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M. Tech (First Semester - Regular) Examinations, June - 2021

MPEEC1042 - RF and Microwave Circuit Design (E.C.E)

Time: 2 hrs Maximum: 50 Marks

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

 $PART - A (2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

Q1. Answer ALL questions

- a. Draw the circuit model of two wire parallel transmission line with all the parameters.
- b. A transmission line has a characteristic impedance of $50+j0.01\Omega$ and is terminated in a load impedance of $73-j42.5\Omega$. Calculate (a) reflection coefficient (b) the VSWR.
- c. Describe the characteristics of the smith chart?
- d. Why S-parameters are popularly used in microwave frequencies?
- e. A 1 W power source is connected to the input of a directional coupler with C=20dB, directivity (D) is 25dB and an insertion loss of 0.7dB. Find the output powers in dBm at the through coupled and isolated ports. [Assume all ports to be matched]
- f. Define critical coupling technique in resonator circuit.
- g. Define power added efficiency.
- h. Define gain compression for a nonlinear component.
- i. Define third order intercept point for a nonlinear component.
- j. An RF input signal at 1800 MHz is down-converted in a mixer to an IF frequency of 87 MHz. What are the two possible LO frequencies?

PART - B (6 x 5 = 30 Marks)

Answer ANY FIVE questions

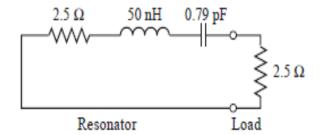
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- 2. Derive the expression for input impedance of a terminated transmission line. Find out the equation short circuited transmission line.
- 3. A two-port network is known to have the following scattering matrix: (6)

$$[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 0.25 \angle 0^{\circ} & 0.75 \angle -45^{\circ} \\ 0.75 \angle 45^{\circ} & 0.2 \angle 0^{\circ} \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine the network is not reciprocal and lossless. If port 2 is terminated with a matched load, what is the return loss seen at port 1.

4. A series RLC resonator with an external load is shown below. Find the resonant frequency, the unloaded Q, and the loaded Q.



- 5. Design a low-pass composite filter with a cutoff frequency of 2 MHz and impedance of 75Ω . Place the infinite attenuation pole at 2.05 MHz.
- 6. Find the S-matrix for an ideal 3dB 90° coupler. (6)
- 7. Explain principles of operation of Gunn diode. (6)
- 8. An RF amplifier has the following parameters: (6) $S_{11} = 0.3 \angle -70^{\circ}; S_{21} = 3.5 \angle 85^{\circ}; S_{12} = 0.2 \angle -10^{\circ}; S_{22} = 0.4 \angle -45^{\circ}$. Furthermore, the input side of the amplifier is connected to a voltage source with $V_S = 5 \angle 0^{\circ}$ and source impedance $Z_S = 40\Omega$. The output is utilized to drive an antenna which has an impedance of $Z_L = 73\Omega$. Assuming that the S-parameters of the amplifier are measured with reference to a $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ characteristic impedance, find the following quantities: (a) transducer gain, available gain and operative gain (b) power delivered to the load, available power and incident power to the amplifier.

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