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Max. Marks: 60

NOTE:

- 1) Each question is of 10 marks.
- 2) Attempt any six questions out of nine
- 3) Any missing data may be assumed appropriately

1. Discuss the principle of radiation through wire antenna. How can a two wire antenna act as a source of radiation? **(10 marks)**
2. a) Distinguish between antenna bandwidth and antenna beamwidth. **(6 marks)**
b) Explain what is directivity. Comment on directivity of isotropic antenna and non-isotropic antenna **(4 marks)**
3. a) The radiation resistance of an antenna is 65 ohm and the loss resistance is 7 ohm. What is the directivity in dB if the power gain is 15? **(5 marks)**
b) The noise figure of an amplifier at room temperature ($T= 290^0$ K) is 0.3 dB. Find the equivalent temperature. **(5 marks)**
4. a) When do we call a dipole as Hertzian dipole ? Analyse the field due to Hertzian Dipole **(7 marks)**
b) Explain why electrically short antenna have low efficiency? **(3 marks)**
5. a) Describe the concept of pattern multiplication using isotropic sources. **(3 marks)**
b) Why is Hansen Woodyard endfire array preferred over ordinary endfire array? Also discuss the properties of ordinary endfire array. **(7 marks)**
6. a) Can we use waveguide as an antenna? Explain your answer. **(2 marks)**

- b) Are the waves coming out of a horn regarded as plane waves? Comment. For a Horn antenna, derive and analyse the expression for Horn Length and Directivity. **(8 marks)**
7. a) Which type of polarisation is considered superior for surface wave propagation and why? **(2 marks)**
b) How is the inversion layer being formed? Discuss in detail duct propagation. **(8 marks)**
8. a) What is critical frequency? Derive an expression for critical frequency. **(5 marks)**
b) Calculate the maximum electron density of E layer and F layer if the critical frequencies of E and F layers are observed at a particular time are 3 MHz and 10 MHz respectively. **(5 marks)**
9. a) Mention different types of polarisations. Point out the requirements for linear polarisation? **(4 marks)**
b) Obtain and discuss Friss Free Space Propagation equations **(6 marks)**
