EC-454

MICROWAVE & OPTICAL COMMUNICATION LAB

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COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- 1. To understand the concepts of transmission of microwaves using microwave bench system
- 2. To understand the concepts of communication using fiber optics.

COURSE OUTCOMES:

After successful completion of the course, the students are able to

- 1. demonstrate Microwave bench setup for measuring parameters.
- 2. demonstrate the principles of microwave devices.
- Analyze the losses in fibers, fiber optic components, optical sources, detectors, optical transmitter and receiver configuration.
- 4. Develop confidence in independent study and ability for lifelong learning.

List of Experiments:

Experiments Related to Microwave Engineering

- 1. Characteristics of Reflex Klystron
- 2. Verification of the Expression $1/\lambda_0^2 = 1/\lambda_0^2 + 1/\lambda_0^2$
- 3. Measurement of VSWR using Microwave Bench
- 4. Measurement of Unknown Impedance Using Microwave Bench
- 5. Measurement of Directivity of a given directional coupler
- 6. Measurement of Gain of an Antenna.
- 7. Measurement of Dielectric Constant of a Given Material

Experiments Related to Optical Communication

- 8. Characteristics of Light Sources
- 9. Characteristics of Light Detectors
- 10. Measurement of Coupling and Bending Losses of a Fiber
- 11. Analog Link Set up using a Fiber
- 12. Digital Link Set up using a Fiber
- 13. Set up of Time Division Multiplexing using Fiber Optics
- 14. Study of Cellular Communication.

Note: A minimum of 10(Ten) experiments have to be Performed and recorded by the candidate to attain eligibility for Semester End Practical Examination.