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Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept.2020

Digital Switching System

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. With a neat block diagram, explain the National Telecommunication Network. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain various types of Network Structures. (06 Marks)
- c. What are the standards of Telecommunication System? (04 Marks)

- 2 a. Explain with a neat diagram the distribution frames in stronger switching exchange. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain with a neat diagram the Intra LM calls and incoming calls in Digital Switching System. (10 Marks)

- 3 a. During a busy hour, 1200 calls were offered to a group of trunks and 6 calls were lost. The average call duration was 3 min. Find;
 - (i) Traffic offered
 - (ii) Traffic carried
 - (iii) Grade of Service
 - (iv) The total duration of the periods of congestion (10 Marks)
- b. Derive an expression for the Erlang's lost call formula from the basic principles. (10 Marks)

- 4 a. What is Grading? Explain in brief the design of a progressive grading. (08 Marks)
- b. Obtain the expression for minimum number of cross points for two stage network with N number of incoming tanks and N number of outgoing trunks and also draw the two stage switching network. (12 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Explain with the help of neat diagram the operation of T-S-T switching network and time switch. (14 Marks)
- b. Explain the frame alignment of PCM signals in Digital exchange. (06 Marks)

- 6 a. With a neat diagram, explain software linkages during a call. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the flow diagram for subscribers features and call forwarding. (10 Marks)

- 7 a. Describe various organizational interfaces of a typical digital switching system central office. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain briefly the methodology for reporting and correction of field problems in digital switching system. (10 Marks)

- 8 a. Explain the basic steps necessary to complete a simple call through a digital switching system. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain some common characteristics of Digital Switching System. (10 Marks)

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