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**M. Tech 1st Semester Electronics
& Communication Engineering**

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Information and Communication Theory

Paper-MEEC-505

Time : 3 hours

Max. Marks : 100

Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard will be entertained after the examination.

Note : Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) State and explain Shannon-Hartley theorem. [10]

(b) Prove that $I(X; Y ZW) = I(X; Y) + I(X; Z/Y) + I(X; W / ZY)$ [10]

2. (a) Show that $\{01,100,101,1110,1111,0011,0001\}$ cannot be a Huffman code for any source probability distribution.

[10]

(b) What are Hamming Codes ? What are their properties? [10]

3. A source has an alphabet $\{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$ with corresponding probabilities $(0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4)$.

[20]

(a) Find the entropy of the source.

(b) What is the minimum required average code word length to represent this source for error-free reconstruction?

(c) Design a Huffman code for the source and compare the average length of the Huffman code with the entropy of the source.

4. A $(15,5)$ linear cyclic has a generator polynomial, $G(p) = p^{10} + p^8 + p^5 + p^4 + p^2 + p + 1$.

[20]

- (a) Draw the block diagram of an encoder and syndrome calculator for this code.
- (b) Find the code polynomial for the message polynomial $M(p) = p^4 + p^2 + 1$ in systematic form.
5. (a) What are code tree, code trellis and state diagrams for convolutional encoders? Also discuss the constraint length for convolutional encoders. [12]
- (b) Discuss the followings : [8]
- (i) Justen codes
- (ii) Idempotent and Mattson Solomon polynomials.
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6. Discuss the vertical redundancy check (VRC) & longitudinal redundancy check (LRC) used in parity coding. Also discuss the advantages of LRC over VRC. Discuss the drawback of LRC. [20]

7. Discuss the various decoding methods of convolutional codes. [20]
8. Discuss the following (any four) : [20]
- (a) BCH code
- (b) Continuous entropy
- (c) Rate distortion functions
- (d) Viterbi decoding algorithms
- (e) Code incurable error probability
- (f) Optimum coding.

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