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PART – A

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer All the Questions

- 1. Define modulation.
- 2. What is superhetrodyne receiver?
- 3. Compare AM and FM.
- 4. Define modulation index for FM.
- 5. State sampling theorem.
- 6. Give the application of Delta modulation.
- 7. What is baud rate?
- 8. Differentiate FSK and PSK.
- 9. Write short notes on spread spectrum.
- 10. What is Entrophy?

PART - B (5 x 12 = 60) Answer All the Questions

11. Draw the block diagram of AM transmitter and explain its operation.

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- 12. Explain with neat diagram, the envelope detector and synchronous detector.
- 13. Derive the mathematical expression for FM wave. Draw the frequency spectrum and explain and explain.

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- 14. With neat circuit diagram, explain the foster-seeley discriminator.
- 15. Describe the encoding and decoding of PCM with necessary diagram.

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- 16. Explain the function of FDM with neat diagram. Give its applications.
- 17. Discuss in detail, the M-array modulation with necessary diagram.

(or)

- 18. Describe the working of QPSK digital modulation technique.
- 19. Write short notes on
 - (a) Cyclic code
 - (b) Convolutional code

(or)

20. With an example, explain shanon's fano coding technique.