## (3 Hrs)

Marks: 80

- 1. Question No. 1 is compulsory
- 2. Out of remaining questions, attempt any three questions.
- 3. Assume suitable additional data if required and justify the same.
- 4. Figures in brackets on the right hand side indicate full marks.

Q.1	(a)	Compare microwave amplifier with microwave oscillators.		(05)
	(b)	Write a short note on balanced FET mixers.		(05)
	(c)	Write a short note on Green's functions.		(05)
	(d)	Compare HMICs with MMICs.		(05)

- Q.2 (a) Give the key processing techniques of hybrid microwave integrated circuits (HMICs). (10)
  - (b) A BJT has the following S-parameters as a function of three frequencies. Determine in which of these cases, device is unconditionally stable and which has greatest stability.

frequency (MHz)	$S_{11}$	$S_{12}$	$S_{21}$	$S_{22}$
500	0.70 ∠ – 57°	0.04 ∠ 47°	10.5 ∠ 136°	0.79 ∠ – 33°
750	0.56 ∠ – 78°	0.05 ∠ 33°	8.6 ∠ 122°	0.66 ∠ – 42°
1000	0.96 ∠ – 97°	0.06 ∠ 22°	7.1 ∠ 112°	0.57 ∠ – 48°

- Q.3 Design a large coupler with a center frequency of 4 GHz and N=4, C=0.5, (20)  $Z_{\rm on}=30~\Omega$ . Determine the width, spacing, and length of the microstrip line for 90° phase shift at 4 GHz. Take the substrate with thickness h=0.635 mm and the dielectric constant  $\varepsilon_r=9.8$ . Assume that the substrate is non-magnetic and  $\mu_r=\mu_e=1$ .
- Q.4 (a) For two port oscillator at steady state oscillation, prove that if:  $\Gamma_L \Gamma_{in} = 1 \text{ then } \Gamma_T \Gamma_{out} = 1.$  (10)
  - (b) Calculate the voltage coupling coefficient for a 10 dB power coupling. (10)
- Q.5 (a) Discuss the various power gains in microwave amplifier design. (10)
  - (b) Develop wave equation for coupled lines. (10)
- Q.6 Write short notes on any two: (20)
  - (a) Directional coupler.
  - (b) Effect of discontinuities (such as open circuits and gaps, microstrip corners) in microstrip line.
  - (c) Field distribution in even and odd mode for microstrip.

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