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3 Hours / 100 Marks

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- Instructions :**
- (1) *All questions are compulsory.*
  - (2) *Answer each next main question on a new page.*
  - (3) *Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.*
  - (4) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
  - (5) *Assume suitable data, if necessary.*
  - (6) *Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.*
  - (7) *Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.*

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1. a) Attempt **any three** of the following : **12**
    - i) Define terms w.r.t. waveguide :
      - 1) Phase velocity
      - 2) Group velocity.
    - ii) List advantages of microwave tubes over vacuum tubes.
    - iii) Describe A-scope display method used in Radar System.
    - iv) Describe the following terms with respect to satellite :
      - 1) Look angle
      - 2) Station keeping.
  - b) Attempt **any one** of the following : **6**
    - i) Describe the construction and working of IMPATT diode with the help of well labelled sketches.
    - ii) What is dominant mode in waveguide ? Draw field patterns of  $TE_{10}$  and  $TE_{11}$  mode.
2. Attempt **any four** of the following : **16**
    - a) Draw neat sketch of two cavity Klystron amplifier and list its specifications.
    - b) Distinguish between microwave circulator and isolator on the basis of :
      - i) Function
      - ii) Construction
      - iii) Application
      - iv) Number of ports.

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- c) Describe the working principle used in CW Radar System.
- d) Describe the function of propulsion subsystem and antenna subsystem in satellite.
- e) Draw the block diagram of satellite earth station. State function of HPA and LNA.
- f) Explain the operation of pulsed Radar System for detection of the object.

3. Attempt **any four** of the following :

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- a) Describe the function of bends and corners; taper and twist in microwave system.
- b) Draw the construction of PIN diode and describe its working.
- c) What are Radar Becons ? State its applications.
- d) Explain the following terms w.r.t. satellite :
  - 1) Elevation angle
  - 2) Azimuth angle.
- e) Explain the altitude and orbital subsystem of satellite.

4. a) Attempt **any three** of the following :

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- i) Compare waveguide with two wire transmission line (four points).
- ii) Describe the operation of Gunn diode with well labelled diagram.
- iii) Write RADAR range equation and state factors affecting the maximum range of the RADAR.
- iv) Illustrate how telemetry, tracking and control subsystem used in satellite communication.

b) Attempt **any one** of the following :

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- i) Describe different antenna scanning methods used in radar with neat sketches of scanning patterns.
- ii) Draw well labelled schematic of TWT and describe its working as amplifier. List any two applications of TWT.

5. Attempt **any four** of the following :

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- a) How power is generated in satellite ? Describe how it is distributed to other subsystem of satellite.
- b) Describe working and state applications of TRAPATT diode.
- c) Describe working of cavity resonator with the help of neat diagram.
- d) Show how Reflex Klystron can be used as an amplifier.
- e) Describe working of magnetron with neat diagrams. List any two applications.
- f) Draw the block diagram of communication channel subsystem. State function of each block.



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**6.** Attempt **any four** of the following :

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- a) Give frequency bands used for satellite communication with uplink and downlink frequency range.
  - b) List any 4 microwave frequency bands with their frequency range and give two applications of each.
  - c) Compare Reflex Klystron with two cavity Klystron amplifier (two points).
  - d) Describe working of magnetron as an oscillator.
  - e) Describe working of microwave bipolar transistor with characteristics curve.
  - f) Describe the operation of MTI radar with its block diagram and waveforms.
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