

**DIPLOMA – VIEP – ELECTRONICS AND
COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING (DECVI)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2016

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BIEL-035 : DIGITAL COMMUNICATION

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Missing data, if any may be suitably assumed. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

1. Give the basic block diagram of a digital communication system and list its advantages over an analog communication system. 7+7

2. Define the following : $4 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 14$
 - (a) Channel Capacity Theorem
 - (b) Shannon-Hartley Theorem
 - (c) Hartley's Law
 - (d) Entropy

3. With a neat block diagram of PCM transmitter and receiver, explain the operation. 14

4. (a) Compare and contrast the following digital modulation techniques : 10
- ASK, FSK and PSK.
- (b) Give the application of the above modulation techniques. 4
5. (a) What are the different line codes that are used for digital communication systems ? 4
- (b) Discuss their classification along with the waveforms. 10
6. (a) Differentiate between natural and flat-top sampling. 7
- (b) State and explain the sampling theorem and Nyquist rate of sampling. 7
7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) Advantages of TDMA over FDMA
- (b) Error Detection and Correction Codes
- (c) M-ary Encoding Techniques
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