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B.TECH. IN ELECTRONICS AND

COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING (BTECVI)

Term-End Examination

June, 2013

BIELE-009 : QUANTUM COMMUNICATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : (i) Attempt any seven questions.
(ii) All questions carry equal marks.*

1. (a) What are the fundamental concept of quantum communication ? 2x5=10
(b) What are the problems that can be solved by quantum computers more quickly than classical computers ?

2. (a) Discuss the major challenges of quantum communication. 2x5=10
(b) What is quantum bit ? How it is different from classical bit ?

3. (a) What is quantum information theory ? 2x5=10
(b) Describe the most significant discovery yet made in quantum communication.

4. (a) Describe the Heisenberg uncertainty principle's role in quantum communication.
(b) Explain the properties of the density operator. **2x5=10**
5. (a) Discuss the criteria to decide a given state is mixed or pure.
(b) State Kraus representation theorem for open system quantum evolution. **2x5=10**
6. (a) State the application of Holevo bound in quantum information theory. **2x5=10**
(b) State and prove Fano inequality.
7. (a) Discuss the performance of noisy quantum channel. **2x5=10**
(b) Explain stabilizer code construction technique in brief.
8. (a) Discuss the quantum error correction cycle.
(b) Discuss the role of entanglement in quantum channel capacity. **2x5=10**
9. Describe the analogues term of classical information theory to quantum information theory in all possible aspects. **10**

10. Write short notes on *any two* of the following :

(a) Quantum cryptography

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(b) Holevo's theorem

(c) Hilbert space
