

III B. Tech II Semester Supplementary Examinations, November/December-2016

DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS

(Electronics and Communication Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)

2. Answering the question in **Part-A** is compulsory

3. Answer any **THREE** Questions from **Part-B**

PART -A

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| 1 | a) Write the elements of digital communication systems. | [3M] |
| | b) Write about DPSK. | [4M] |
| | c) Explain probability of error using matched filter. | [4M] |
| | d) Define discrete messages. | [4M] |
| | e) Write the advantages of source coding. | [3M] |
| | f) Define encoding. | [4M] |

PART -B

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| 2 | a) Derive the expression for signal to noise ratio of PCM system? | [12M] |
| | b) Explain the advantages of digital communication systems. | [4M] |
| 3 | a) Explain the principle of binary phase shift keying. | [8M] |
| | b) Name different modulation techniques and explain which technique is good for digital modulation. | [8M] |
| 4 | a) What is probability of error and explain its significance? | [8M] |
| | b) Derive the expression for probability of error of ASK. | [8M] |
| 5 | a) Define joint and conditional entropies. Obtain the relation between them. | [8M] |
| | b) Write a short note on concept of amount of information and its properties. | [8M] |
| 6 | a) Write short notes on the capacity of continuous channels. | [8M] |
| | b) Apply Huffmann's encoding procedure to the following message ensemble and determine the average length of the encoded message.
$\{X\} = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7, x_8, x_9, x_{10}\}$
$P\{X\} = \{0.18, 0.17, 0.16, 0.15, 0.10, 0.08, 0.05, 0.05, 0.04, 0.02\}$
The encoding alphabet is $\{D\} = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$. | [8M] |
| 7 | a) Give the Comparison of Error Rates in Coded and Uncoded Transmission. | [8M] |
| | b) What are the advantages and disadvantages of cyclic codes? Design an encoder for the (7, 4) binary cyclic code generated by $g(x) = 1+x+x^3$ and verify its operation using the message vector (0101). | [8M] |

