

**RETEST 2020**  
**OPTICAL FIBER COMMUNICATION**  
**6<sup>th</sup> Sem**  
**ET-603**  
**MAX MARKS: 70**  
**TIME :3Hrs**

**Part A**

**Q1.**

**A) Choose the Correct Answer**

**1x5=5**

- i) Which law gives the relationship between refractive index of the dielectric?  
a) Law of reflection  
b) Law of refraction (Snell's Law).  
c) Millman's Law  
d) Huygen's Law
- ii) In the structure of fiber, the light is guided through the core due to total internal \_\_\_\_\_  
a. reflection  
b. refraction  
c. diffraction  
d. dispersion
- iii) Snell's law relates \_\_\_\_\_  
(a) Light reflection  
(b) Light refraction  
(c) Light transmission  
(d) Light Absorption
- iv) In fiber optics, the signal is \_\_\_\_\_ waves.  
a) light  
b) radio  
c) heat  
d) very low-frequency
- v) The light sources used in fibre optics communication is/are \_\_\_\_\_  
a) LED's and Lasers  
b) Phototransistors  
c) Xenon lights  
d) Incandescent



**B) Fill up the gaps.**

1x10=10

- i) The ratio of speed of light in air to the speed of light in another medium is called \_\_\_\_\_
- ii) Optical fibers for communication use are mostly fabricated from \_\_\_\_\_
- iii) Outer optical material surrounding the core that reflects the light back into the core is \_\_\_\_\_.
- iv) The refractive index of the core in \_\_\_\_\_ fiber is uniform .
- v) The attenuation losses are measured in terms of \_\_\_\_\_
- vi) An optical light source converts \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- vii) Single mode fibers support only \_\_\_\_\_ mode of propagation.
- viii) LASER stands for \_\_\_\_\_.
- ix) WDM stands for \_\_\_\_\_.
- x) There are two types of fiber splicing – mechanical splicing and \_\_\_\_\_ splicing.

**C). True or False**

1x5=5

- i) Snell's law states that, the ratio of sine of angle of incidence to the sine of angle of reflection is always constant.
- ii) Most of the optical power is carried out in core region than in cladding.
- iii) Frequency range of optical fiber communication is 10 MHz to 1 GHz.
- iv) For mono mode fiber laser source is the best.
- v) The numerical aperture of a fiber is related to the angle of acceptance as  $NA = \sin \theta_a$ .

**D) Match the following**

1x5=5

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|------------------------|---|
| i) $3 \times 10^8$ m/s | a) stands for Electromagnetic interference                                |
| ii) Doping             | b) converts optical signal into electrical signals.                       |
| ii) EMI                | c) speed of light in air.   |
| iv) Skew               | d) is the process of adding impurity to intrinsic semiconductor           |
| v) APD                 | e) rays travel through an optical fiber without passing through its axis. |

**Part B**

- Q2) List two uses of fiber optic cabling in the business world? 2
- Q3) Define Numerical Aperture. 2
- Q4) What is an optical fiber coupler? 2
- Q5) Write two disadvantages of optical fiber. 2
- Q6) List two types of fibre optic cables. 2

(Attempt any **three** questions from Q7 to Q12)

- Q7) Draw and label the structural element of an optical fibre. 5
- Q8) Explain total internal reflection with diagram. 5
- Q9) Describe wavelength division multiplexing. 5
- Q10) Explain any one type of coupler with diagram. 5



- Q11) Write three characteristics of step index fiber and graded index fiber (each). 5  
Q12) What is photo detector? Draw its symbol. Name two types of photo detector. 5

(Attempt any **two** questions from Q13 to Q17)

- Q13) Explain the various types of Optical Fiber Cable with neat diagram 10.  
Q14) Explain the construction and working of LED with neat diagrams. 10  
Q15) Draw a block diagram of fiber optic communication system and explain in brief. 10  
Q16) What is splicing? Explain the fusion splicing with a neat diagram. 10  
Q17) Explain the construction and working of APD with neat diagrams. 10

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