

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)**

**CLASS: MTECH
BRANCH: ECE (WIRELESS COMMUNICATION)**

**SEMESTER : II
SESSION : SP/2025**

SUBJECT: EC543 RF CIRCUIT DESIGN

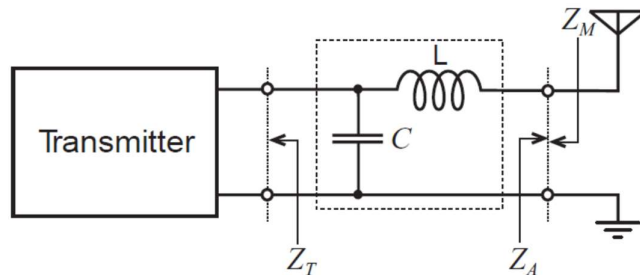
TIME: 3 Hours

FULL MARKS: 50

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 10 marks and total 50 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
4. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
5. Tables/Data hand book/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.

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| Q.1(a) What is skin depth? What are the parameters which influence skin depth? | [5] CO1, CO3 | BL2 |
| Q.1(b) Compute the intrinsic wave impedance, phase velocity, and wavelengths of an electromagnetic wave on a printed circuit board material whose dielectric constant is 4.6 for the frequencies $f=3$ GHz. | [5] CO1, CO3 | BL3 |
| Q.2(a) Draw a circuit diagram of a high pass filter and find the overall ABCD parameter and transfer function response of the circuit. | [5] CO1, CO2, CO3 | BL2 |
| Q.2(b) An $N = 3$ Chebyshev bandpass filter is to be designed with a 3 dB passband ripple for a communication link. The centre frequency is at 2.4 GHz, and the filter must meet a bandwidth requirement of 20%. The filter has to be inserted into a 50Ω characteristic line impedance. Find the inductive and capacitive elements of the filter. | [5] CO1, CO3, CO4 | BL6 |
| Q.3(a) Design a quarter wave transformer to match the 100Ω load resistance to 50 input impedance. Discuss the limitations of a quarter-wave transformer. | [5] CO1, CO2, CO3 | BL6 |
| Q.3(b) The output impedance of a transmitter operating at a frequency of 2 GHz is $Z_T = (150 + j75) \Omega$. Design an L-section matching network, as shown in Figure, to deliver maximum power to the antenna whose input impedance is $Z_A = (75 + j15) \Omega$ | [5] CO1, CO2, CO3 | BL6 |



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| Q.4(a) What are the conditions of unconditional stability? Differentiate between transducer power gain and unilateral transducer power gain. | [5] CO2, CO3 | BL3 |
| Q.4(b) Find NF_{13} for the three cascaded networks, if $NF_1 = 2\text{dB}$, $G_{a1} = 10\text{dB}$, $NF_{12} = 6\text{dB}$, $G_{a2} = 14\text{dB}$, $NF_3 = 10\text{dB}$, $G_{a3} = 18\text{dB}$. | [5] CO1, CO2, CO3 | BL3 |
| Q.5(a) Mention the design steps for a two-port oscillator. | [5] CO1, CO4, CO5 | BL3 |
| Q.5(b) With the help of a circuit diagram, explain the double-balanced frequency mixer circuits. | [5] CO1, CO2, CO4, CO5 | BL2 |