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(Common to PTEC 2311 – Communication Engineering for B.E. (Part-Time)

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Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART – A

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. An AM transmitter is modulated by three sources of audio with $m_1 = 0.5$, $m_2 = 0.7$, $m_3 = 0.4$. The Unmodulated carrier power is 50 kw. Calculate the modulated power output.
2. Compare NBFM and WBFM.
3. State sampling theorem.
4. What is the principle of delta modulation ?
5. Calculate the amount of information if $p_k = \frac{1}{4}$.
6. What is entropy and give its mathematical equation ?
7. What is FDMA ?
8. Mention the significance of CDMA techniques.
9. What are the primary advantages of optical fiber systems ?
10. Define angle of elevation.



11. a) Explain with a neat circuit, generation of AM wave. For an AM DSBFC modulator with carrier frequency $f_c = 100$ KHz and a maximum modulating signal $f_m = 5$ KHz, determine Bandwidth and sketch the output frequency spectrum.

(OR)

- b) Draw the block for an Armstrong indirect FM generation and describe its operation. Compare FM and PM. (10+6)

12. a) What is meant by quantization ? Explain in detail DPCM communication system.

(OR)

- b) Discuss the advantages of data communications and explain QPSK and QAM techniques with neat diagram.

13. a) A PCM system has the following parameters : a maximum analog input frequency of 4 KHz a maximum decoded voltage at the receiver of + 2.55V and a minimum dynamic range of 46 dB. Determine the following :

- i) Minimum sample rate
- ii) Minimum number of bits used in the PCM code
- iii) Resolution
- iv) Quantization error.

(OR)

- b) What is BPSK ? With a neat block diagram, explain BPSK transmitter. Also analyze the Bandwidth considerations of BPSK.

14. a) i) Explain the principle of FDMA with diagram. (8)

- ii) Discuss TDMA technique in detail and compare it with FDMA. (8)

(OR)

- b) i) Describe CDMA technique in detail. (8)

- ii) Explain the role of SDMA in wire and wireless communication. (8)

15. a) Discuss the various light generating and detecting systems in a fiber optic communication. (16)

(OR)

- b) i) Illustrate the operation of SCADA communication with a block diagram. (8)

- ii) Discuss the various losses in optic fibers. (8).