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**B. Tech**  
**PEEC 4302**

**Fifth Semester Back Examination – 2014**  
**FIBRE OPTICS AND OPTOELECTRONICS DEVICES**  
**BRANCH (S) : EC, ELECTRICAL, ETC**

**QUESTION CODE : L272**

**Full Marks – 70**

**Time : 3 Hours**

*Answer Question No. 1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.  
The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.*



1. Answer the following questions : 2 × 10
- What do you mean by V number ? What is its physical significance ?
  - Calculate the number of modes of a graded index optical fiber, if its core diameter is 62.5  $\mu\text{m}$ , numerical aperture is 0.275 and its operating wavelength is 1300 nm.
  - How the dispersion-shifted and dispersion-flattened fibers are manufactured ?
  - What should be the characteristics of materials used for fabrication of LED ? Give at least two examples of such materials.
  - What do you mean by total internal reflection ? Explain your answer with proper ray diagram.
  - The refractive indexes of the core and cladding of a silica fiber are 1.48 and 1.46, respectively. What is the critical propagation angle ?
  - What are the drawbacks of an APD ?
  - What do you mean by numerical aperture of an optical fiber ? What is its physical significance ?
  - What do you mean by direct and indirect band gap semiconductors ? Which type of semiconductors is used for fabrication of LASER Diode ?
  - What is the physical significance of radiation pattern modulation capability ?

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2. (a) What are the commonly used fiber fabrication methods ? Draw the schematic diagram of the fiber-drawing apparatus. Explain with neat diagram, the modified chemical vapor deposition process. 6
- (b) Describe the double crucible method with proper diagram. 4
3. (a) What do you mean by loss in fibers ? Discuss in brief about the different types of signal loss in fibers. 4
- (b) Derive the expression for material dispersion. Hence establish a relation between the group delay and material dispersion. 6
4. What do you mean by quantum efficiency of an optical source ? Derive the expression for internal quantum efficiency and external quantum efficiency of LED. 10
5. (a) With neat diagram explain the working of a fiber optic system. 6
- (b) Explain with proper block diagram the working of an optical switch. 4
6. (a) Calculate the noise figure of an optical amplifier if the input signal power is  $300 \mu\text{W}$ , the input noise power is  $30 \text{ nW}$  in a  $1\text{-nm}$  bandwidth, the output signal power is  $60 \text{ mW}$  and the output noise power is  $20 \mu\text{W}$  in a  $1\text{-nm}$  bandwidth. 5
- (b) Explain the working of a WDM system. 5
7. (a) Consider an Erbium Doped Fiber Amplifier being pumped at  $980 \text{ nm}$  with a  $30 \text{ mW}$  pump power. If the gain at  $1550 \text{ nm}$  is  $20 \text{ dB}$ , then determine the maximum input and output power. The pump to signal wavelength ratio is  $0.63$ . 4
- (b) An InGaAs *pin* photodiode has the following parameters at a wave length of  $1300 \text{ nm}$ .  $I_D = 4 \text{ nA}$ ,  $\eta = 0.90$ ,  $R_L = 1000 \Omega$  and the surface leakage current is negligible. The incident optical power is  $300 \text{ nW}$  and the receiver bandwidth is  $20 \text{ MHz}$ . Determine the *mean square quantum noise current* and *mean square dark current* for the *pin* photodiode. Symbols are having there usual meaning. 6
8. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :  $5 \times 2$
- (a) Wave propagation in a cylindrical wave guide
- (b) Schemes for coupling improvement
- (c) *pin* photodiode
- (d) Schottky barrier cell.