienced by two wires is

(A) zero	(B) attractive
(C) repulsive	(D) none of these
- e. The work and power required to move a conductor carrying fixed current is negative. It implies that
 - (A) Energy has been dissipated by conductor
 - (B) Energy has been generated by conductor
 - (C) Energy stored in the magnetic field is used
 - (D) All of these

- f. Farady's law is valid for both open and closed loops. The Lenz's law is valid for
- (A) only open loop (B) only closed loop
(C) both open and closed loops (D) none of these
- g. For a dielectric –conductor interface, the boundary condition that is not satisfied is
- (A) $E_{t1}=E_{t2}$ (B) $D_{n1}=0$
(C) $H_{t1}=H_{t2}$ (D) $B_{n1}=B_{n2}$
- h. Frequencies in the UHF range normally propagate by means of
- (A) ground waves (B) sky waves
(C) surface waves (D) space waves
- i. Antenna 1 has radiation resistance twice that of antenna 2. It implies that
- (A) Antenna 2 delivers double power to space than antenna 1
(B) Antenna 2 delivers half power to space than antenna 1
(C) Antenna 2 delivers quarter power to space than antenna 1
(D) Antenna 2 delivers equal power to space than antenna 1
- j. Which of the following terms does not apply to the Yagi-Uda array?
- (A) Good Bandwidth (B) Parasitic elements
(C) Fold Dipole (D) High Gain

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- Q.2** a. State coulomb's law.
Four like charges of $30.4\mu\text{C}$ each are located at the four corners of a square, lying on xy plane with one corner at origin, the diagonal measures 8m. Find the force on a $100\mu\text{C}$ located at 3m above the centre of the square. (2+8)
- b. State Gauss' law and use this law to show that **D** and **E** are zero at all points in the plane of a uniformly charged circular ring that are inside the ring. (2+4)
- Q.3** a. Explain electric potential and electric field intensity. Derive a relation between them. (8)
- b. Find the conductivity of n-type germanium (Ge) at 300K, assuming one donor atom in each 10^8 atoms. The density of Ge is $5.32 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and the atomic weight is 72.6 kg/kmol . [$n_i=2.5 \times 10^{19} \text{ m}^{-3}$; $\mu_e=0.38 \text{ m}^2/\text{V}$] (8)
- Q.4** a. What are the significant physical differences between Poisson's and Laplace's equation. Derive the Poisson's equation for various coordinate systems. (7)

- b. The region  has a charge density $\rho=10^{-8} \cos(z/z_0) \text{ C/m}^3$. Elsewhere the charge density is zero. Find V and E from Poisson's equation and compare with the results given by Gauss' law. (9)
- Q.5** a. Determine magnetic vector potential for (i) line current (ii) sheet current (iii) volume current. (8)
- b. Consider an 8 A filamentary current directed inward from infinity to the origin on the positive x-axis and then outward to infinity along the y axis. Determine magnetic field intensity for this filamentary current at $P(0.4, 0.3, 0)$. (8)
- Q.6** a. Derive the expression for force required to move a differential current element in presence of a steady magnetic field. (6)
- b. A conductor lies along z axis at $-1.5 \leq z \leq 1.5$ m and carries a fixed current of 10A in the $-\mathbf{a}_z$ direction. For a field $B=3.0 \times 10^{-4} e^{-0.2x} \mathbf{a}_y$ Tesla find the work and power required to move the conductor at constant speed to $x=2.0$ m, $y=0$ in 5×10^{-3} s. Assume parallel motion along x axis. (6)
- c. Find the inductance per unit length of two parallel cylindrical conductors, where the conductor radius is 1 mm and center to center separation is 12 mm. (4)
- Q.7** a. Write down Maxwell's equations for time varying electromagnetic fields. Explain Maxwell's fourth equation of modified Ampere's circuital law. What is displacement current? (8)
- b. Given $\mathbf{E} = E_m \sin(\omega t - \beta z) \mathbf{a}_y$ in free space, find \mathbf{D} , \mathbf{B} , \mathbf{H} . Sketch \mathbf{E} and \mathbf{H} at $t=0$. (8)
- Q.8.** a. Describe ground-wave propagation. What is the angle of tilt? How does it affect field strength at a distance from transmitter? (6)
- b. Define skip distance, and show how it is related to the maximum usable frequency. (4)
- c. Two points on earth are 1500 km apart and are to communicate by means of HF. Given that this is to be a single-hop transmission, the critical frequency at that time 7 MHz and conditions are idealized, calculate the MUF for those two points if the height of the ionosphere layer is 300 km. (6)
- Q.9** a. An antenna has a radiation resistance of 72Ω , a loss resistance 8Ω , and a power gain of 16. What efficiency and directivity does it have? (6)
- b. What is a parabola? With sketches, show why its geometry makes it a suitable basis for antenna reflectors. Explain why an antenna using paraboloid reflector is likely to be highly directive receiving antenna. Describe fully the Cassegrain method of feeding a paraboloid reflector, including a sketch of the geometry of this feeding arrangement. (10)