

SCHEME OF COURSE WORK

Course Details:

Course Title	: Wireless Communications		
Course Code	: 13EC1137	L T P C	: 4 0 0 3
Program:	: B.Tech.		
Specialization:	: Electronics and Communication Engineering		
Semester	: I		
Prerequisites	Principles of Analog and Digital Communications.		
Courses to which it is a prerequisite	: --		

Course Outcomes (COs):

At the end of the course the student will be able to

1	Comprehend basic principles and standards of mobile communication systems.
2	Comprehend the various methods for enhancing the cellular system capacity.
3	Analyze coding techniques for various wireless applications.
4	Examine different multiple access techniques.
5	Comprehend the wireless and cellular radio application.

Course Outcome Versus Program Outcomes:

COs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
CO-1	M	M	S	M	M		S	M		M	M	S
CO-2	M	S	S	S	S		M				M	S
CO-3	M	M	S	S	S		M			M	M	S
CO-4	S	S	S	S	S		M				S	S
CO-5	M	M	S	S	S		S			M	M	S

S - Strongly correlated, M - Moderately correlated, Blank - No correlation

Assessment Methods:	Assignment / Quiz / Seminar / Case Study / Mid-Test / End Exam
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Teaching-Learning and Evaluation

Week	TOPIC / CONTENTS	Course Outcomes	Sample questions	TEACHING-LEARNING STRATEGY	Assessment Method & Schedule
1	History of wireless communication, Wireless Generations and Standards,	CO-1	1. What are the challenges in wireless communications. 2. Discuss the evolution from 1G to 2G, 2.5 G network.	□ Lecture/ Discussion	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
2	Mobile Radio signal propagation, path loss and channel models, Large Scale Path Loss	CO-1	1. Explain the knife-edge diffraction propagation model used to predict the Received Signal Strength. 2. Determine Pathloss when	□ Lecture / Discussion □ Problem solving	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I

			signal experiences degradation due to scattering.		
3	Small Scale Path Loss - Rayleigh and Rician Fading	CO-1	1. What are the causes and effects of small-scale fading ? 2. Analyze small scale fading using Two-ray Rayleigh modeling.	▫ Lecture ▫ Problem solving	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
4	Cellular Concept and Cellular System Fundamentals, Frequency Reuse,	CO-1, CO-2	1. Determine the distance for the nearest co-channel for a cell having radius 0.8 km and a co-channel reuse factor of 7. 2. Explain the concept of Frequency reuse.	▫ Lecture / Discussion ▫ Problem solving	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
5	Channel Assignment Strategies, Handoff Strategies, Interference.	CO-1	1. Explain the need for handoff and handoff strategies used in mobile communication. 2. Explain CCI and ACI.	▫ Lecture / Discussion ▫ Problem solving	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
6	System Capacity, Trunking and Grade of Service, Improving Coverage & Capacity in Cellular Systems	CO-2	1. Define Trunking and Grade of Service. 2. Explain different strategies used to increase the Cellular system coverage and capacity .	▫ Lecture/ Discussion	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
7	Analog Modulation Schemes for Wireless Communication.	CO-3	1. Explain modulation scheme used in AMPS mobile systems.	▫ Lecture/ Discussion	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
8	Diversity, Coding and Interleaving, Source and Channel Coding,	CO-3	1. Write the advantages of MSK over QPSK. 2. Explain about Turbo codes.	▫ Lecture	Assignment I/Quiz-I/Mid-I
9	Mid-Test 1				
10	Speech Coding for Wireless Communications, Adaptive Equalization, Multipath Propagation, Doppler frequency shift.	CO-3	1. Explain about linear predictive coders used for speech coding. 2. What are the differences between linear and non-linear equalizers? Explain decision feedback equalizer.	▫ Lecture	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
11	Multiplexing and Multiple Access techniques, TDMA, FDMA,	CO-4	1. Explain the term interference in the frequency, time, code and space domains. 2. Difference between TDMA and FDMA.	▫ Lecture ▫ Discussion	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
12	ALOHA - Packet Radio, Spread Spectrum-CDMA, Frequency Hopped Spread Spectrum, Inter-Symbol Interference (ISI), ISI mitigation;	CO-4	1. Explain the modulation process involved in forward CDMA channel. 2. Write short notes on packet radio.	▫ Lecture ▫ Discussion	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
13	Equalization, Random Access Protocol	CO-4	1. Explain channel access mechanism using RAP.	▫ Lecture ▫ Discussion	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
14	Wireless Networking, Third generation systems and advanced topics,	CO-5	1. Write about traffic routing in wireless networks. 2. What are the standards used in	▫ Lecture ▫ Discussion	Assignment II/Quiz-

			3G mobile technologies.		II/Mid-II
15	Wideband-CDMA	CO-5	1. Explain the modulation process involved in Wideband CDMA channel.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Lecture ▫ Discussion 	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
16	OFDM Principles, Comparison of OFDM and CDMA	CO-5	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain the need of cyclic-prefix in OFDM signal transmission. 2. Compare CDMA and OFDM schemes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Lecture 	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
17	WLAN and Bluetooth.	CO-5	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain IEEE 802.11 standards. 2. Discuss about Bluetooth Technology. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Lecture 	Assignment II/Quiz-II/Mid-II
18	Mid-Test 2				
19/20	END EXAM				

Course Coordinator

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