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Subject Name: Wireless Communication

Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

- Q.1 (a)** Define the following terms regarding wireless communication: Half duplex channel, Base station, Mobile Switching Centre. **03**
- (b)** With figure explain Frequency Reuse concept in detail. Define cluster size and write the equation for system capacity. **04**
- (c)** Draw a neat sketch of GSM architecture and state the functions of the following: BSC, MSC, VLR, HLR, AUC. **07**

- Q.2 (a)** Explain the concept of trunking and grade of service. **03**
- (b)** Why hexagonal cell shape is preferred in cellular architecture? **04**
- (c)** What is ZigBee? Explain in details ZigBee networks. **07**

OR

- (c)** Calculate the worst-case carrier to interference ratio for a mobile receiver located at the boundary of its serving cell if it is under the influence of interfering signals from two nearest co-channels cells in a cellular system. Assume 3-sectors per cell and a reuse pattern of 4. **07**

- Q.3 (a)** Explain the concept of umbrella cell and cell dragging in brief. **03**
- (b)** Explain the factors influencing small scale fading. **04**
- (c)** Explain :(1) Cell splitting (2) Microcell Zone concept. To improve coverage and capacity of a system. **07**

OR

- Q.3 (a)** Explain Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA) in wireless communication with figure. **03**
- (b)** Explain the Frequency diversity techniques briefly. **04**
- (c)** Derive an expression for a ground reflection model assuming distance between transmitter and receiver antenna is very large compare to heights of the antennas. **07**

- Q.4 (a)** Explain paging system. **03**
(b) Compare FDMA with CDMA technique. **04**
(c) Briefly discuss security threats in wireless network and suggest possible ways of protection. **07**

OR

- Q.4 (a)** A Wi-Fi system operates at 1 Mbps. Calculate the data transfer time required for a 20 KB file. **03**
(b) Describe evolution of 2G and 3G mobile phone system in brief. **04**
(c) Assume a cellular system of 32 cells with a cell radius of 1.6km, a total spectrum allocation that supports 336 traffic channels, and a reuse pattern of 7. Calculate the total service area covered with this configuration and number of channels per cell. **07**

- Q.5 (a)** Define mean excess delay, rms delay spread and excess delay spread. **03**
(b) Explain briefly how a RAKE receiver improves the received signal strength. **04**
(c) If a total of 33 MHz of band width is allocated to a particular FDD cellular telephone system which uses two 25 KHz simplex channels to provide full duplex voice and control channels, compute the number of channels available per cell if a system uses: (1) four cell reuse (2) seven cell reuse and (3) 12 cell reuse. **07**

OR

- Q.5 (a)** List types of diversity techniques and explain any one of them in 3-4 sentences. **03**
(b) Define following terms: **04**
(i) Dwell time (ii) Soft handoff (iii) mobile assisted handoff (iv) Transceiver
(c) In a cellular radio operating at 800 MHz, the transmitter and the receiver are separated by 500m from each other. The knife-edge diffraction object between them has a height of 30 m. The diffraction object is 100 m from transmitter. **07**
Find: (i) The excess path length (ii) The phase difference corresponding to the excess path length. (iii) The Fresnel-Kirchhoff diffraction parameter.
