

SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
(AUTONOMOUS)

B.Tech. III Year I Semester Regular Examinations December-2025

ANTENNAS & WAVE PROPAGATION
(Electronics & Communications Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART-A

(Answer all the Questions 10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

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| 1 | a | Define Bandwidth of antenna. | CO1 | L1 | 2M |
| | b | Define Resolution of antenna. | CO1 | L1 | 2M |
| | c | List few directional finding antennas. | CO2 | L1 | 2M |
| | d | Define Pitch angle. | CO2 | L1 | 2M |
| | e | Name a feed method for parabolic reflectors. | CO3 | L1 | 2M |
| | f | Define corner reflector antenna. | CO3 | L1 | 2M |
| | g | Define an antenna array. | CO4 | L1 | 2M |
| | h | What is pattern multiplication? | CO4 | L1 | 2M |
| | i | What are the modes of propagation? | CO6 | L1 | 2M |
| | j | Define skip distance. | CO6 | L1 | 2M |

PART-B

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 10 = 50 Marks)

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| 2 | a | Explain the radiation mechanism in single wire, two wire, and dipoles. | CO1 | L2 | 6M |
| | b | Define the radiation pattern of an antenna and its types with neat sketch. | CO1 | L2 | 4M |

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| 3 | | Derive the radiation parameters of Half wave dipole using field components. | CO1 | L3 | 10M |
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UNIT-II

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| 4 | | Explain about construction and operation of Yagi-Uda antenna with neat sketch. | CO2 | L2 | 10M |
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| 5 | a | Discuss the design considerations of pyramidal horn antenna. | CO2 | L2 | 6M |
| | b | Calculate the directivity of pyramidal horn antenna with an aperture. If size 12x12cm operating with 3.2cm wavelength. | CO2 | L3 | 4M |

UNIT-III

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| 6 | a | Explain about micro strip antennas and its types with neat diagrams. | CO3 | L2 | 6M |
| | b | Give the advantages and limitations of micro strip antennas. | CO3 | L1 | 4M |

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| 7 | a | A parabolic dish with $D = 1.2$ m, $\eta = 65\%$ operates at $f = 10$ GHz.
i). Calculate the gain in dBi.
ii). Estimate the HPBW (degrees) and effective aperture A_e . | CO3 | L3 | 5M |
| | b | Describe the differences between a flat sheet reflector and a corner reflector. | CO3 | L4 | 5M |

UNIT-IV

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| 8 | a | What is antenna array and explain its types? | CO4 | L2 | 8M |
| | b | Define the point sources. | CO4 | L1 | 2M |

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| 9 | | Explain the radiation pattern measurement with fundamental procedure, arrangements and distance requirement. | CO5 | L2 | 10M |
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UNIT-V

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| 10 | a | Explain the Structure of Ground wave propagation with neat sketch. | CO6 | L2 | 5M |
| | b | Discuss Reflection and Refraction of space wave propagation. | CO6 | L2 | 5M |

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| 11 | | Draw and explain the structure of Ionosphere with its typical electron density variation characteristics. | CO6 | L3 | 10M |
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