

15EE45

Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Jan./Feb. 2021 Electromagnetic Field Theory

ANGALOME: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.
2. Draw neat figures wherever necessary.

Module-1

- a. Explain spherical coordinate system. Also derive the relation between spherical and Cartesian coordinate system. (08 Marks)
 - b. Find the gradient of the following scalar fields
 - $i) t = x^2y + e^z$
 - ii) $w = 10r \sin^2\theta \cos \phi$

(04 Marks)

c. If $\vec{F} = (x + 2y + az)\hat{a}_x + (bx - 3y - z)\hat{a}_y + (4x + cy + 2z)\hat{a}_z$

Find the constants a, b and c so that \vec{F} is irrotational.

(04 Marks)

OR

a. Derive an expression for electric field intensity at a point 'P' due to surface charge.

(06 Marks)

b. State and prove Gauss's law.

(06 Marks)

c. Three point charges 1μc, 1μc and 0.5μc are placed in air at the corners of an equilateral triangle of 0.5m side. Find the force on 0.5μc charge.

Module-2

- 3 a. Derive an expression for electric potential at a point due to a point charge. (06 Marks)
 - b. If V = x y + xy + 2z volts. Find the electric field intensity at P(1, 2, 3) and also the energy stored in a cube of side 2 mts centered at the origin. (06 Marks)
 - c. Given the potential field $V = 3x^2y + 2y^2z + 3xyz$. Find the electric field strength at M(1, 2, -1).

OR

- 4 a. Describe the boundary conditions between two dielectric media having permitivities ∈₁ and ∈₂. (08 Marks)
 - b. A parallel plate capacitor of area 'A' m² is filled with a dielectric of permittivity $\in = \in_0 \left[1 + \in_r \left(\frac{y}{d}\right)\right]$ where y = 0 at one plate and y = d at the other plate. Obtain an expression for its capacitance. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Using Laplace and equation obtain the capacitance of a spherical shell having inner radius 'a' mts and outer radius 'b' mts. The inner conductor is at a potential V_D and the outer conductor is grounded. (08 Marks)
 - b. Verify whether the following potential factors satisfy Laplace's equation
 - i) $V = 2x^2 y^2 z^2$ volts
 - $V = 6e\phi z \qquad (04 \text{ Marks})$
 - c. Verify whether $v = \frac{k}{r}$ where 'k' is a constant satisfies Laplace equation. (04 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Derive an expression for magnetic field intensity at a point on the axis of a current carrying short solenoid. (08 Marks)
 - b. Magnetic factor intensity in free space is given by $H = 10e^2 \hat{a}_{\phi} A/m$
 - i) Find J
 - ii) Find the current over the circular surface e = 1 m; all ϕ ; z = 0

(08 Marks)

Module-4

7 a. Explain in brief any three magnetic materials.

(06 Marks)

b. Explain the boundary conditions between two magnetic media.

(06 Marks)

c. Calculate the inductance of a solenoid of 2000 turns wound tightly on a cylindrical tube of 6cms diameter. The length of the tube is 60 cms and the solenoid is in air. (04 Marks)

OR

8 a. With usual notations derive $\nabla X \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial B}{\partial t}$.

(06 Marks)

b. Derive Lorentz's force equation for the combined field.

(06 Marks)

c. A conductor 4m long lies along the y-axis with a current of 10 A flowing through it. Find the force on the conductor if the fields on the region is $\vec{B} = 0.05\hat{a}_z \text{wb/m}^2$ (04 Marks)

Module-5

a. Derive Maxwell's equation for time varying fields.

(08 Marks)

b. A conductor carries a steady current of 'I' amperes. The components of current density vector are $J_x = 2ax$ and $J_y = 2ay$. Find the third component J_z . Derive the relation employed. (08 Marks)

OR

10 a. Explain the transverse nature of electro magnetic waves.

(06 Marks)

b. Derive the relation between \vec{E} and \vec{H} for a conducting medium.

(06 Marks)

c. The depth of penetration in a certain conducting medium is 0.1m and the frequency is 1MHz. Find the conductivity of the medium. (04 Marks)

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