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**Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept.2020**  
**Analog Communication**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

**Note:** Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting atleast TWO questions from each part.

**PART - A**

- 1 a. List the properties of Autocorrelation function. (04 Marks)  
 b. A random variable has a probability density function

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{4}(1-x^4) & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{Elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Find i)  $E[X]$  ii)  $E[4X + 2]$  and iii)  $E[X^2]$ . (06 Marks)

- c. The random process  $X(t) = A \cos(2\pi f_c t + \theta)$ , where  $\theta$  is the random variable, that is uniformly distributed over the interval  $(-\pi, \pi)$ . Determine  
 i) The auto correlation function  $X(t)$  ii) Power spectral density  
 iii) Average power of  $X(t)$ . (10 Marks)

- 2 a. Determine the optimal efficiency of amplitude modulation. (06 Marks)  
 b. What is the importance of COSTAS receiver? Explain its working principles with a suitable block diagram. (08 Marks)

- c. Consider the wave obtained by adding a non-coherent carrier  $A_c \cos(2\pi f_c t + \phi)$  to the DSBSC waver  $m(t) \cos 2\pi f_c t$ , where  $m(t)$  is the message waveform. This waveform is applied to as ideal envelope detector. Find the resulting detector output. Evaluate the output for  
 i)  $\phi = 0$  ii)  $\phi \neq 0$  and  $m(t) \ll \frac{A_c}{2}$ . (06 Marks)

- 3 a. Highlight the advantages of Quadrature amplitude multiplexer and explain its QAM system with a suitable block diagram. (06 Marks)

- b. Determine the Hilbert Transform of the function given below :

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } |t| \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ 0 & \text{Elsewhere} \end{cases} \quad (04 \text{ Marks})$$

- c. Generate SSBSC wave using frequency discrimination method with a suitable block diagram. (10 Marks)

- 4 a. Describe the generation and detection of VSB with a necessary block diagram. (09 Marks)

- b. Let the incoming narrow-band signal of bandwidth 10KHz and mid-band frequency which may lie in the range 0.535 – 1.605 MHz. It is required to translate this signal to a fixed frequency band centered at 0.455 MHz. Determine the range of tuning that must be provided in the local oscillator. (05 Marks)

- c. Describe the working principle of frequency division multiplexing. (06 Marks)

**PART - B**

- 5 a. With a neat circuit diagram, describe the direct method of generating FM. Also explain feedback scheme for frequency stabilization of a frequency modulator in direct method. (10 Marks)

- b. The equation for an FM wave is given by  $s(t) = 10 \sin [5.7 \times 10^8 t + 5 \sin 12 \times 10^3 t]$ .  
 Calculate i) Carrier frequency ii) Modulating frequency iii) Modulation index  
 iv) Frequency deviation and v) Power dissipated in  $100\Omega$  resistor. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain Carson's rule. (04 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain the working principle of balanced slope detector with a suitable circuit. (08 Marks)  
 b. Explain with relevant block diagram FM stereo multiplexing system. (08 Marks)  
 c. Explain Threshold in FM. (04 Marks)
- 7 a. Define and explain the following :  
 i) Noise equivalent bandwidth ii) Equivalent Noise bandwidth. (08 Marks)  
 b. Three amplifiers have the following specifications :
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| Amplifier 1 | $F_1 = 8 \text{ dB}$ | $G_1 = 42 \text{ dB}$ |
| Amplifier 2 | $F_2 = 9 \text{ dB}$ | $G_2 = 38 \text{ dB}$ |
| Amplifier 3 | $F_3 = 5 \text{ dB}$ | $G_3 = 22 \text{ dB}$ |
- The amplifiers are connected in cascade. Find the overall Noise figure. (06 Marks)
- c. Deduce Friis's formula. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. Derive an expression for figure of merit of an AM receiver, with envelope detector. (10 Marks)  
 b. Explain the working principle of pre - emphasis and de - emphasis in FM system and high - light their applications. (10 Marks)

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