

B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: NOV/DEC 2014

(Regulation 2009)

Seventh Semester

ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

ECE118: Wireless Communications

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. The indoor radio channel differs from the traditional mobile channel in one aspect namely
 - a) The signal level do not vary greatly depending on whether interior doors are open or closed
 - b) the distances covered are much larger
 - c) The propagation within the building is not strongly influenced by specific features such as layout of the building.
 - d) the distances covered are much smaller
2. The gain of an antenna is related to its effective aperture A_e by
 - a) $G = 2\pi A_e / \lambda^2$
 - b) $G = 4\pi A_e / \lambda^2$
 - c) $G = 6\pi A_e / \lambda^2$
 - d) $G = 8\pi A_e / \lambda^2$
3. Bit error probability in QPSK is
 - a) Identical to BPSK
 - b) Twice that of BPSK
 - c) Less than BPSK
 - d) Greater than BPSK
4. OFDM used for wireless communication is a
 - a) Narrow band scheme
 - b) Medium band scheme
 - c) Small band scheme
 - d) Wide band scheme
5. Example of Block code is
 - a) vertibi code
 - b) Convolution code

PART C (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)

21. a) (i) Analyse a two ray model and obtain the expression for the received power at a distance d from a transmitter and show that (7)

$$P_r = P_t G_t G_r h_t^2 h_r^2 / d^4$$

- (ii) Describe the three basic mechanisms considered in radio propagation in ray optics. (7)

(OR)

- b) (i) Analyse and find an expression of the n^{th} Fresnel zone circle denoted by r_n and can be expressed in terms of n, λ, d_1 and d_2 . (7)

- (ii) Describe types of small scale fading models. (7)

22. a) (i) Analyse and obtain for the M-ary PSK (10)

I) signal set expression $S_{M\text{-PSK}}$

In terms of E_s is the energy per symbol, $\Phi_1(t)$, $\Phi_2(t)$ is orthogonal basis signals

and

II) Power spectral density $P_{M\text{PSK}}$ with rectangular pulses.

In terms of T_s - Symbol duration of an M-ary PSK, T_b - Bit duration

M-ary PSK, f_c - Carrier frequency

- (ii) Compare QPSK signaling and Offset QPSK signaling. (4)

(OR)

- b) (i) Analyse and obtain expression for average probability of bit error P_e (10) for Direct sequence spread spectrum DS-SS system with K users.

In terms of K - no of Users, N - chips per message, N_o - Noise spectral density E_b -Energy per bit.

- (ii) Distinguish between direct sequence spread spectrum and Frequency hopping spread spectrum. (4)

23. a) Consider a (7,4) linear block code with the parity check matrix H given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine code word for this (7,4) code

Show that this code is a Hamming code.

Illustrate the relation between the minimum distance and structure of the parity check matrix H by considering the code word 0101100.

(OR)

- b) (i) Draw the diagram of the $\frac{1}{2}$ rate convolutional encoder with generator (7) polynomials $g^{(1)}(D) = 1 + D$ $g^{(2)}(D) = 1 + D + D^2$ and compute the encoder for the input sequence 101101.
- (ii) What is meant by free distance of a convolutional code? How does it (7) affect the no of errors that can be corrected and coding gain?

24. a) (i) Analyse the weight vector update equation for the LMS algorithm. (10)
- (ii) Compare the performance of LMS and RLS algorithms (4)

(OR)

- b) Explain what is meant by diversity reception? What are the different types? What are its advantages in cellular communications?

25. a) (i) Describe the advantages and disadvantages of WLL. (7)
- (ii) Draw the functional block of DECT system and explain its working (7) principle.

(OR)

- b) (i) Explain the forward and reverse channel parameters in IS 95 CDMA (7)
- (ii) Explain the GSM system architecture and give its protocol (7) specifications.
