

2125  
M.E. (Electronics and Communication Engineering)  
First Semester  
ECE-1103: Advanced Digital Communication  
(For UIET Only)

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

**NOTE:** Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Part.

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1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. The channel which adds noise following Gaussian distribution is called _____ channel.</li> <li>ii. In signal space representation, each signal waveform is represented as a _____ in a multi-dimensional space.</li> <li>iii. The correlation between two signals is used to measure their degree of _____.</li> <li>iv. In memoryless modulation methods, each symbol is transmitted _____ of previous symbols.</li> <li>v. In CPFSK, the phase of the carrier signal changes _____.</li> <li>vi. The matched filter receiver maximizes the _____ ratio at the sampling instant.</li> <li>vii. A phase-locked loop (PLL) is used for _____ recovery and symbol synchronization</li> <li>viii. OFDM stands for _____.</li> <li>ix. In CDMA, multiple users share the same frequency band using distinct _____ codes.</li> <li>x. The likelihood function is used in maximum likelihood estimation to determine the most probable _____ value.</li> </ul>	1x10
<b>PART A</b>		
2.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Explain bandpass and lowpass signals. Give suitable mathematical representations and examples of each.</li> <li>(b) Explain the necessary conditions that a set of signals must satisfy to be considered orthonormal. Apply the Gram-Schmidt orthonormalisation procedure to a given set of signals and demonstrate the step-by-step process with a suitable example.</li> </ul>	5, 5
3.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Derive the mathematical expression for the minimum Euclidean distance between constellation points in Phase Shift Keying (PSK) signals. Analyse how this distance affects the probability of error in PSK systems.</li> <li>(b) Draw the state trellis &amp; state Diagram for CPFSK with <math>h=1/2</math> for the bit sequence [1, 0, 1, 1].</li> </ul>	5, 5
4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) How is a matched filter receiver implemented for AWGN Channels? Explain the frequency domain interpretation of this type of matched Filter.</li> <li>(b) Give a performance analysis for a wire-line communication system.</li> </ul>	5, 5
<b>PART B</b>		
5.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) What is Maximum Likelihood (ML) Timing Estimation? Explain its significance in digital communication systems.</li> <li>(b) Explain the non-decision-directed loop for carrier phase estimation.</li> </ul>	5, 5
6.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Describe a multicarrier communication system that employs the FFT algorithm at the transmitter and receiver</li> <li>(b) Differentiate single-carrier modulation from multicarrier modulation.</li> </ul>	5, 5
7.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) What are spread-spectrum systems? Explain the Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum system with a neat diagram.</li> <li>(b) Explain coarse synchronisation of the FHSS system with a neat diagram.</li> </ul>	5, 5