

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE, PILANI
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EEE G581 RF AND MICROWAVE ENGINEERING
MID SEMESTER TEST (CLOSED BOOK)

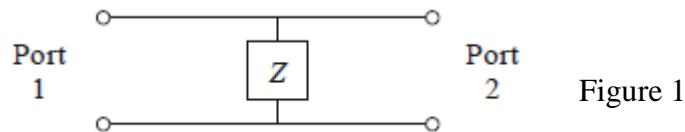
Date: 03-10-2022

Duration: 90 Minutes

Max marks: 30

Instruction: Answer all questions

- Given a $100\ \Omega$ microstrip line with an effective dielectric constant of 1.65. (a) What length of this line will realize an input reactance equivalent to $5\ \text{pF}$ capacitor at $2.45\ \text{GHz}$? (b) With the above line and length, how to realize an inductive reactance, and find that inductance [6 M]
- Given a shunt element as in Fig. 1. Assume Z_0 is the reference impedance. The lines shown in the diagram are of negligible lengths. Using standard procedure, obtain the S-parameters [6M]



- VNA calibration for a 1-port measurement uses a coaxial cable (symmetrical and reciprocal) and standard *open* and *matched* loads. The input reflection coefficient for the cable recorded by the VNA is $0.2 - j0.5$ for the *open* connection and $0.8 + j0.1$ for the *matched* load connection at the frequency of interest. (a) Obtain the S-matrix for the cable (b) What would be the VNA reading if the cable is terminated by a *short*? [8 M]
- A load has reflection coefficient $0.5 \angle 92^\circ$ when connected to a $75\ \Omega$ transmission line. (a) Using *only* the Smith chart, obtain the VSWR and load impedance (b) On the same Smith chart, mark the shortest distance (d) from the load for seeing a real impedance. *Attach the Smith chart with the answer sheet* (c) Design a quarter-wave transformer to connect between the above impedance and the $75\ \Omega$ transmission line (connected to the generator) for having zero reflections towards the generator [10 M]

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