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DIGITAL COMMUNICATION [ICT 2152]

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM

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Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer ALL the questions.
- ❖ Missing data if any may be suitable assumed.

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- 1A. With a neat block diagram explain PCM modulation technique. Discuss the use of non-linear encoding and companding in PCM. 5
- 1B. Explain the following modes of propagation with respect to optical Fiber communication: 3
- i. Single mode
 - ii. Step-index multimode
 - iii. Graded-index mode
- 1C. Derive an expression that relates the spectral efficiency to the ratio of signal energy per bit to noise power density per Hertz. Given a channel with an intended capacity of 20 Mbps, the bandwidth of the channel is 3 MHz. Assuming white noise, what signal-to-noise ratio is required to achieve this capacity? 2
- 2A. A CRC is constructed for a 12-bit data 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 using the generator polynomial $X^4 + X^3 + 1$. Generate the FCS using polynomial method. Give the transmitted code word. If channel introduces an error pattern $X^8 + X^7 + X^6 + 1$, find the received pattern and validate using modulo-2 arithmetic. 5
- 2B. The frames are generated at node A and sent to node C through node B. The distance between node A and node B is 4000km and the distance between node B and node C is 1000km. Determine the minimum data rate required between nodes B and C so that the buffers of node B are not flooded, based on the following: 3
- i. The data rate between A and B is 100 kbps.
 - ii. The propagation delay is $5\mu\text{s}/\text{km}$ for both lines.
 - iii. There are full duplex lines between the nodes.
 - iv. All data frames are 1000 bits long
 - v. ACK frames are separate frames of negligible length.
 - vi. Between A and B, a sliding-window protocol with a window size of 3 is used.
 - vii. Between B and C, stop-and-wait is used.
 - viii. There are no errors.
- 2C. Explain CDMA for direct sequence spread spectrum with a neat diagram. 2
- 3A. Explain Frequency-hopping spread spectrum with necessary expressions and neat block diagrams of transmitter and receiver. 5
- 3B. For the input digital data stream 1101100111, sketch the waveforms for NRZ-L, Bipolar-AMI, Manchester signal encoding methods. The most recent preceding bit for Bipolar-AMI has a positive voltage. 3

- 3C. Explain select and poll functions in polling access method. 2
- 4A. With a neat block diagram of transmitter and receiver, explain the concept of frequency division multiplexing technique. Explain analog carrier systems. 5
- 4B. Explain how synchronization is achieved using asynchronous and synchronous transmission. 3
- 4C. Consider the angle-modulated signal $s(t) = 10 \cos[2\pi(10^6)t + 0.1 \sin(10^3)\pi t]$
- Express $s(t)$ as a PM signal with $n_p = 10$ 2
 - Express $s(t)$ as an FM signal with $n_f = 10\pi$
- 5A. Two nodes A and B make use of HDLC protocol for data transmission. If selective reject ARQ is used with 3 bit sequence number, what is the window size? Give a neat vertical time sequence diagram for the following scenarios:
- A initializes and B acknowledges
 - A transmits first three data frames
 - B transmits its first two data frames once it receives second frame from A but before the reception of third frame.
 - Third frame sent by A is damaged frame and B rejects the same
 - Reject is lost, assuming A is not sending other frames. Give timeout scenario at A
 - B responds and A resumes with two frames
 - B does not have data frames to send but need to acknowledge
 - A initiates for disconnect, B acknowledges 5
- 5B. A microwave transmitter has an output of 0.2 W at 2 GHz. Assume that this transmitter is used in a microwave communication system where the transmitting and receiving antennas are parabolas, each 1.4 m in diameter.
- What is the gain of each antenna in decibels?
 - Taking into account antenna gain, what is the effective radiated power of the transmitted signal?
 - If the receiving antenna is located 20 km from the transmitting antenna over a free space path, find the available signal power out of the receiving antenna in dBm units. 3
- 5C. Differentiate datagram and virtual circuit approach in packet switching technique. 2