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6th Semester Regular Examination 2017-18

MOBILE COMMUNICATION

BRANCH : ECE, ETC

Time : 3 Hours

Max Marks : 100

Q.CODE : C364

Answer Part-A which is compulsory and any four from Part-B.
The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

Part – A (Answer all the questions)

Q1. Answer the following questions : *multiple type or dash fill up type* : (2 x 10)

a) _____ is a first-generation and _____ is a second-generation cellular phone system.

- (1) AMPS
- (2) D-AMPS
- (3) GSM
- (4) None of the above

b) In a _____ handoff, a mobile station can communicate with two base stations at the same time.

- (1) hard
- (2) soft
- (3) medium
- (4) none of the above

c) The technique adopted to increase the system capacity and reduce co-channel interference is

- (1) High power BTS
- (2) By installing the Omnidirectional antenna
- (3) Sectorisation
- (4) None of the above

d) In IEEE 802.11, communication between two stations in two different BSSs usually occurs via two _____.

e) What is the frequency reuse factor in CDMA?

- (1) 0
- (2) 1
- (3) 10
- (4) infinity

f) The IEEE 802.11 standard for wireless LANs defines two services: _____ and _____.

- (1) BSS; ASS
- (2) ESS; SSS
- (3) BSS; ESS
- (4) BSS; DCF

g) _____ is used for cellular phone, satellite, and wireless LAN communications.

- (1) Radio waves
- (2) Microwaves
- (3) Infrared waves
- (4) None of the above

- h) What is the multiple access scheme used in GSM?
- (1) Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA)
 - (2) Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA)
 - (3) Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA)
 - (4) A combination of TDMA and FDMA
- i) The cluster size of the frequency reuse pattern of a hexagonal cellular system can only take on a particular value. Namely
- (1) 1,3,5,7,9,11...
 - (2) 1,4,9,16, 25...
 - (3) 1,3,4,7,9,11, ...
 - (4) 1,3,4,6,7,9, 10...
- j) When transmitting over a perfectly reflecting, smooth, plane earth, the path loss tends to increase
- (1) Linearly with distance
 - (2) With the square of distance
 - (3) With distance cube
 - (4) With the fourth power of distance

Q2. Answer the following questions : Short answer type : (2 x 10)

- a) What is the function of control channels? What do you mean by forward and reverse type of it?
- b) What is co-channel reuse ratio and frequency reuse factor?
- c) Name the wireless access techniques used in 1G, 2G, and 3G wireless systems.
- d) Write the expression for both received power and path loss in two-ray model.
- e) What is near-far effect in wireless network? Explain.
- f) If a cellular system requires an S/I ratio of 18dB in terms of co-channel interference only, then find an acceptable value of frequency reuse factor. Assume path loss exponent as 4.
- g) Differentiate between small scale fading and large scale fading.
- h) Write the advantages and drawbacks of sectoring.
- i) Write advantages of TDMA over FDMA.
- j) What is the value of the distance between two adjacent hexagonal cells in terms of cell radius R? Derive it.

Part – B (Answer any four questions)

- Q3. a)** Differentiate between cell splitting and cell sectoring. How they help in increasing the capacity of cellular system. **(10)**
- b)** Write short note on WLAN topologies. **(5)**
- Q4. a)** Briefly discuss the signal fading statistics in cellular system. **(10)**
- b)** Name the physical channels of the GPRS and discuss their functions. **(5)**
- Q5. a)** What is the IEEE standard for WiMAX. Discuss its applications and mess mode with neat diagram. Give a brief comparison between Wi-Fi and WiMAX. **(10)**
- b)** Calculate the received power at a distance of 3 km from the transmitter if the path-loss exponent γ is 4. Assume the transmitting power of 4 W at 1800 MHz, a shadow effect of 10.5 dB, and the power at reference distance ($d_0 = 100$ m) of -32 dBm. What is the allowable path loss? **(5)**

