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 FINAL EXAMINATION



CSU5307/ CPU3152: DATA COMMUNICATION
 DURATION: TWO HOURS (2 HOURS)

Date: 14.01.2019 20

Time: 9.30am – 11.30 am

Answer FIVE Questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Q1. Briefly explain the following terms.

- a. Data-Link Layer
- b. Home Location Register
- c. Bearer Service
- d. Quantization
- e. ADSL

Q2. The amplitude modulation is the simplest form of the modulation. If the input signal is $x(t)$ and carrier signal is, $\cos 2\pi f_c t$ then the output signal after modulation can be given as, $S(t) = A (1 + \mu x(t)) \cos 2\pi f_c t$

The parameter μ is known as modulation index and A is the amplitude of the modulated signal. For simplicity, A can be considered as 1 where there is unit amplitude for both input and carrier signals. The 1 represents the dc component to prevent loss of information. Considering $A=1$ & $\mu=1$;

- (i). Draw the output signal, when $x(t)$ is a sinusoidal signal with frequency of f_1 and $f_c = 10 \times f_1$ with similar amplitude.
- (ii). Draw the frequency spectrum of the output signal.

Q3. A video file of 100 MB (megabytes) is saved in a web server. Transmission channel from the web server to the client PC is capable of handling 10 Mbps (megabits per second) data rate. If the transmission system uses QPSK with 8 – Amplitudes, 4 - Phases and 2 – carrier frequencies.

- (i) Design a system of bits to signal mapping to achieve a minimum **baud rate**.
- (ii) What is the minimum “**baud rate**” required to support the 4 Mbps data rate?

Q4. Explain the requirement of **TDM** and **FDM** systems in data communication.

- (i) Draw a diagram to explain the multiplexing function of **one of the above** using four inputs (A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4), in transmission medium, de-multiplexing at the receiver (Assume the sequence being in numerical order and clearly indicate the domain according to the technique explained).
- (ii) Identify the differences in **Time Division Duplex & Time Division Multiplexing**

Q5. Digital data can be transferred through transmission medium in the form of analog signals.

- (i) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of analog signals to transmit digital data.
- (ii) State three analog encoding schemes and identify them in the form of sinusoidal waveform notation.
- (iii) Draw the signal diagram for each of the above, if the transmitted digital data stream is **010110**.

Q6. A voice signal is sampled at a rate of 8 kHz. If the sampling is done without compression and 63 levels (positive and negative) are measured.

- (i) What is the **bit rate** of the generated PCM signal?
- (ii) If the bandwidth of the input (voice) is 32 kHz and what is the minimum bit rate required to transmit the voice through a PCM channel with similar number of quantization levels?

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