



Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2024  
**Electromagnetic Waves**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

**Module-1**

- 1 a. State and derive Coulomb's law. (06 Marks)
- b. Find the force on charge  $Q_1$  located at (4, -2, 1) m due to charge  $Q_2$  located at (3, -1, -2) m.  
 $Q_1 = 200 \mu\text{C}$ ,  $Q_2 = 300 \mu\text{C}$ . (07 Marks)
- c. Calculate the electric field intensity  $E$  at (-1, 3, -2) m due to infinite line charges with  $\rho_1 = 25 \text{ nC/m}$  lying along x-axis and  $\rho_2 = 50 \text{ nC/m}$  lying along y-axis. (07 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Derive electric field intensity  $E$  due to infinite line charge. (06 Marks)
- b. Two point charges  $Q_1 = 5 \mu\text{C}$  and  $Q_2 = -3 \mu\text{C}$  are located in free space at (1, 0, -2) m and (-2, 1, 3) m respectively. Find electric field intensity  $E$  at  $P(-3, 2, -1)$  m. (07 Marks)
- c. Calculate the electric field intensity  $E$  at (-2, 1, -3) m due to infinite sheet charges :  
 $\rho_s = \frac{1}{6\pi} \text{ nC/m}^2$  located at  $y = 3$  m and  
 $\rho_s = \frac{1}{3\pi} \text{ nC/m}^2$  located at  $z = -5$  m (07 Marks)

**Module-2**

- 3 a. State and prove Gauss law. (06 Marks)
- b. Given  $D = \frac{5r^3}{y} a_r \text{ C/m}^2$  in cylindrical co-ordinates. Prove divergence theorem for the volume enclosed by  $r = 2$  m,  $r = 3$  m,  $z = 0$  and  $z = 5$  m. (07 Marks)
- c. Find the total charge in a volume defined by six planes for which,  $2 \leq x \leq 3$ ,  $3 \leq y \leq 4$ ,  $4 \leq z \leq 5$ , if  $D = 5x^2 a_x + 4y^2 a_y + 3za_z \text{ C/m}^2$ . (07 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Using Gauss's law, derive the expressions for  $\bar{D}$  and  $\bar{E}$  due to co-axial cylindrical conductors. (06 Marks)
- b. Calculate the total electric flux density due to two uniform line charges of  $30 \mu\text{C/m}$  lying along x-axis and  $50 \mu\text{C/m}$  lying along z-axis, at (2, 3, 4)m. (07 Marks)
- c. In an electric field, potential field is  $V = 5x^2 + 3y^3 + 8z$  volts. Find  
(i)  $\bar{E}$  (ii)  $|E|$  (iii)  $\bar{D}$  at (-3, 2, 4) m (07 Marks)

**Module-3**

- 5 a. Using Laplace's equation, derive the expression for potential ( $V$ ) and electric field strength  $E$  due to two concentric cylinders of infinite length. (06 Marks)
- b. In spherical co-ordinates  $V = 750$  volts at  $r = 25$  cm and  $E = 825 a_r \text{ V/m}$  at  $r = 75$  cm. Determine the location of voltage reference if potential depends only on  $r$ . (07 Marks)
- c. State and prove Ampere's circuital law. (07 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Using Biot-Savart's law, derive the expression for magnetic field intensity "H" due to infinite long conductor. (06 Marks)
- b. In spherical co-ordinates,  $V = 0$  for  $r = 0.2$  m and  $V = 200$  volts for  $r = 3$  m. Assuming free space between concentric spheres (Shells) find electric field intensity E and flux density D. (07 Marks)
- c. Find magnetic field intensity H at the center of a square loop of sides equal to 10 m and carrying a current of 5 amp. (07 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Derive the equation for magnetic force on a differential current element in a magnetic field. (06 Marks)
- b. Calculate the force on a straight conductor of length 0.5 m carrying a current of 10 amp in the z-direction, where  $\vec{B} = 5 \times 10^{-3} \hat{a}_x$  Tesla and  $B = 6 \times 10^{-3} \hat{a}_y$  Tesla. (07 Marks)
- c. A solenoid with air core has 2000 turns and a length of 700 mm. Core radius is 50 mm. Find self inductance. (07 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Derive the equation for force between two parallel current carrying conductors. (06 Marks)
- b. Derive tangential and normal boundary conditions (magnetic) between two media of permeabilities  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$ . (07 Marks)
- c. Find the inductance per unit length of a co-axial conductor with an inner radius of  $a = 4$  mm and outer radius of  $b = 10$  mm. Assume  $\mu_r = 1$ . (07 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. State the inconsistency of Ampere's law, for time varying fields. Derive Maxwell's equation to correct it. (06 Marks)
- b. Derive general plane wave equation in terms of E, taking help of the Maxwell's equation (for free space). (07 Marks)
- c. A plane wave travelling in positive z-direction in a lossless unbounded medium has permeability 5 times that of free space and a dielectric constant 3 times that of free space.
- (i) Find phase velocity of the wave
- (ii) If E has only x-component with amplitude 25 V/m, find amplitude and direction of H. (07 Marks)

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OR

- 10 a. Prove that conduction current and displacement current are equal. (06 Marks)
- b. State and explain Poynting theorem. (05 Marks)
- c. Determine following parameters for a medium with  $\epsilon_r = 4$ ,  $\mu_r = 1$ ,  $\sigma = 20 \times 10^{-2}$  S/m,  $f = 1$  mHz.
- (i) Attenuation constant
- (ii) Phase shift constant
- (iii) Propagation constant
- (iv) Wavelength
- (v) Phase velocity
- (vi) Intrinsic impedance
- (vii) Skin depth ( $\delta$ ) (09 Marks)

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