

Antenna And Wave Propagation By K D Prasad

This text book on "Antennas and Radio-wave Propagation" describes the theory of various types of antennas that are in current use and the way in which the radiated waves get propagated through space. The theory has been written in a simple and easy-to-understand language. Lots of worked-out examples as well as diagrams in 2- D and 3-D have been included to illustrate the principles clearly. It is hoped that these features help the students to grasp the theories involved easily. Features Provided solid grasp of the subject. Every concept is explained in detail with 2 dimension or 3 dimension figures wherever necessary. Every chapter is fortified with lots of worked examples. Each chapter ends with review questions and exercise problems to allow the student to test their understanding of the material covered. Basic principles on antenna and special antennas are discussed in appendices Contents Antenna Basics Point Sources Antenna Arrays Electric Dipole and Thin Linear Antennas The Loop Antenna The Helical Antenna and the Yagi-Ud array Antenna Types Propagation of Ground and Space Waves Sky-Wave Propagation Appendices.

This work treats the essential elements of radio wave propagation without requiring recourse to advanced electromagnetic concepts and equations. However, it provides sufficient detail to allow those concerned with wireless systems to acquire quickly a practical working knowledge of the important concepts. Radio wave propagation is placed in a practical context by considering the design aspects of communications systems at microwave frequencies. A fuller consideration of the electromagnetic properties of materials is given late in the book rather than as an introductory chapter.

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Discusses general concepts and illustrates them with specific examples and references from a variety of antenna systems. This title covers contents related to antenna arrays. It examines more than 100 common antenna working behaviour questions. It clarifies what you need to know about antenna arrays in a 3D manner and various arrangements.

The aim of this book is to give an introduction to the fundamental principles of antennas and wave propagation. Unlike other books available, there is more emphasis on mathematical explanation in addition to physical understanding. Physical principles are explained in detail with clear diagrams to support the theory.

In the offered book the fundamentals of electromagnetic fields and waves are discussed based on the great Maxwell equations. The book is conceived as a textbook for serious technical and classical universities in the considered themes. Nevertheless, it can be used, of course, as the reference book for wide group of engineers, researchers and practical experts. Material of this book is divided into four main parts connected between them. The first part (Fundamental of Electrodynamics) is devoted to explanation of Maxwell equations and methods of its solutions. Besides classical interpretation the generalized equations are discussed, which take into consideration the scalar magnetic fields. New approaches allow description of so-called longitudinal electromagnetic waves, which have the absolutely non-standard propagation properties, and permit to explain various electrodynamics paradoxes, which cannot be explained in another way. The main characteristics of wave processes in the free space and in transmission lines

(feeders) are described. The second part (Radio Wave Propagation) investigates the obvious patterns of diffraction and interference phenomena at radio wave propagation for the obstacle presence in the propagation track, which is typical for all practical situations. Radio wave propagation of various frequency ranges is fulfilled separately taking into consideration the specific features of reflections from the atmosphere parts, attenuation in different media, types of propagating waves, multipath effects, diffraction and non-standard conditions of obstacle overcoming including non-usual ways of atmosphere ducts. The third part is devoted to description of various types and antennas, beginning from simplest (vibrators) and ending by complicated adaptive antenna arrays. Description is fulfilled on the reviewing level with many obvious figures, not to rely on strict mathematical methods, but rather on the concept level. Fourth part includes description of UHF devices, which are the elements' base of UHF devices including surface and bulk integrated UHF circuits. These results have in many aspects the pioneer character and they are not widely known to experts. Distinctive feature of the offered book is sufficiently simplified description of the very complicated electrodynamic problems available for the modern students and for young engineers. Of course, it is impossible to deal without mathematics in these areas but required mathematics can be replaced by the many patterns, which give the chance to understand problems and to determine the complex questions.

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Contents: Basic properties of antennas and radio waves; Antenna-feeder arrangements; Propagation of radio waves and application of them for radio communications; General form and basic data of certain antennas; Intensity of field of surface radio waves depending on distance and working frequency for calculated antenna; Radio weather forecast.

This book has been fully updated to reflect the latest developments in the field of radio communications. This book introduces the basic concepts and mechanisms of radiowave propagation engineering in both the troposphere and ionosphere, and includes

greater emphasis on the needs of digital technologies and new kinds of radio systems.

This highly illustrated and accessible text will be an ideal introduction to the application of electromagnetics (EM) following an initial course in basic EM theory. The book covers the well established structure of elementary EM courses, beginning with Maxwell's equations in integral form and developing the wave equation to show the essential properties of waves. In addition to providing a grounding in this traditional curriculum, the principal concern throughout is to make difficult concepts of electromagnetism more accessible. The adoption of time domain methods for this purpose is the book's most important breakthrough, allowing the fundamentals of applied electromagnetics to be introduced with a clarity and simplicity not available through the conventional route. Another new aspect of this book is the integration of computational modelling methods with the standard theory of electromagnetic waves. The author presents a set of example programs written in the MATLAB language to support the ideas outlined in the text. The book is organized in a logical progression of ideas, starting with the general idea of wave motion and showing how the equations of electricity and magnetism lead to the existence of electromagnetic waves through the Maxwell's equations. These ideas are then applied to simple accelerating charge models used in the engineering design of wire antennas. The concepts of resonance and antenna impedance are then treated from a time domain point of view. To reinforce the concepts of wave propagation, a chapter on computer modelling shows the rigorous procedures required to generate accurate numerical models of wave dynamics. The author extends these ideas to consider the properties of aperture antennas, showing how their important properties can be incorporated with the basic themes introduced earlier in the book. Finally, the important topic of wave scattering is introduced, once again from the point of view of time domain concepts.

Aimed at a single-semester course on antennas at the undergraduate level, *Antennas and Wave Propagation* provides a lucid explanation of the fundamentals of antennas and propagation. This student-friendly text also includes simple design procedures along with a large number of examples and exercises.

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This book is designed for the final year students in electronics and communication and for the first year post graduate students in Digital Communication and allied subjects. This compact and comprehensive text fulfils the long felt need for a suitable text book in the area of "Antenna and wave Propagation". It is written as per the revised syllabus of Rajasthan Technical University (RTU), Kota. It covers the topics, of fundamentals of antenna, types of antenna, antenna arrays, radio propagation modes, with basics of IE3D software and advance antenna topics. This well organized text lays emphasis on all the modes of propagation and practical aspects of antenna, with worked out examples & further previous year solved paper are included topic wise, which would be of considerable assistance to the reader. This comprehensive book covering all aspects of antenna and wave propagations, should

prove to be an invaluable asset to both students & professionals. Features: According to the syllabus prescribed by Rajasthan Technical University (RTU), Kota. Including previous year's university papers. Precise definitions and clear exposure of fundamental concepts. Simple and easy explanation of the topics along with well labelled diagrams. Step by step procedure is followed for explaining the topics. Detailed coverage of advance antennas, helpful for the post graduation students. The recent applications of antenna are also summarized here again proving fruitful for the M.Tech. Students. IE3D software basic is been included for the purpose of dissertation for M. Tech. Students. Ideally suitable for self study.

Ranging from navigation to communication and defense, antenna and wave propagation technology has diverse applications. The extensive content of this book provides the readers with a thorough understanding of the subject. This book outlines the processes and applications of wave propagation in detail through elaborate discussions of concepts like phase velocity, types of antenna, polarization, etc. This book consists of contributions made by international experts. It is highly recommended for students pursuing engineering, physics, electronics and associated disciplines.

This book emerged from teaching a graduate level course in propagation and smart antennas at the Naval Postgraduate School. In its present form, it is suitable not only as a graduate level text, but also as a reference book for industry and research use. The area of radiowave propagation and smart antennas is highly interdisciplinary, extracting material from electromagnetics, communications, and signal processing. This book is useful to workers in electromagnetics who would like to supplement their background with relevant communicational aspects and to workers in communications who would like to supplement their background with relevant electromagnetic aspects. Anyone with a basic understanding of probability, wave propagation, digital communications, and elementary signal processing should be able to appreciate the contents of the book. The book consists of nine chapters with several worked out examples dispersed throughout. Chapter 1 covers the basics of cellular communications.

Chapter 2 covers the basic principles of electromagnetic wave propagation relevant to path loss predictions in wireless communications. Students with little prior background in electromagnetics should find the first few sections of Chapter 2 self-sufficient. Empirical path loss models that are used in system design are treated in Chapter 3. The chapter includes the traditional models as well as some of the newer models. Chapter 4 has a thorough discussion on the causes and characterization of small scale fading. The topic of spatial correlation that is very important for antenna arrays is discussed there in detail.

Antennas and radio propagation are continuously and rapidly evolving and new challenges arise every day. As a result of these rapid changes the need for up-to-date texts that address this growing field from an interdisciplinary perspective persists. This book, organized into nine chapters, presents new antenna designs and materials that will be used in the future, due to the trend for higher frequencies, as well as a bird's eye view of some aspects related to radio propagation channel modeling. The book covers the theory but also the practical aspects of technology implementation in a way that is suitable for undergraduate and graduate-level students, as well as researchers and professional engineers.

The book is primarily designed to cater to the needs of undergraduate and postgraduate students of Electronics and

Communication Engineering and allied branches. It also caters for fundamental requirements of professionals working on design and development of antenna and wave propagation related equipment either in research laboratories or industries or academic institutions elsewhere. The book has been written with intent to grasp the basic understanding of theoretical as well as practical aspects of electromagnetic wave propagation and antenna engineering. The text has been aptly scripted considering the requirements of average students who can easily grasp and comprehend the basics of wave propagation and radiation mechanism of varieties of antennas coupled with their critical functionalities, utilities, advantages/disadvantages without any external assistance of teachers or other reference books. The book broaches very well on practical methods of parametric measurements of antenna with right measuring test equipment and associated tools. The last chapter of the book is dedicated to advance technology adopted in design and development of modern antenna. Key features

- A fairly large number of well labelled diagrams to provide practical understanding of the concepts.
- The placement of numericals at appropriate places develops confidence among readers and enthralls them further to read in depth to crack any regular or competitive examinations.
- Chapter summary highlights important points for quick recap and revision before examination.
- Well-crafted multiple choice questions with answers at the end of each chapter to stimulate thought process and prepare better for viva-voce and competitive examinations.
- Appropriate number of unsolved numerical problems with answers to improve problem solving skill of students.

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Antennas and Wave Propagation is written for the first course on the same. The book begins with an introduction that discusses the fundamental concepts, notations, representation and principles that govern the field of antennas. A separate chapter on mathematical preliminaries is discussed followed by chapters on every aspect of antennas from Maxwell's equations to antenna array analysis, antenna array synthesis, antenna measurements and wave propagation.

An accessible student-oriented approach to radiowave propagation Propagation-the process whereby a signal is conveyed between transmitter and receiver-has a profound influence on communication systems design. Radiowave Propagation provides an overview of the physical mechanisms that govern electromagnetic wave propagation in the Earth's troposphere and ionosphere. Developed in conjunction with a graduate-level wave propagation course at The Ohio State University, this text offers a balance of physical and empirical models to provide basic physical insight as well as practical methods for system design. Beginning with discussions of propagation media properties, plane waves, and antenna and system concepts, successive chapters consider the most important wave propagation mechanisms for frequencies ranging from LF up to the millimeter wave range, including: Direct line-of-sight propagation through the atmosphere Rain attenuation The basic theory of reflection and refraction at material interfaces and in the Earth's atmosphere Reflection, refraction, and diffraction analysis in microwave link design for a specified terrain profile Empirical path loss models for point-to-point ground links Statistical fading models Standard techniques for prediction of ground wave propagation Ionospheric propagation, with emphasis on the skywave mechanism at MF and HF and on ionospheric perturbations for Earth-space links at VHF and higher frequencies A survey of other propagation mechanisms, including tropospheric scatter, meteor scatter, and propagation effects on GPS systems Radiowave Propagation incorporates fundamental materials to help senior undergraduate and graduate engineering students review and strengthen electromagnetic

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physics skills as well as the most current empirical methods recommended by the International Telecommunication Union. This book can also serve as a valuable teaching and reference text for engineers working with wireless communication, radar, or remote sensing systems.

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