

M.E. (ETCE) 1st YEAR EXAMINATION, 2024
(1st Semester)

ANTENNA ANALYSIS AND SYNTHESIS

Time: Three hours

Full Marks 100

No. of
questions

Marks

Answer and any *five* questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Values of physical constants may be assumed, if necessary.

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| 1.(a) | Derive the expressions for all far field components due from a Herzian dipole and discuss their physical significances. | 16 |
| (b) | Why is it that only the radiation field components are responsible for outward power flow? | 4 |
| 2.(a) | For a uniform linear array, show how does side lobe level change with number of elements? | 10 |
| (b) | Establish the existence of beam spreading as a phased array scans from broadside to end fire. | 10 |
| 3.(a) | Write Schelkunov's three theorems on antenna arrays. | 6 |
| | Consider a four element end fire uniform linear array with $\lambda/4$ inter-element spacing. Demonstrate how its pattern can be improved by null shifting. | 14 |
| 4.(a) | Design a 10 element linear array to produce a sectoral pattern given by
$SF(\theta)=1, \pi/4 \leq \theta \leq 3\pi/4$
$=0$, elsewhere
using Woodward Lawson sampling technique | 16 |
| (b) | Under what condition does the array factor become identical with radiation pattern? Cite a practical example. | 4 |
| 5.(a) | Discuss Principle of Duality as applied to Electromagnetics. | 8 |
| (b) | Show graphically its application to the theory of images. | 6 |
| (c) | State and prove Lorenz Reciprocity Theorem in its general form. | 6 |
| 6. (a) | Prove that an angle dependent geometry can be used to realize a frequency independent antenna. | 8 |
| (b) | Show how a log periodic dipole array meets the above criterion and discuss its operation. | 12 |
| 7. (a) | Show that the far field radiated from an aperture is the Fourier transform of field existing on the aperture. | 12 |
| (b) | Use this technique to obtain the radiated far field from a uniformly illuminated rectangular aperture. | 8 |
| 8. | Write short notes on any <i>two</i> of the followings:
i) Phase correction for sectoral and pyramidal horns
ii) Reciprocity of antenna mutual impedance
iii) Most general form of polarization | 10X2 |