4/4 B.Tech - SEVENTH SEMESTER

EC7L1 Microwave & Optical Communication Lab Credits: 2

Lecture: --- Internal assessment: 25 marks

Lab: 3 periods/week Semester end examination: 50 marks

Prerequisites: Microwave Engineering (EC6T3), Optical Communications (EC 7T1)

Course Objectives:

- To understand the behavioral aspects of various microwave sources and optical sources
- To learn the measurement procedures of important parameters in microwave engineering and optical engineering

Learning Outcomes:

Student will be able to

- Posses hands-on experience to work with microwave sources like reflex klystron, Gunn diode and optical sources like LED's & Lasers.
- Conduct measurements using a standard microwave test bench, analog and digital optical links for microwave and optical signal characteristics.

List of Experiments:

Part - A: (Any 7)

- 1. Reflex Klystron characteristics.
- 2. Gunn diode characteristics.
- 3. Attenuation measurement.
- 4. Directional coupler characteristics.
- 5. VSWR Measurement.
- 6. Impedance measurement.
- 7. Waveguide parameters measurement.
- 8. Scattering parameters of Circulator.
- 9. Scattering parameters of Magic Tee.

Part – B: (Any 5)

- 10. Characterization of LED.
- 11. Characterization of Laser diode.
- 12. Intensity modulation of laser output through an optical fiber.
- 13. Measurement of data rate for digital optical link.
- 14. Measurement of numerical aperture.
- 15. Measurement of losses in plastic fiber.