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**I M.Tech - II Semester – Regular/Supplementary Examinations
July 2019**

**MICROWAVE NETWORKS
(MICROWAVE & COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

Answer the following questions.

1. a) Consider a two-port microwave network and formulate ABCD-matrix. Describe its convenience in describing cascaded sections. 8 M

- b) Consider a line of length l , CI of Z_o , phase constant of β and determine its ABCD-parameters. 7 M

OR

2. a) Consider a two-port microwave network and express its y – parameters in terms of z -parameters. 8 M

 - b) Describe and explain the primary components and four basic decomposition rules of signal flow graphs. 7 M
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3. a) Describe the method of single stub matching. Derive the relation for the length and location of the stub. 8 M

- b) A loss-less line is to be matched to its load by means of a short circuited stub. Assuming $Z_{os} = 75\Omega$, find the stub position closest to the load, d_s and its shortest length, l_s so that match is achieved when the line's characteristic and load impedances are (i) $Z_o = 100\Omega$, $Z_l = 150\Omega$ and (ii) $Z_o = 150\Omega$, $Z_l = 100\Omega$. 7 M

OR

4. a) Describe the procedures of double stub matching technique using Smith chart. 8 M

- b) For each set of the given values, (i) $d_n = 0$, $d_{ss} = 3\lambda/8$ with $z_l = 0.3 + j0.4$, (ii) $d_n = \lambda/8$, $d_{ss} = 3\lambda/8$ with $z_l = 0.5$ and (iii) $d_n = \lambda/4$, $d_{ss} = 5\lambda/8$ with $z_l = 2.5 - j5.0$, determine whether double stub matching technique is feasible or not. Whenever it is infeasible, make necessary so that technique is feasible. 7 M

5. a) Derive the expression for resonant frequency of rectangular cavity resonator. 8 M

- b) An air-filled cubical cavity i.e. $a=b=d$ is resonating at a frequency of 8 GHz in TE_{101} mode. Determine its dimensions. Also find out its Q factor, when conductivity of the walls is given by $\sigma = 61 \times 10^6$ mhos/m. 7 M

OR

6. a) Derive the expression for resonant frequency of a circular cavity resonator. 8 M

b) An air-filled circular cavity has a length of 2.3cm and a radius of 1.15 cm. Determine its resonance frequencies for modes TM_{010} and TE_{111} . 7 M

7. a) Derive the expressions for image impedance of a two port π -network. 8 M

b) What are Kurdo's identities? Describe their significance in filter implementation. 7 M

OR

8. a) Describe insertion loss method for filter design. 8 M

b) Discuss important features of stepped impedance low pass filters. 7 M