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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09)

MARCH/APRIL-2014

DECE—SIXTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

ADVANCED COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer all questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** Define dominant mode, cut-off frequency and phase velocity related to wave-guide.
- **2.** Mention the factors affecting the radar range.
- 3. State the disadvantages of pulsed radar.
- **4.** List the advantages of satellite communication over terrestrial radio communication.
- **5.** Define the terms apogee and perigee related to satellite communication.
- **6.** List the Indian communication satellites and remote sensing satellites.
- **7.** Define numerical aperture, mode and dispersion related to fiber optic communication.
- 8. Mention the application of optical fibers.
- 9. What is hand-off in cellular system?
- 10. Write a short note on power control in CDMA.

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PART—B

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Instructions : (1) Answer any **five** questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** (a) Explain the working of magnetron with a diagram. 8
 - (b) Mention the applications of magnetron.
- **12.** Draw the block diagram of MTI radar and explain its working. 4+6
- **13.** Draw the block diagram of earth station and explain the function of each block.
- 14. Explain the application of satellite in TV broadcasting.
- **15.** Explain wavelength divisions multiplexing with a diagram.
- **16.** Explain the operation of LASER diode used in optical fiber communication.
- **17.** Explain about AMPS system.
- 18. Explain about global star system.