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Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, December 2012

Digital Signal Processing

Time: 3 hrs.   Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. *Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
at least TWO questions from each part.
2. *Use of normalized Chebyshev and Butterworth*
prototype tables are NOT ALLOWED.

PART – A

1 a. Find the N-point DFT of x(n) if $x(n) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}; & 0 \le n \le 2 \\ 0; & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$. **(08 Marks)**

   b. Two finite sequences x(n) = [x(0), x(1), x(2), x(3)] and h(n) = [h(0), h(1), h(2), h(3)] have
DFTs given by X(R) = DFT {x(n)} = {1, J, -1, -J}; H(R) = DFT {h(n)} = {0, 1+J, 1, 1-J}.
Use the properties of the DFT and find the following:
   i) $X_1(R) = DFT \{h(0), -h(1), h(2), -h(3)\}$

   ii) $X_2(R) = DFT \{y(n)\}$ where $y(n) = x(n) \circledast_4 h(n)$

   iii) $X_3(R) = DFT\{x(0), h(0), x(1), h(1), x(2), h(2), x(3), h(3)\}$ **(12 Marks)**

2 a. Consider a length - 12 sequence defined for
$0 \le n \le 11$, x(n) = {8, 4, 7, -1, 2, 0, -2, -4, -5, 1,4 , 3}
with 12-point DFT given by X(R), $0 \le R \le 11$, evaluate the following function without
computing DFT, $\sum_{R=0}^{11} e^{-\frac{J4R}{6}} \times (R)$ **(05 Marks)**

   b. Determine $x_3(n) = x_1(n) \circledast_8 x_2(n)$ for the sequences, $x_1(n) = e^{j\pi n}$; $0 \le n \le 7$;
$x_2(n) = u(n) - u(n-5)$. Sketch all the sequences. Use time domain approach. **(08 Marks)**

   c. Show that:
   i) Real and even sequence has real DFT.
   ii) Multiplication of two DFT's in frequency domain corresponds to circular convolution
in time domain. **(07 Marks)**

3 a. Consider a FIR filter with impulse response h(n) = {3, 2, 1, 1} if the input is
x(n) = {1, 2, 3, 3, 2, 1, -1, -2, -3, 5, 6, -1, 2, 0, 2, 1},
find the output y(n). Use overlap-add method assuming the length of block is 7. **(09 Marks)**
   b. Write a note on Chirp z-transform. **(06 Marks)**
   c. What is in-place computation? What is the total number of complex additions and
multiplications required for N = 512 point, if DFT is computed directly and if FFT is used?
Also find the number of stages required and its memory requirement. **(05 Marks)**

1 of 2

4   a. Derive DIT-FFT algorithm for N = 8 and draw the complete signal graph.   **(12 Marks)**
    b. Find the IDFT of X(R) = {0, 2 + 2j, –j4, 2 – 2j, 0 2+2j, j4, 2 – 2j} using inverse Radix – 2 DIT-FFT algorithm.   **(08 Marks)**

PART – B

5   a. Design a Chebyshev analog low pass filter that has -3dB cut off frequency of 100 rad/sec and a stopband attenuation of 25 dB or greater for all radian frequencies past 250 rad/sec. Verify the design.   **(10 Marks)**
    b. Derive the s to z plane transformation based on finite backward difference method. Also show that the entire left half s-plane poles are mapped inside the smaller circle of radius ½ centered at z = ½ inside the unit circle in the z-plane.   **(10 Marks)**

6   a. Obtain the direct form II (canonic) and cascade realization of

$$H(z) = \frac{(z-1)(z^2 + 5z + 6)(z-3)}{(z^2 + 6z + 5)(z^2 - 6z + 8)}$$

the cascade system should consist of two biquadratic sections.   **(10 Marks)**
    b. Given H(z) = $(1 + 0.6z^{-1})^5$
        i)   Realize in direct form
        ii) Realize as a cascade of first order sections only
        iii) As a cascade of 1st and 2nd order sections.   **(10 Marks)**

7   a. Using rectangular window technique, design a lowpass filter with passband gain of unity, cut off frequency of 1000 Hz and working at a sampling frequency of 5 kHz. The length of impulse response should be 7.   **(10 Marks)**
    b. With necessary mathematical analysis, explain the frequency sampling technique of FIR filter design.   **(10 Marks)**

8   a. Design a digital filter H(z) that when used in A/D – H(z) – D/A structure, gives an equivalent analog filter with the following specifications:
        PB Ripple ≤ 3.01 dB
        PB Edge : 500 Hz
        SB attenuation ≥ 15 dB
        SB Edge : 750 Hz
        Sample rate : 2 kHz
    The filter is to be designed by performing a bilinear transformation on an analog system function. Use Butterworth prototype. Also obtain the difference equation.   **(15 Marks)**
    b. If $H_a(s) = \dfrac{1}{(s + 2)(s + 1)}$; find the corresponding H(z) using impulse invariance method for sampling frequency of 5 samples/sec.   **(05 Marks)**

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Analog Communication

Time: 3 hrs.   Max. Marks:100

Note: *Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
at least TWO questions from each part.

PART – A

1   a.   Define random variables and differentiate between discrete and continuous random variables.   **(07 Marks)**
    b.   Define mean, correlation and covariance functions.   **(07 Marks)**
    c.   Define Gaussian process. List the properties.   **(06 Marks)**

2   a.   Explain the generation of AM wave using square law modulator and show that the output of square law modulator $V_2(t) = a_1 A_C \left[1 + \dfrac{2a_2}{a_1} m(t) \right] \cos 2\pi f_C t$.   **(07 Marks)**
    b.   Explain the operation of coherent detection of DSB-SC modulating wave and show that the overall output $V_0(t) = \dfrac{1}{2} A_C \cos \phi \, m(t)$.   **(07 Marks)**
    c.   The AM wave is given by $S(t) = A_C [1 + K_a m(t)] \cos 2\pi f_C t$ is applied to the system shown in Fig.Q2(c). Assume that the message signal m(t) is limited to the interval $|w| \leq f$ and that $f_C \gg w$. Show that m(t) can be obtained from the square rooter output.   **(06 Marks)**

Fig.Q2(c)

3   a.   Derive an expression for SSB modulated wave for which upper side band is retained.   **(10 Marks)**
    b.   Fig.Q3(b) shows the block diagram of a two stage SSB modulator. The input signal m(t) consists of a voice signal occupying the frequency band 0.3 to 3.0 kHz. The two carrier frequencies are $f_1 = 100$ kHz and $f_2 = 10$ MHz.

Fig.Q3(b)
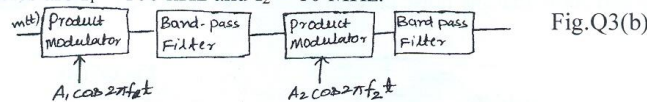
Evaluate the following:
i)   The sidebands of DSB-SC modulated waves at the output of the product modulators.
ii)   The sidebands of the SSB modulators at the output of band pass filters.
iii)   The passbands and the guardbands of the two bandpass filters.
iv)   Sketch the spectrum of the signal at each stage. [Assume suitable m(f)]   **(10 Marks)**

4   a.   What is vestigial sideband? Explain the process of generation and detection of VSB modulated wave using a carrier $A_C \cos 2\pi f_C t$.   **(09 Marks)**
    b.   With a block diagram, explain how downward and upward frequency translation is achieved.   **(07 Marks)**
    c.   The incoming signal has a midband frequency that may lie in the range of 530 kHz to 1650 kHz. The associated a bandwidth is 10 kHz. This signal is to be translated to a fixed frequency band centered at 470 kHz. Determine the tuning range provided by the local oscillator.   **(04 Marks)**

PART – B

5 a. Derive an expression for single tone sinusoidal FM wave; Determine frequency deviation and modulation index. **(06 Marks)**

   b. A carrier wave of frequency 100 MHz is frequency modulated by a sinusoidal wave of amplitude 20 volts and frequency 100 kHz. The frequency sensitivity of the modulator is 25 kHz per volt.
   i)   Find the approximate bandwidth pf the FM signal using Carson's rule.
   ii) Find the bandwidth by transmitting only those side frequencies whose amplitude exceed 1 percent of the unmodulated carrier amplitude. Use universal curve shown in Fig.Q5(b) for this calculation.
   iii) Repeat the calculations, assuming that the amplitude of the modulating signal is doubled.
   iv) Repeat the calculations, assuming the modulation frequency is doubled. **(08 Marks)**
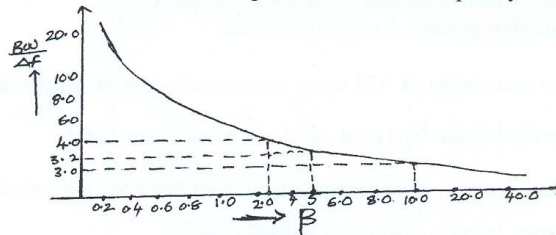

Fig.Q5(b)

   c. Explain the generation of narrow band FM wave using indirect method. **(06 Marks)**

6 a. Explain how foster-Seelay discriminator is used for FM demodulation. **(08 Marks)**

   b. Explain non-linearity and its effect in FM system. **(06 Marks)**

   c. For a WBFM if narrow band carrier f_1 = 0.1 MHz, second carrier f_2 = 9.5 MHz, output carrier frequency is 100 MHz and Δf = 75 kHz. Calculate multiplying factors n_1 and n_2 if NBFM deviation is 20 Hz. Draw the suitable block diagram of the modulator. **(06 Marks)**

7 a. Explain the following terms:
   i) Shot noise   ii) Thermal noise **(06 Marks)**

   b. Derive and show that the noise equivalent band width for RC low pass filter is $\dfrac{1}{4RC}$.
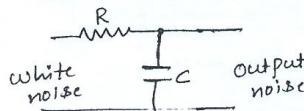

Fig.Q7(b)

(08 Marks)

   c. An amplifier of power gain 20 dB has an input consisting of 100 $\mu\omega$ signal power and 1 $\mu\omega$ noise power. If the amplifier contributes an additional 100 $\mu\omega$ of noise determine:
   i)   The output signal to noise ratio
   ii) The noise factor and
   iii) The noise figure. **(06 Marks)**

8 a. Find the figure of merit in AM when the depth of modulation is (i) 100%, (ii) 50%, (iii) 30%. **(06 Marks)**

   b. Show that the figure of merit of a noisy FM receiver for single tone modulation is 3/2 β^2. **(10 Marks)**

   c. Write a short note on pre-emphasis and de-emphasis. **(04 Marks)**

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Microwaves and Radar

Time: 3 hrs.   Max. Marks:100

Note: *1. Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
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2. Use of smith chart is permitted.

PART – A

1 a. Derive transmission – line equations by the methods of distributed circuit theory. **(09 Marks)**
   b. A single stub turner is to match a lossless line of 400 Ω to a load of $(800 + j300)\Omega$. The frequency is 3 GHz
       i) Find the distance in meters from the load to the turning stub
       ii) Determine the length in meters of the short – circuited stub. **(06 Marks)**
   c. Define reflection coefficient and derive an expression for reflection coefficient at load in terms of load impedance. **(05 Marks)**

2 a. Using the Helmholtz equation, derive the field equations for TE modes in rectangular waveguides. **(09 Marks)**
   b. With a neat sketch, explain the four – port microwave circulator and also obtain the S – matrix. **(08 Marks)**
   c. An air – filled rectangular waveguide of inside dimensions 7×3.5 cm operates in the dominant TE_{10} mode. Find
       i)   the cutoff frequency
       ii) the phase velocity of the wave in the guide at a frequency of 3.5 GHz
       iii) the guided wavelength at the same frequency. **(03 Marks)**

3 a. With neat sketches, explain the IMPATT diode and draw the negative resistance curve. **(10 Marks)**
   b. Explain the parametric amplifier with equivalence circuit. **(10 Marks)**

4 a. For a two port network, explain the S – parameters and properties of S – parameters. **(10 Marks)**
   b. Explain the phase shifter, with neat sketches. **(10 Marks)**

PART – B

5 a. With neat sketch, explain the operation of E – plane tee and also obtain its S- matrix. **(10 Marks)**
   b. With neat sketch, explain the operation of magic tee and mention its application. **(10 Marks)**

6 a. With neat schematic diagram, explain the coplanar strip lines. (06 Marks)

b. A lossless parallel strip line has a conducting strip width ω. The substrate dielectric separating the two conducting strips has a relative dielectric constant ϵ_{rc} of 6 and a thickness of 4 mm. Calculate :

i) The required width ω of the conducting strip in order to have a characteristics impedance of 50Ω

ii) The strip- line capacitance

iii) The strip – line inductance

iv) The phase velocity of the wave in the parallel strip – line. (08 Marks)

c. Write a note on shielded strip lines. (06 Marks)

7 a. Derive an expression for simple form of the radar range equation. (05 Marks)

b. With a neat block diagram, explain the conventional pulse radar with a super heterodyne receiver. (08 Marks)

c. Explain the applications of radar. (07 Marks)

8 a. Explain single delay – line canceller and frequency response of the single delay – line canceller, and also obtain the expression for blind speeds. (10 Marks)

b. A VHF radar at 220 MHz has a maximum unambiguous range of 180 nmi. What is its first blind speed? (04 Marks)

c. With neat block diagram, explain the original moving target detector signal processor. (06 Marks)

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Transmission Lines and Waveguides

Time: 3 hrs.   Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. *Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
at least TWO questions from each part.
2. *Use of Smith chart is permitted.*

PART – A

1 a. Derive an equation for voltage and current at any point on a transmission line. **(12 Marks)**
  b. A generator of 1.0 volt, 1000 Hz supplies power to a 100 km transmission line having the following parameters:
    $R = 10.4 \ \Omega/km$, $L = 0.00367 \ H/km$, $G = 0.8 \times 10^{-6} \ \mho/km$, $C = 0.00835 \ \mu F/km$.
    Find z_0, r, $\lambda_1 V_p$ of the transmission line. **(08 Marks)**

2 a. Derive the expression for cut-off frequency and characteristic impedance of constant – K low pass filter – T – section. **(06 Marks)**
  b. A co-axial cable is made of copper having conductivity of $5.75 \times 10^7 \ \mho/m$. The inner conductor has a radius of 2 mm, the outer conductor has inner radius of 8 mm and has a thickness of 1 mm. The space between conductors is filled with a dielectric material of relative permittivity of 4. Calculate per km the following:
    i) Inductance L   ii) Capacitance C
    iii) d.c. resistance R_{dc} iv) a.c. resistance R_{ac} at frequency of 150 kHz. **(08 Marks)**
  c. Define the following terms:
    i) Reflection loss   ii) Insertion loss   iii) Nodes **(06 Marks)**

3 a. What are standing waves? Draw the standing wave pattern for:
    i) Z_R = open circuited   ii) Z_R = short circuited   iii) $Z_R = 3Z_0$
    iv) $Z_R = Z_0/3$ v) $Z_R = Z_0$ **(06 Marks)**
  b. A load of $Z_R = 60 - j80\Omega$ on a lossless 50 Ω line is to be matched using a single short-circuited stub of length 'ℓ' located at 'd' metres from the load. The wave length of operation is 1 metre. Using Smith chart, find: i) 'd' and 'ℓ', ii) The standing wave ratios on the line before and after the stub. **(08 Marks)**
  c. Show that the input impedance of OC and SC loss-less transmission lines are purely reactive. **(06 Marks)**

4 a. Why must impedance (or admittances) be normalized before being plotted on a standard Smith chart? **(05 Marks)**
  b. Show that $Z_{SC} = \dfrac{8R_0^2}{R\lambda}$ for quarter wave line of small dissipation. **(05 Marks)**
  c. A double stub tuner is to be designed with a stub separation of 3/8 λ and the first stub position at the load $Z_R = (80 + j60)\Omega$ to match the load Z_R to a 50 Ω line. The generator end is matched (use Smith chart). **(10 Marks)**

PART – B

5   a.   Explain the theory of the scattering matrix representation of a multiport network. (04 Marks)
    b.   State and derive properties of S-parameters. (08 Marks)
    c.   Explain the comparison between Z, Y and S parameters. (03 Marks)
    d.   Obtain the relationship between Z, ABCD and S parameters. (05 Marks)

6   a.   Derive the expressions for propagation constant, cut-off frequency group velocity, phase velocity for $TE_{m,n}$ mode in rectangular wave guide. (12 Marks)
    b.   Explain the constructional features and working principle of the following directional couplers:
        i)   Two hole directional couplers
        ii)   Bathe-hole directional couplers (08 Marks)

7   a.   Write an explanatory note on the following:
        i)   GUNN DIODE
        ii)   Parametric amplifier (10 Marks)
    b.   Explain the applications of PIN-Diode as (i) single switch, (ii) phase shifter. (10 Marks)

8   Write short notes on the following:
    a.   Types of distortions in transmission lines
    b.   Application of quarter wave line
    c.   IMPATT diodes
    d.   Isolators. (20 Marks)

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Information Theory and Coding

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks:100

Note: *Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
at least TWO questions from each part.

PART – A

1   a.   Define the following with respect to information theory: i) Self information   ii) Entropy
        iii) Rate of information   iv) Mutual information. **(04 Marks)**

    b.   Prove that the entropy of the following probability distribution function is $2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-2}$.
        (08 Marks)

Symbols:	x_1	x_2	x_3	....	x_{n-1}	x_n
Probability of $(x = x_i)$:	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	....	$\frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$	$\frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$

    c.   A sample space of events is shown in the diagram below with probability $P = \left\{\frac{1}{5}, \frac{4}{15}, \frac{8}{15}\right\}$,

        i)   Evaluate average uncertainity associated with the scheme.
        ii) Average uncirtainity pertaining to the following probability scheme:
            $P[A/M = B \cup C]$, $P\left[B/M, C/M\right]$
        iii) Verify additive rule. **(08 Marks)**

2   a.   Given the model of a Markoff source in Fig. Q2 (a)
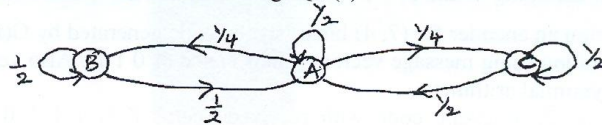

Fig. Q2 (a)

        Find i)   State probability   ii) Entropy of first order and second order source
             iii) Efficiency and redundancy of first order source
             iv)   Find rate of information if $r_s = 1$ sym/sec. **(10 Marks)**

    b.   Design an encoder using Shannons encoding algorithm for a source having six symbols and
        probability statistics $P = \left\{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, \frac{1}{32}, \frac{1}{32}\right\}$. **(10 Marks)**

3   a.   Consider a source with 8 alphabets A to H with respective probabilities of 0.22, 0.20, 0.18,
        0.15, 0.10, 0.08, 0.05, 0.02
        i)   Construct a binary compact code and determine coding efficiency using Huffman coding
            algorithm.
        ii) Construct ternary Huffman code and determine efficiency of the code. **(10 Marks)**

    b.   Prove that $H(X/Y) = p.H(X)$ for a binary erasure channel. **(05 Marks)**

    c.   Given the following channel matrix find the channel capacity:

$$P\left(\frac{Y}{X}\right) = \begin{array}{c} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{array} \begin{array}{ccc} y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 0.8 & 0.2 & 0 \\ 0.1 & 0.8 & 0.1 \\ 0 & 0.2 & 0.8 \end{array}\right] \end{array}$$

(05 Marks)

4 a. Define i) Differential entropy   ii) Shannon's limit   **(02 Marks)**

   b. Prove that for an infinite bandwidth signal energy to noise ratio $\dfrac{E}{\eta}$ approaches a limiting value.   **(06 Marks)**

   c. A black and white TV picture may be viewed as consisting of 3×10^5 elements, each of which occupies 10 distinct brightness levels with equal probability. Assume rate of transmission as 30 picture frames per sec and SNR = 30 dB. Using channel capacity theorem compute minimum bandwidth to error free transmission of video signal.   **(06 Marks)**

   d. Prove that $\lim\limits_{B \to \infty} C = 1.44 \dfrac{S}{\eta}$.   **(06 Marks)**

PART – B

5 a. Consider a systematic (7, 4) linear block code, the parity check matrix,

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

   i) Find all possible code words.
   ii) Draw encoding circuit.
   iii) A single bit error has occurred in each of the following code words given:
       $R_A = [0\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0]$, $R_B = [1\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0]$
       Detect and correct these errors
   iv) Draw syndrome computation circuit.   **(12 Marks)**

   b. Find generator matrix G and H-matrix for a linear block code with $d_{min} = 3$ and message block size of 8 bits.   **(04 Marks)**

   c. Test hamming bound of (7, 4) hamming code and show that it is a perfect code.   **(04 Marks)**

6 a. Design an encoder for (7, 4) binary cyclic code generated by $G(x) = 1 + x + x^3$ and verify its operation using message vectors (1 0 0 1) and (1 0 1 1). Also verify the code obtained using polynomial arithmetic.   **(10 Marks)**

   b. For a (7, 4) cyclic code with received vector Z is 1 1 1 0 1 0 1, with the generator polynomial $G(x) = 1 + x + x^3$. Draw the syndrome computation circuit and correct, the error in the received vector.   **(10 Marks)**

7   Write short notes on: a. Shortened cyclic codes   b. Golay codes.
                          c. BCH codes.   d. RS codes.   **(20 Marks)**

8 a. For the convolution encoder shown in Fig. Q8 (a).
   i) Find impulse response and hence calculate the output produced by the information sequence (1 0 1 1 1).
   ii) Write the generator polynomials of the encoder and recompute the output of the input of (i) and compare with that of (ii).   **(08 Marks)**
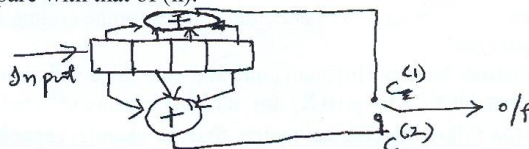

Fig. Q8 (a)

   b. Consider a (3, 1, 2) convolution encoder with $g^{(1)} = 1\ 1\ 0$ and $g^{(2)} = 1\ 0\ 1$, $g^{(3)} = 1\ 1\ 1$. Draw encoder block diagram, find generator matrix. Find code vector corresponding to information sequence D = 1 1 1 0 0 0 using time and frequency domain approach. Draw state diagram and code tree.   **(12 Marks)**

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Digital Switching Systems

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks:100

Note: *Answer FIVE full questions, selecting*
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PART – A

1   a.   What is the need for dividing exchanges into subdivisions? Explain with a neat diagram.
        (08 Marks)

    b.   Explain different types of network structures for telecommunication with a neat diagram.
        (10 Marks)

    c.   Express the following power levels in dBm and dBW:
        i) 1 mW   ii) 100 mW   **(02 Marks)**

2   a.   Explain the functions of switching system.   **(10 Marks)**
    b.   With a neat diagram, explain any two types of basic call processing technique.   **(10 Marks)**

3   a.   Write short notes on congestion or Erlang's formula.   **(05 Marks)**
    b.   On average, one call arrives every 5 seconds. During a period of 10 seconds, what is the probability that:
        i)   No call arrives   ii) One call arrives
        iii) Two call arrives   iv) More than two call arrives
        Assume $\mu = 2$.   **(05 Marks)**
    c.   Derive the expression for iterative form of Erlang's lost call formula. **(10 Marks)**

4   a.   Define the term grading. List the applications of grading. Explain different forms of grading.
        (10 Marks)
    b.   Compare the features of single stage and multistage networks.   **(10 Marks)**

PART – B

5   a.   What are concetrators and expanders? Explain.   **(05 Marks)**
    b.   An T-S-T network has 20 incoming and 20 outgoing highway, each carrying 32 PCM channel. The average occupancy of incoming channel is 0.45 E. Estimate blocking probability. Estimate GOS when an incoming call must be connected to a selected outgoing highway but may use any free channel on it.   **(05 Marks)**
    c.   Discuss the need for frame alignment entering digital exchange. Explain single ended unilateral and bilateral synchronization systems.   **(10 Marks)**

6   a.   Explain the software linkages during a call with a neat block diagram.   **(12 Marks)**
    b.   Explain in brief call models and connect sequence.   **(08 Marks)**

7   a.   Write short note on: i) Software maintenance
                              ii) System outage and its impact on DSS reliability.   **(10 Marks)**
    b.   Explain the organizational interfaces of a typical digital switching system (DSS) central office.   **(10 Marks)**

8   a.   With a flowchart, explain the steps to setup a simple call through DSS.   **(10 Marks)**
    b.   Write short notes on any two of the following: **(10 Marks)**
        i) Line to line intra IC call   ii) Line to line inter IC call   iii) Reliability analysis.

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Fundamentals of CMOS VLSI

Time: 3 hrs.   Max. Marks:100

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

PART – A

1   a.   Explain the nMOS fabrication process with neat diagram.   **(10 Marks)**
     b.   Obtain the dc transfer characteristics of a CMOS inverter and mark all the region showing the status of PMOS and NMOS.   **(10 Marks)**

2   a.   Compare CMOS and bipolar technologies.   **(04 Marks)**
     b.   Draw the circuit schematic and stick diagram of CMOS 2 input NAND gate.   **(06 Marks)**
     c.   Draw the layout for the schematic shown in the Fig.Q.2(c).   **(10 Marks)**
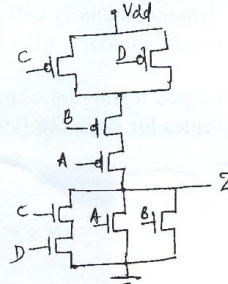

Fig.Q.2(c)

3   a.   Explain the operation of CMOS dynamic logic. Also discuss the cascading problem of dynamic CMOS logic.   **(10 Marks)**
     b.   Realize $Z = \overline{A(B+C)+DE}$ for clocked CMOS logic.   **(05 Marks)**
     c.   Find the equation for the node voltages V_1, V_2, V_3 during logic "1" transfer, when each pass transistor is driving another pass transistor, as shown in Fig.Q.3(c). Assume threshold voltage of each transistor is V_{tn}.   **(05 Marks)**
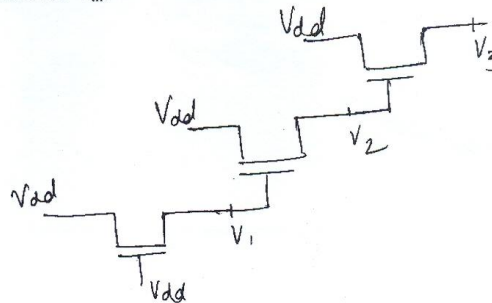

Fig.Q.3(c)

4 a. Find the scaling factors for:
       i)   Channel Resistance Ron
       ii) Current density J.   (06 Marks)
   b. Derive the equation for rise time and fall time for CMOS inverter. (08 Marks)
   c. Write a note on limitations of scaling.   (06 Marks)

PART – B

5 a. Explain structured design of bus arbitration logic for n-line bus. (10 Marks)
   b. Explain dynamic 4-bit shift register using CMOS logic.   (10 Marks)

6 a. Design 4-bit ALU to implement addition, subtraction, EXOR, EXNOR, OR and AND
       operations.   (10 Marks)
   b. With the neat diagram, explain Braun array multiplier.   (10 Marks)

7 a. Explain the working of three-transistor dynamic RAM cell.   (06 Marks)
   b. Explain one transistor dynamic memory cell with schematic and stick diagram. (06 Marks)
   c. Discuss CMOS pseudo-static memory cell with stick diagram.   (08 Marks)

8 a. Explain sensitized path-based testing for combinational logic.   (10 Marks)
   b. Write a note on ground rules for successful design.   (10 Marks)

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