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## Experiment 1. REFLEX KLYSTRON CHARACTERISTICS

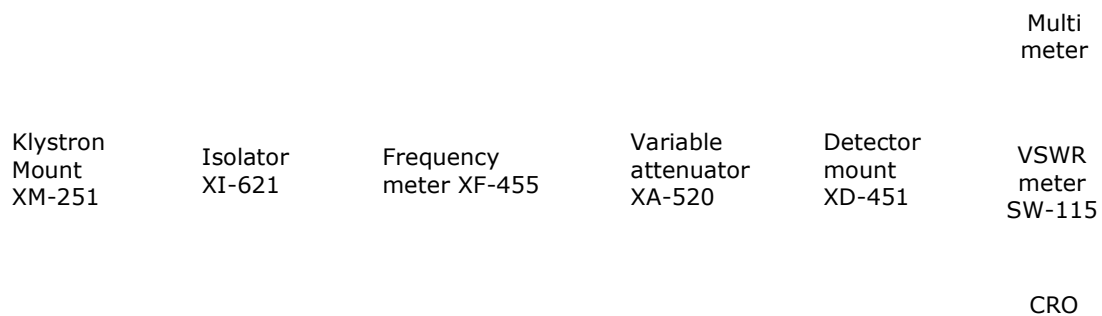
**AIM:** To study the mode characteristics of the reflex klystron tube and to determine its Electronic tuning range.

**Equipment Required:**

- Klystron power supply -- 610 }
- Klystron tube 2k-25 with klystron mount – {XM-251}
- 3. Isolator {X<sub>1</sub>-625}
- Frequency meter {XF-710}
- Detector mount {XD-451}
- Variable Attenuator {XA-520}
- Wave guide stand {XU-535}
- VSWR meter {SW-215}
- 9. Oscilloscope
- 10. BNC Cable

Block Diagram:

Klystron Power  
supply SKPS-610



**THEORY:** The reflex klystron is a single cavity variable frequency microwave generator of low power and low efficiency. This is most widely used in applications where variable frequency is desired as

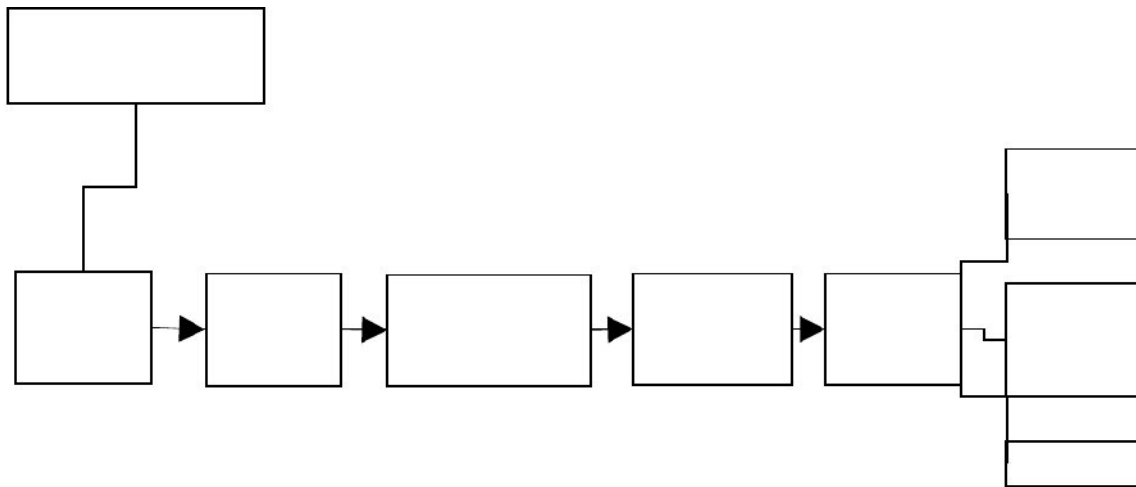
1. In radar receivers
2. Local oscillator in  $\mu$ w receivers
3. Signal source in micro wave generator of variable frequency
4. Portable micro wave links.
5. Pump oscillator in parametric amplifier

**Voltage Characteristics:** Oscillations can be obtained only for specific combinations of anode

and repeller voltages that gives farable transit time.

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**Power Output Characteristics:** The mode curves and frequency characteristics. The frequency of resonance of the cavity decides the frequency of oscillation. A variation in repeller voltages slightly changes the frequency.

#### **EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

##### **CARRIER WAVE OPERATION:**

1. Connect the equipments and components as shown in the figure.
2. Set the variable attenuator at maximum Position.
3. Set the MOD switch of Klystron Power Supply at CW position, beam voltage control knob to fully anti clock wise and repeller voltage control knob to fully clock wise and meter switch to 'OFF' position.
4. Rotate the Knob of frequency meter at one side fully.
5. Connect the DC microampere meter at detector.
6. Switch "ON" the Klystron power supply, CRO and cooling fan for the Klystron tube..
7. Put the meter switch to beam voltage position and rotate the beam voltage knob clockwise slowly up to 300 Volts and observe the beam current on the meter by changing meter switch to beam current position. The beam current should not increase more than 30 mA.
8. Change the repeller voltage slowly and watch the current meter, set the maximum voltage on CRO.
9. Tune the plunger of klystron mount for the maximum output.

Rotate the knob of frequency meter slowly and stop at that position, where there is less output current on multimeter. Read directly the frequency meter between two horizontal line and vertical marker. If micrometer type frequency meter is used read the micrometer reading and find the frequency from its frequency calibration chart.

Change the repeller voltage and read the current and frequency for each repeller voltage.

##### **B. SQUARE WAVE OPERATION:**

1. Connect the equipments and components as shown in figure
2. Set Micrometer of variable attenuator around some Position.

3. Set the range switch of VSWR meter at 40 db position, input selector switch to crystal impedance position, meter switch to narrow position.

4. Set Mod-selector switch to AM-MOD position .beam voltage control knob to fully anti clockwise position.

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5. Switch “ON” the klystron power Supply, VSWR meter, CRO and cooling fan.
6. Switch “ON” the beam voltage. Switch and rotate the beam voltage knob clockwise up to 300V in meter.
7. Keep the AM – MOD amplitude knob and AM – FREQ knob at the mid position.
8. Rotate the reflector voltage knob to get deflection in VSWR meter or square wave on CRO.
9. Rotate the AM – MOD amplitude knob to get the maximum output in VSWR meter or CRO.
10. Maximize the deflection with frequency knob to get the maximum output in VSWR meter or CRO.
11. If necessary, change the range switch of VSWR meter 30dB to 50dB if the deflection in VSWR meter is out of scale or less than normal scale respectively. Further the output can be also reduced by variable attenuator for setting the output for any particular position.

### **C. MODE STUDY ON OSCILLOSCOPE:**

1. Set up the components and equipments as shown in Fig.
2. Keep position of variable attenuator at min attenuation position.
3. Set mode selector switch to FM-MOD position FM amplitude and FM frequency knob at mid position keep beam voltage knob to fully anti clock wise and reflector voltage knob to fully clockwise position and beam switch to ‘OFF’ position.
4. Keep the time/division scale of oscilloscope around 100 HZ frequency measurement and volt/div. to lower scale.
5. Switch ‘ON’ the klystron power supply and oscilloscope.
6. Change the meter switch of klystron power supply to Beam voltage position and set beam voltage to 300V by beam voltage control knob.
7. Keep amplitude knob of FM modulator to max. Position and rotate the reflector voltage anti clock wise to get the modes as shown in figure on the oscilloscope. The horizontal axis represents reflector voltage axis and vertical represents o/p power.
8. By changing the reflector voltage and amplitude of FM modulation in any mode of klystron tube can be seen on oscilloscope.

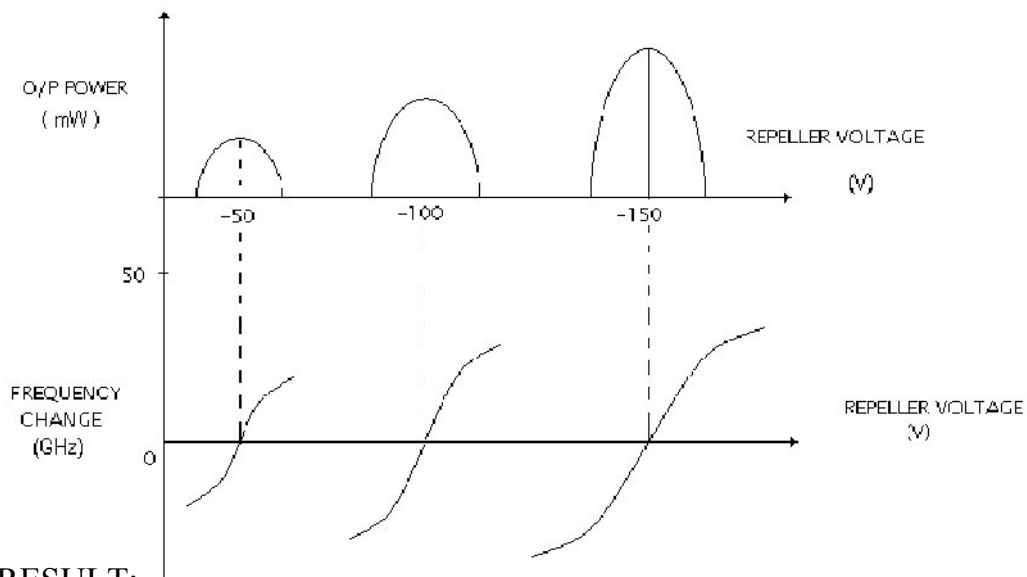
**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

Beam Voltage : ..... V (Constant)

Beam Current : ..... mA

| Repeller Voltage (V) | Current (mA) | Power (mW) | Dip Frequency (GHz) |
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**EXPECTED GRAPH:**



**RESULT:**



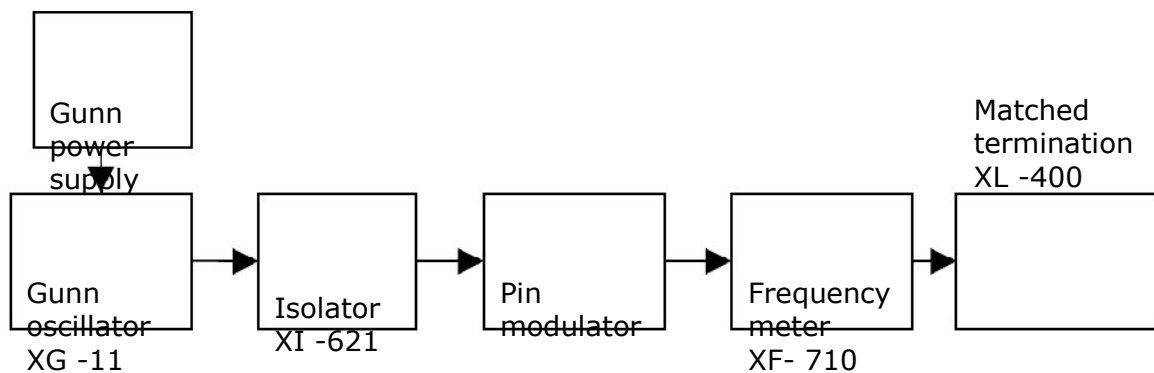
## Experiment 2. GUNN DIODE CHARACTERISTICS

**AIM:** To study the V-I characteristics of Gunn diode.

### EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

1. Gunn power supply
2. Gunn oscillator
3. PIN Modulator
4. Isolator
5. Frequency Meter
6. Variable attenuator
7. Slotted line
8. Detector mount and CRO.

### BLOCK DIAGRAM



**THEORY:** Gunn diode oscillator normally consist of a resonant cavity, an arrangement for coupling diode to the cavity a circuit for biasing the diode and a mechanism to couple the RF power from cavity to external circuit load. A co-axial cavity or a rectangular wave guide cavity is commonly used.

The circuit using co-axial cavity has the Gunn diode at one end at one end of cavity along with the central conductor of the co-axial line. The O/P is taken using an inductively or capacitively coupled probe. The length of the cavity determines the frequency of oscillation. The location of the coupling loop or probe within the resonator determines the load impedance presented to the Gunn diode. Heat sink conducts away the heat due to power dissipation of the device.

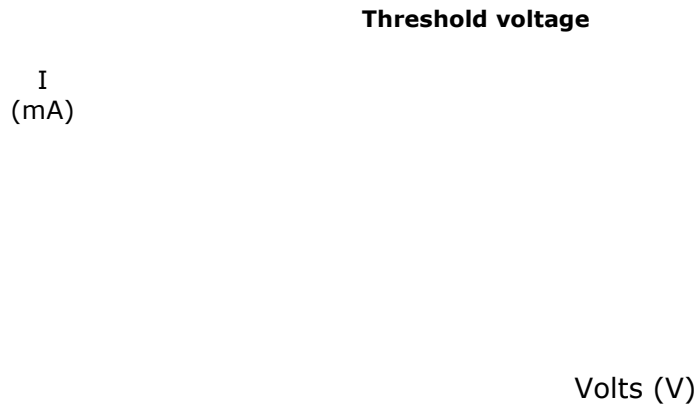
#### **EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

##### **Voltage-Current Characteristics:**

1. Set the components and equipments as shown in Figure.
2. Initially set the variable attenuator for minimum attenuation.
3. Keep the control knobs of Gunn power supply as below
  - Meter switch – “OFF”
  - Gunn bias knob – Fully anti clock wise
  - PIN bias knob – Fully anti clock wise
  - PIN mode frequency – any position
4. Set the micrometer of Gunn oscillator for required frequency of operation.
5. Switch “ON” the Gunn power supply.
6. Measure the Gunn diode current to corresponding to the various Gunn bias voltage through the digital panel meter and meter switch. Do not exceed the bias voltage above 10 volts.
7. Plot the voltage and current readings on the graph.
8. Measure the threshold voltage which corresponding to max current.

**Note:** Do not keep Gunn bias knob position at threshold position for more than 10-15 sec. readings should be obtained as fast as possible. Otherwise due to excessive heating Gunn diode may burn

**EXPECTED GRAPH:**



**I-V CHARACTERISTICS OF GUNN OSCILLATOR**

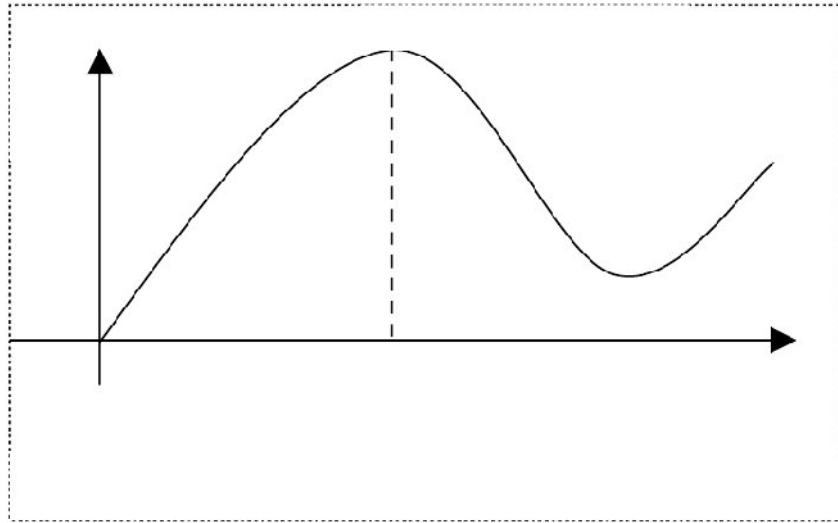
**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

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### **Experiment 3. ATTENUATION MEASUREMENT**

**AIM:** To study loss and attenuation measurement of attenuator.

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Microwave source Klystron tube (2k25)
2. Isolator (xI-621)
3. Frequency meter (xF-710)
4. Variable attenuator (XA-520)
5. Slotted line (XS-651)
6. Tunable probe (XP-655)
7. Detector mount (XD-451)
8. Matched termination (XL-400)
9. Test attenuator
  - a) Fixed
  - b) Variable
10. Klystron power supply & Klystron mount
11. Cooling fan
12. BNC-BNC cable
13. VSWR or CRO

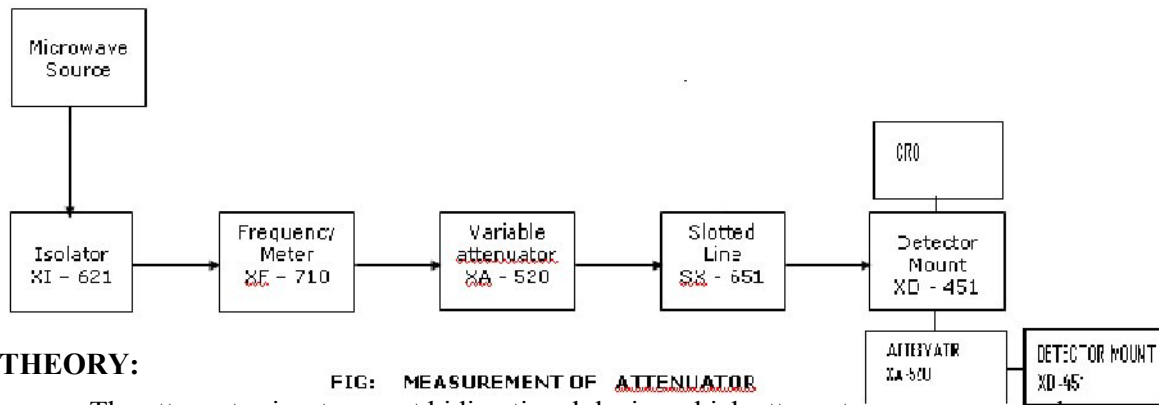
**BLOCK DIAGRAM****THEORY:**

FIG: MEASUREMENT OF ATTENUATOR

The attenuator is a two port bidirectional device which attenuates some power when inserted into a transmission line.

$$\text{Attenuation } A \text{ (dB)} = 10 \log (P_1/P_2)$$

Where  $P_1$  = Power detected by the load without the attenuator in the line

$P_2$  = Power detected by the load with the attenuator in the line.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Connect the equipments as shown in the above figure.
2. Energize the microwave source for maximum power at any frequency of operation
3. Connect the detector mount to the slotted line and tune the detector mount also for max deflection on VSWR or on CRO
4. Set any reference level on the VSWR meter or on CRO with the help of variable attenuator. Let it be  $P_1$ .
5. Carefully disconnect the detector mount from the slotted line without disturbing any position on the setup place the test variable attenuator to the slotted line and detector mount to O/P port of test variable attenuator. Keep the micrometer reading of text variable attenuator to zero and record the readings of VSWR meter or on CRO. Let it to be  $P_2$ . Then the insertion loss of test attenuator will be  $P_1-P_2$  db.
6. For measurement of attenuation of fixed and variable attenuator. Place the test attenuator to the slotted line and detector mount at the other port of test attenuator. Record the reading of

VSWR meter or on CRO. Let it be P3 then the attenuation value of variable attenuator for particular position of micrometer reading of will be P1-P3 db.

7. In case the variable attenuator change the micro meter reading and record the VSWR meter or CRO reading. Find out attenuation value for different position of micrometer reading and plot a graph.
8. Now change the operating frequency and all steps should be repeated for finding frequency sensitivity of fixed and variable attenuator.

**Note:1.** For measuring frequency sensitivity of variable attenuator the position of micrometer reading of the variable attenuator should be same for all frequencies of operation.

EXPECTED GRAPH:

**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

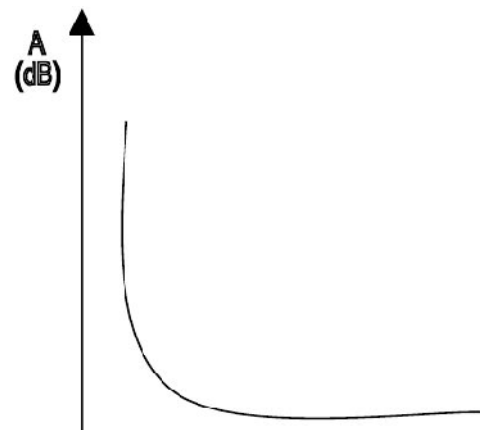
| Micrometer reading | P1<br>(dB) | P2<br>(dB) | Attenuation = P1-P2<br>(dB) |
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## Experiment 4. MEASUREMENT OF FREQUENCY AND WAVELENGTH

**AIM:** To determine the frequency and wavelength in a rectangular wave guide working in  $TE_{10}$  mode.

### EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

1. Klystron tube
2. Klystron power supply 5kps – 610
3. Klystron mount XM-251
4. Isolator XI-621
5. Frequency meter XF-710
6. Variable attenuator XA-520
7. Slotted section XS-651
8. Tunable probe XP-655
9. VSWR meter SW-115
10. Wave guide stand XU-535
11. Movable Short XT-481
12. Matched termination XL-400



### **BLOCK DIAGRAM**

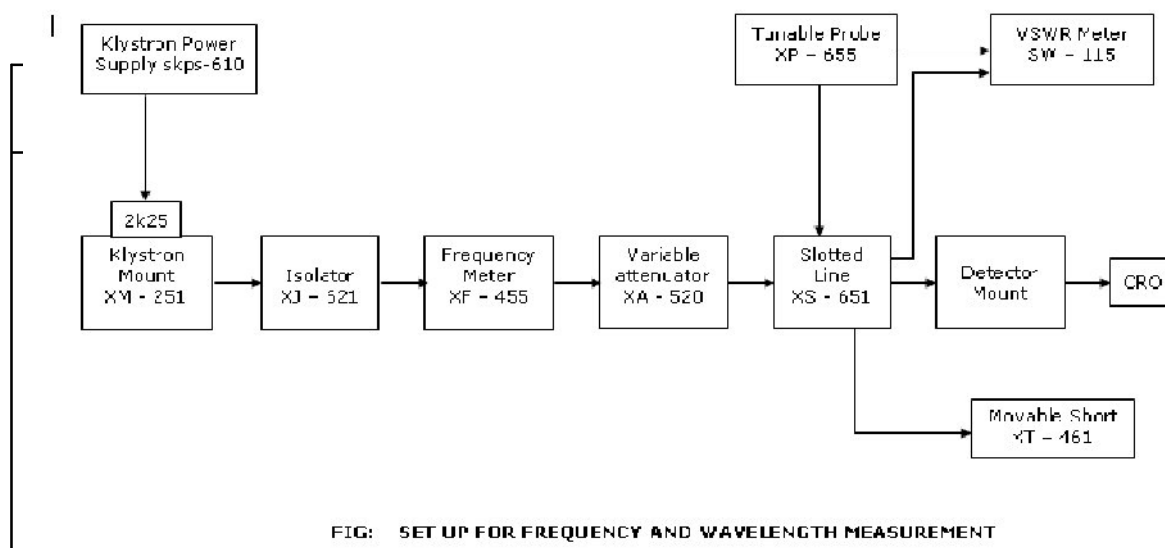


FIG: SET UP FOR FREQUENCY AND WAVELENGTH MEASUREMENT



**THEORY:**

The cut-off frequency relationship shows that the physical size of the wave guide will determine the propagation of the particular modes of specific orders determined by values of m and n. The minimum cut-off frequency is obtained for a rectangular wave guide having dimension  $a > b$ , for values of  $m=1, n=0$ , i.e.  $TE_{10}$  mode is the dominant mode since for  $TM_{mn}$  modes,  $n \neq 0$  or  $n=0$  the lowest-order mode possible is  $TE_{10}$ , called the dominant mode in a rectangular wave guide for  $a > b$ .

For dominant  $TE_{10}$  mode rectangular wave guide  $\lambda_0, \lambda_g$  and  $\lambda_c$  are related as below.

$$1/\lambda_0^2 = 1/\lambda_g^2 + 1/\lambda_c^2$$

Where  $\lambda_0$  is free space wave length

$\lambda_g$  is guide wave length

$\lambda_c$  is cut off wave length

For  $TE_{10}$  mode  $\lambda_c = 2a$  where 'a' is broad dimension of wave guide.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Set up the components and equipments as shown in figure.
2. Set up variable attenuator at minimum attenuation position.
3. Keep the control knobs of klystron power supply as below:
  - Beam voltage – OFF
  - Mod-switch – AM
  - Beam voltage knob – Fully anti clock wise
  - Repeller voltage – Fully clock wise
  - AM – Amplitude knob – Around fully clock wise
  - AM – Frequency knob – Around mid position
4. Switch 'ON' the klystron power supply, CRO and cooling fan switch.
5. Switch 'ON' the beam voltage switch and set beam voltage at 300V with help of beam voltage knob.
6. Adjust the repeller voltage to get the maximum amplitude in CRO
7. Maximize the amplitude with AM amplitude and frequency control knob of power supply.
8. Tune the plunger of klystron mount for maximum Amplitude.
9. Tune the repeller voltage knob for maximum Amplitude.
10. Tune the frequency meter knob to get a 'dip' on the CRO and note down the frequency from frequency meter.

11. Replace the termination with movable short, and detune the frequency meter
12. Move the probe along with slotted line. The amplitude in CRO will vary .Note and record the probe position , Let it be d1.
13. Move the probe to next minimum position and record the probe position again, Let it be d2.
14. Calculate the guide wave length as twice the distance between two successive minimum position obtained as above.
15. Measure the wave guide inner board dimension ‘a’ which will be around 22.86mm for x-band.
16. Calculate the frequency by following equation.

$$f = \frac{c}{\lambda} = \frac{c}{\lambda_g + \lambda_c}$$

Where C =  $3 \times 10^8$  meter/sec. i.e. velocity of light.

17. Verify with frequency obtained by frequency modes
18. Above experiment can be verified at different frequencies.

$$f_0 = C/\lambda_0 \Rightarrow C \Rightarrow 3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s (i.e., velocity of light)}$$

$$1/\lambda_0^2 = 1/\lambda_g^2 + 1/\lambda_c^2$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{\lambda_g \lambda_c}{\lambda_g + \lambda_c}$$

$$\lambda_g = 2 \times \Delta d$$

$$\text{For TE}_{10} \text{ mode} \Rightarrow \lambda_c = 2a$$

a  $\diamond$  wave guide inner broad dimension

$$a = 2.286 \text{ cm} \text{ (given in manual)}$$

$$\lambda_c = 4.6 \text{ cm}$$

**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

| d1<br>(cm) | d2<br>(cm) | d3<br>(cm) | d4<br>(cm) | $\Delta d1 =$<br>d2-d1<br>(cm) | $\Delta d2 =$<br>d3-d2<br>(cm) |
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## **Experiment 5. CHARACTERISTICS OF LED**

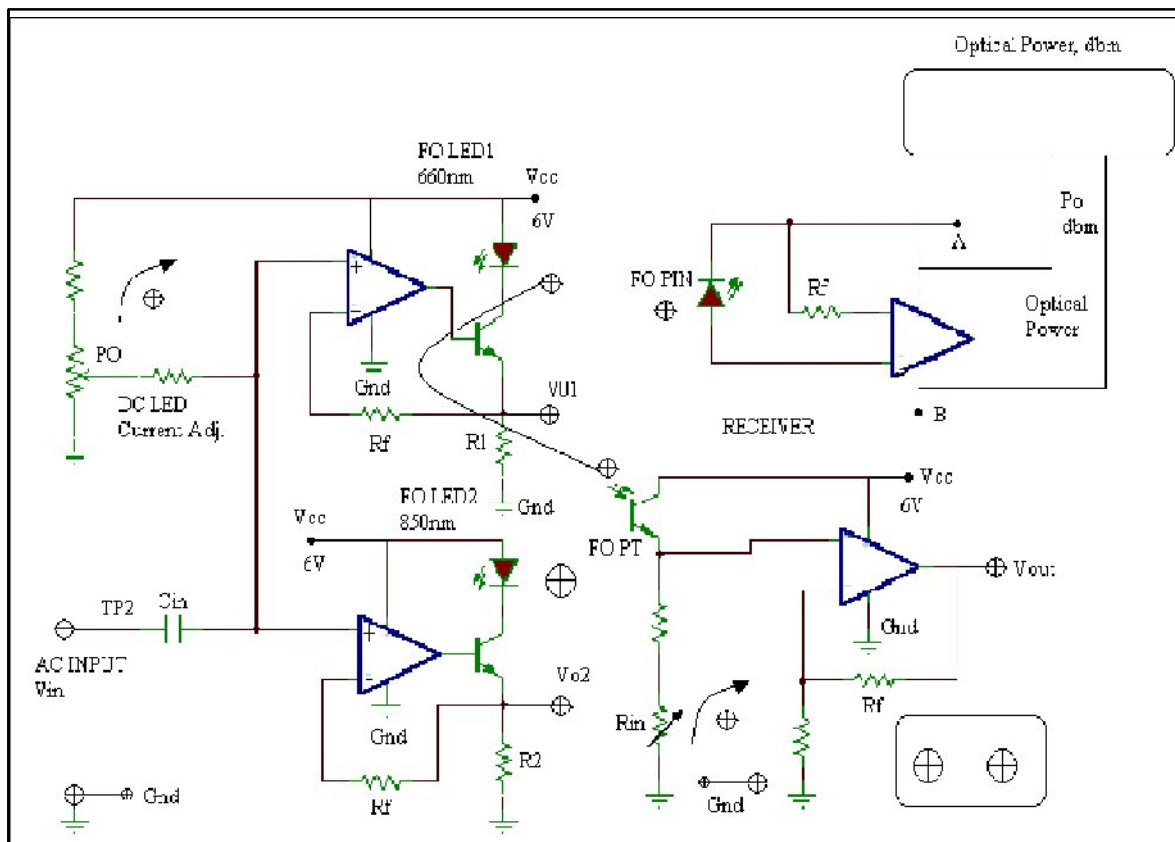
### **AIM:**

1. To study the relationship between the LED forward current and the LED optical power output.
2. To determine the linearity of the device at 660nm and 850nm.
3. To determine conversion efficiency of the two LED's

### **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Analog Fiber optic trainers (Tx and Rx)
2. Fiber optic links of 1m and 5m length.
3. Cathode Ray Oscilloscope
4. Digital multi-meter.

### **CIRCUIT DIAGRAM**



**THEORY:**

LED's and laser diodes are the commonly used sources in optical communication systems, whether the system transmits digital or analog signals. In the case of analog transmission, direct intensity modulation of the optical source is possible, provided the optical output from the source can be varied linearly as a function of the modulating electrical signal amplitude. LEDs have a linear optical output with relation to the forward current over a certain region of operation. It may be mentioned that in many low-cost and small band-width applications LEDs at 660nm and 850nm are popular. While direct intensity modulation is simple to realize, higher performance is achieved by FM modulation is simple to realize, higher performance is achieved by FM modulating the base band signal prior to intensity modulation.

FO pin has a 66% higher sensitivity at 850nm as compared to 660nm for the same input optical power. This corresponds to a sensitivity higher by 2.2 dB. Note that to calibrate the power meter at 850nm, deduct 2.2dB from the measured reading. In computing losses in cables and fibers this gets eliminated while solving the equations.

**EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

1. Connect circuit as shown in diagram. Connect one end of cable 1 (1m) to the FO LED 1 (660nm) port and end to the FO pin port(power supply).
2. Switch ON the power supply.
3. Adjust the potentiometer P0, So that the power meter reads -15.0 dBm.
4. Connect the digital Multi-meter at  $V_{01}$  terminal provided at FO LED 1 and measure voltage  $V_{01}$

$$I_{f1} = V_{01}/R_1 \text{ in mA}$$

Where  $I_{f1}$  = 660nm LED forward current.

$$R_1 = \text{Internal Resistance (100 Ohms)}$$

5. Adjust the Potentiometer P0 to the extreme anti-clock wise position to reduce  $I_{f1}$  to 0.
6. Slowly turn the potentiometer P0 clockwise to increase  $I_{f1}$ . The power meter should read -30.0 dB approximately. From here vary the pot P0 in suitable steps and note the  $V_{01}$  and note the power meter readings, P0 record up to the extreme clockwise position and note down the values in table.
7. Switch OFF the power supply.
8. Repeat the complete experiment for FO LED2 and tabulate the readings in table .for  $V_{02}$  & P0.

$$I_{f2} = V_{02}/R_2 \text{ in mA.}$$

(Apply the condition of 2.2dB discussed in Experiment for the 850nm LED)

Where  $I_{f2}$ =850nm LED forward current.

$R_2$ =Internal resistance (100 Ohms).



**OBSERVATION TABLE:****For 660nm:**

| S.NO | $V_{O1}$<br>(mV) | $I_{f1} = V_{O1}/100$<br>(mA) | $P_0$<br>(dBm) |
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**For 850nm:**

| S.NO | $V_{O2}$<br>(mV) | $I_{f2} = V_{O2}/100$<br>(mA) | $P_0$<br>(dBm) |
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**PRECAUTIONS:**

1. Avoid loose connections.
2. Avoid Parallax errors.

**RESULT:**

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## Experiment 6. LASER DIODE CHARACTERISTICS

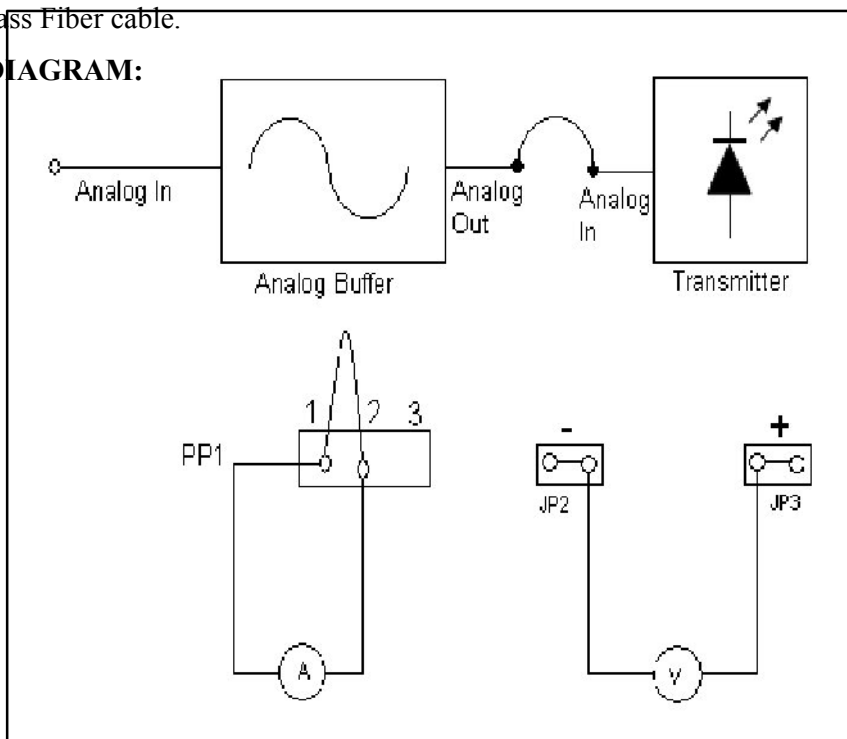
**AIM:** 1.Measurement of V-I characteristics of Laser diode.

2. Measurement of Lasing Threshold using Current versus Optical Power Characteristics.

### EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

1. Laser based Fiber Optic Trainer kit.
2. Patch cords
3. voltmeter
4. Ammeter
5. power supply
6. Glass Fiber cable.

### CIRCUIT DIAGRAM:



### THEORY:

\_\_\_\_\_The semiconductor junction laser is also called an injection laser because its pumping method is electron-hole injection in a p-n junction. The semiconductor that has been extensively used for junction is the Gallium Arsenide. The features of semiconductor lasers are i) Extreme mono chromaticity, ii) High directionality. Three basic transition process related to operation of

lasers are: 1. Absorption, 2. Spontaneous emission, 3. Stimulated emission. The starting material is an n-type GaAs doped with silicon in the range of  $2-4 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ . A p-type is grown on the wafer by the liquid-phase epitaxial process. The wafer is lapped to a thickness of  $75 \mu\text{m}$  and surfaces are metallized. The wafer is then cleaved into slivers. The next step is to evaporate a reflective coating onto one of the cleaved faces of the silver so that the laser can emit from only one facet.

### **EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

#### **Forward current Vs forward voltage:**

Confirm that the power switch is in OFF position and then connect it to the kit.

Make the jumper settings and connection as shown in the block diagram.

Insert the jumper connection in jumper JP<sub>1</sub>, JP<sub>2</sub>, JP<sub>3</sub> at position shown in the diagram.

Connect the Ammeter and voltmeter as shown in the block diagram.

Keep the potentiometer P<sub>5</sub> **anti- clock wise rotation is used to control intensity of**

Laser diode.

Connect external signal generator to ANALOG IN post of Analog buffer and apply sine wave frequency of 1MHz and 1V p-p.

Then connect ANALOG OUT post to ANALOG IN post Transmitter.

Then switch ON the power supply.

To get the V-I characteristics of laser diode rotate P<sub>5</sub> slowly and measure forward current and voltage respectively. Take number of and plot graph. When a forward voltage is applied to the laser current starts to pass at a certain threshold voltage. This is called threshold voltage.

### **PRECAUTIONS:**

1. Avoid loose connections.
2. Avoid Parallax errors.

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**EXPECTED GRAPH:**

I (mA)

V (v)

**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

| SL.NO | Current I<br>(mA) | Voltage V<br>(volt) | Optical Power<br>P=VI(mw) | Optical Power<br>(dbm) |
|-------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
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**CALCULATIONS:**

**Power in mW:**

$$P(\text{dbm}) = 10 \log \frac{P(\text{mW})}{1\text{mW}}$$

Example:  $P = -20\text{dBm}$

$$-20 = 10 \log \frac{P(\text{mW})}{1\text{mW}}$$

$$10^{-2} = \frac{P(\text{mW})}{1\text{mW}}$$

**Power in  $\infty$  W:**

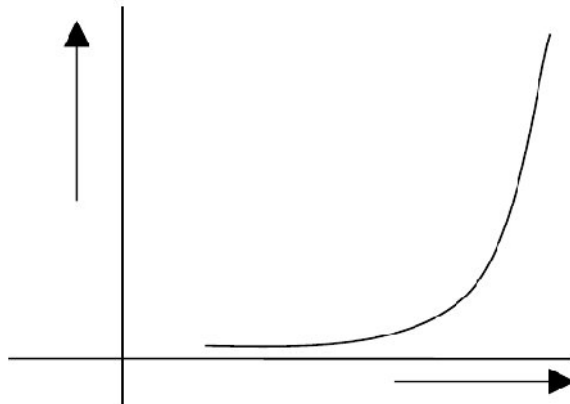
$$P(\text{dbm}) = -30 + 10 \log P(\infty \text{ W})$$

$$[P(\text{dBm}) + 30] / 10$$

$$P(\infty \text{ W}) = 10$$

$$P(\text{mW}) = 0.01\text{mW}$$

**RESULT:**



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## **Experiment 7. MEASUREMENT OF NUMERICAL APERTURE**

**AIM:** To determine the Numerical Aperture of the optical fibres available.

### **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

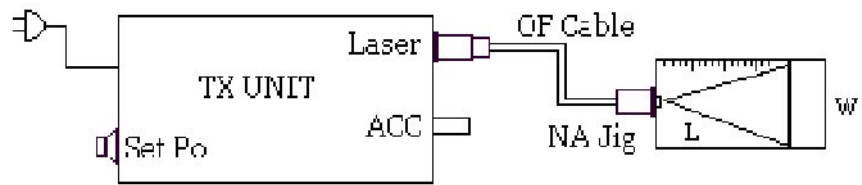
1. Laser Diode Design Module MTSFOL TX Unit 1.no.
2. Laser Diode Design Module MTSFOL RX Unit 1.no
3. Two meter PMMA Plastic Fiber Patch cord (cable 1).
4. Two meter GI/MM Glass Fiber Patch cord. (Cable 2).
5. In-Line SMA Adaptor.
6. Numerical Aperture measurement jig.
7. Mandrel.

### **BLOCK DIAGRAM:**

### **THEORY:**

Numerical aperture refers to the maximum angle at which the light incident on the fiber end is totally internally reflected and is transmitted properly along the fiber. The cone formed by the rotation of this angle along the axis of the fiber is the cone of acceptance of the fiber. The light ray should strike the fiber end within its cone of acceptance else it is refracted out of the fiber.





**PROCEDURE:**

- 1.) Connect one end of the PMMA FO cable to Po of MTSFOL TX Unit and the other end to the NA Jig, as shown.
- 2.) Plug the AC mains. Light should appear at the end of the fiber on the NA Jig . Turn the Set Po knob clockwise to set to maximum Po. The light intensity should increase.
- 3.) Hold the white scale –screen, provided in the kit vertically at a distance of 15mm (L) from the emitting fiber end and view the red spot on the screen. A dark room will facilitate good contrast. Position the screen-cum-scale to measure the diameter (W) of the spot. Choose the largest diameter.

Compute NA from the formula  $NA = \sin \Theta_{\max} = W / (4L^2 + W^2)^{1/2}$ . Tabulate the reading and repeat the experiment for 10mm, 20mm & 25mm distance.

- 4.) In case the fiber is under filled, the intensity within the spot may not be evenly distributed. To ensure even distribution of light in the fiber, first Remove twists on the fiber and then wind 5turns of the fiber on to the mandrel as shown. Use an adhesive tape to hold the windings in position. Now view the spot. The intensity will be more evenly distributed within the core.

**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

| S.NO | L<br>(mm) | W<br>(mm) | NA | $\Theta$<br>(degrees) |
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**RESULT:**

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## **Experiment 8. DIRECTIONAL COUPLER CHARACTERISTICS**

**AIM:** To study the function of multi-hole directional coupler by measuring the following parameters.

1. The Coupling factor, Insertion Loss and Directivity of the Directional coupler

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Microwave Source (Klystron or Gunn-Diode)
2. Isolator, Frequency Meter
3. Variable Attenuator
4. Slotted Line
5. Tunable Probe
6. Detector Mount Matched Termination
7. MHD Coupler
8. Waveguide Stand
9. Cables and Accessories
10. CRO.

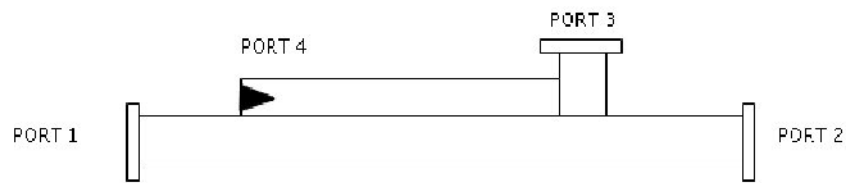


FIG. DIRECTIONAL COUPLER

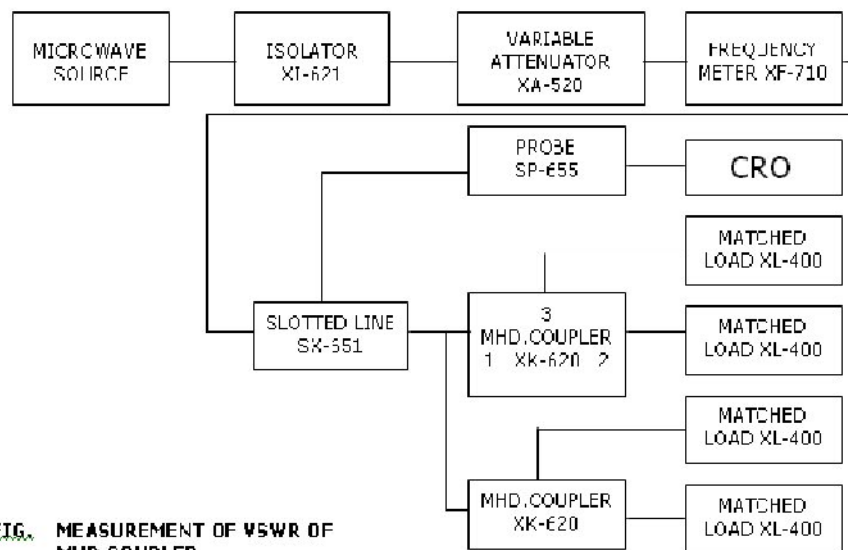


FIG. MEASUREMENT OF VSWR OF MHD.COUPLER

**THEORY:**

A directional coupler is a device with which it is possible to measure the incident and reflected wave separately. It consists of two transmission lines the main arm and auxiliary arm, electromagnetically coupled to each other. Refer to the Fig.1. The power entering, in the main-arm gets divided between port 2 and 3, and almost no power comes out in port (4). Power entering at port 2 is divided between port 1 and 4.

The coupling factor is defined as

Coupling (dB) =  $10 \log_{10} [P1/P3]$  where port 2 is terminated, Isolation (dB) =  $10 \log_{10} [P2/P3]$  where P1 is matched.

With built-in termination and power entering at Port 1, the directivity of the coupler is a measure of separation between incident wave and the reflected wave. Directivity is measured indirectly as follows:

Hence Directivity D (dB) = I-C =  $10 \log_{10} [P2/P1]$

Main line VSWR is SWR measured, looking into the main-line input terminal when the matched loads are placed at all other ports.

Auxiliary line VSWR is SWR measured in the auxiliary line looking into the output terminal when the matched loads are placed on other terminals.

Main line insertion loss is the attenuation introduced in the transmission line by insertion of coupler, it is defined as:

Insertion Loss (dB) =  $10 \log_{10} [P1/P2]$

**EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

1. Set up the equipments as shown in the Figure.
2. Energize the microwave source for particular operation of frequency .
3. Remove the multi hole directional coupler and connect the detector mount to the slotted section.
4. Set maximum amplitude in CRO with the help of variable attenuator, Let it be X.
5. Insert the directional coupler between the slotted line and detector mount. Keeping port 1 to slotted line, detector mount to the auxiliary port 3 and matched termination to port 2 without changing the position of variable attenuator.
6. Note down the amplitude using CRO, Let it be Y.
7. Calculate the Coupling factor X-Y in dB.

8. Now carefully disconnect the detector mount from the auxiliary port 3 and matched termination from port 2 , without disturbing the setup.

9. Connect the matched termination to the auxiliary port 3 and detector mount to port 2 and measure the amplitude on CRO, Let it be Z.
10. Compute Insertion Loss=  $X - Z$  in dB.
11. Repeat the steps from 1 to 4.
12. Connect the directional coupler in the reverse direction i.e., port 2 to slotted section, matched termination to port 1 and detector mount to port 3, without disturbing the position of the variable attenuator.
13. Measure and note down the amplitude using CRO, Let it be  $Y_0$ .
14. Compute the Directivity as  $Y - Y_0$  in dB.

**PRECAUTIONS:**

1. Avoid loose connections.
2. Avoid Parallax errors.

**RESULT:**





**Experiment 9. SCATTERING PARAMETERS OF MAGIC TEE**

**AIM:** To Study the operation of Magic Tee and calculate Coupling Co-efficient and Isolation.

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Microwave source : Klystron tube (2k25)
2. Isolator (XI-621)
3. Frequency meter (XF-710)
4. Variable Attenuator (XA-520)
5. Slotted line (SX-651)
6. Tunable probe (XP-655)
7. Detector Mount (XD-451)
8. Matched Termination (XL-400)
9. Magic Tee (XE-345/350)
10. Klystron Power Supply + Klystron Mount
11. Wave guide stands and accessories



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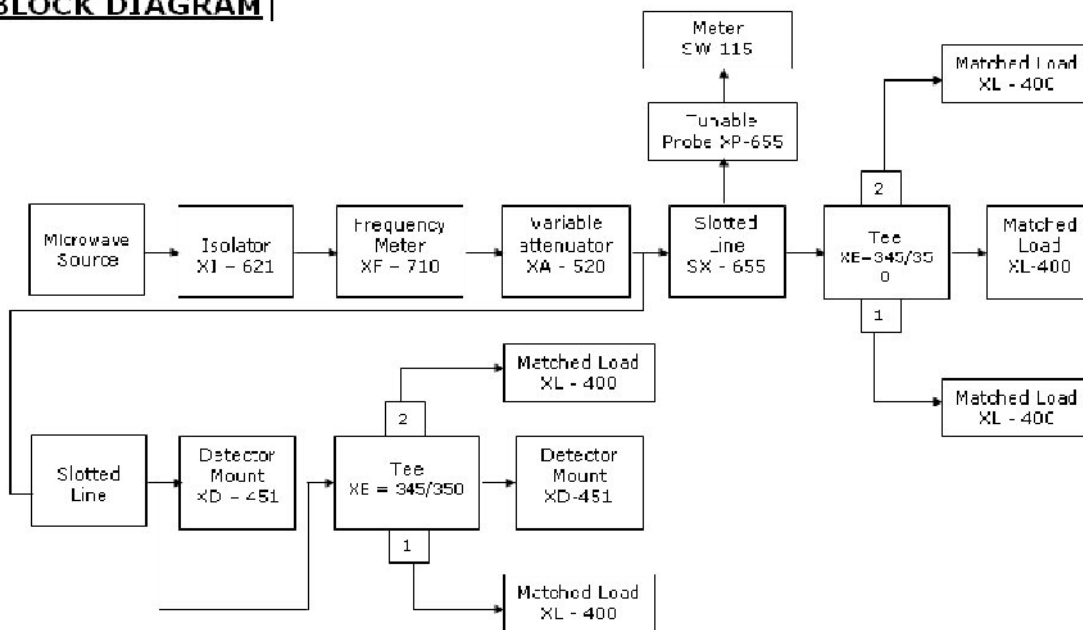


Fig: Magic Tee

**THEORY:**

The device Magic Tee is a combination of E and H plane Tee. Arm 3 is the H-arm and arm 4 is the E-arm. If the power is fed, into arm 3 (H-arm) the electric field divides equally between arm 1 and 2 with the same phase and no electric field exists in the arm 4. If power is fed in arm 4 (E-arm) it divides equally into arm 1 and 2 but out of phase with no power to arm 3, further, if the power is fed in arm 1 and 2 simultaneously it is added in arm 3 (H-arm) and it is subtracted in E-arm i.e., arm 4.

**A. Isolation:**

The Isolation between E and H arm is defined as the ratio of the power supplied by the generator connected to the E-arm (port 4) to the power detected at H-arm (port 3) when side arm 1 and 2 terminated in matched load.

$$\text{Isolation (dB)} = 10 \log_{10} [P_4/P_3]$$

Similarly, Isolation between other ports may be defined.

**B. Coupling Factor:**

It is defined as  $C_{ij} = 10^{-\alpha/20}$

Where  $\alpha$  is attenuation / isolation in dB when 'i' is input arm and 'j' is output arm.

$$\text{Thus, } \alpha = 10 \log_{10} [P_4/P_3]$$

Where P<sub>3</sub> is the power delivered to arm 'i' and P<sub>4</sub> is power detected at 'j' arm.

**EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:**

1. Setup the components and equipments as shown in figure.
2. Energize the microwave source for particular frequency of operation and tune the detector mount for maximum output.
3. With the help of variable frequency of operation and tune the detector mount for maximum output attenuator, set any reference in the CRO let it be  $V_3$ .
4. Without disturbing the position of the variable attenuator, carefully place the Magic Tee after the slotted line, keeping H-arm to slotted line, detector mount to E-arm and matched termination to Port-1 and Port-2.
5. Note down the amplitude using CRO, Let it be  $V_4$ .
6. Determine the Isolation between Port-3 and Port-4 as  $V_3-V_4$ .
7. Determine the coupling co-efficient from the equation given in theory part.
8. The same experiment may be repeated for other Ports also.

**OBSERVATIONS:**

| Ports | Powe |
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**Calculations:**

Coupling Co-efficient:

$$\alpha = 10 \log \frac{V}{V_3}$$

$$\text{Therefore } C = 10^{-\alpha/20}$$

## **Experiment 10. SCATTERING PARAMETERS OF CIRCULATOR**

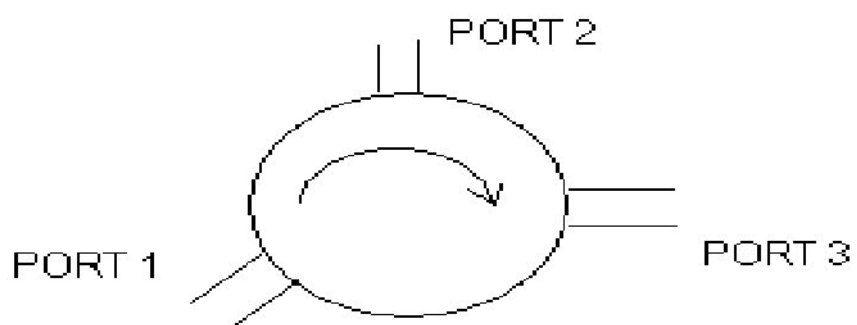
**AIM:** To study the Isolator and circulators and measure the Insertion Loss and Isolation of Circulator.

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Microwave Source (Klystron or Gunn-Diode)
2. Isolator, Frequency Meter
3. Variable Attenuator
4. Slotted Line
5. Tunable Probe
6. Detector Mount Matched Termination
7. Circulator
8. Waveguide Stand
9. Cables and Accessories
10. VSWR Meter.

**CIRCULATOR:**

Circulator is defined as device with ports arranged such that energy entering a port is coupled to an adjacent port but not coupled to the other ports. This is depicted in figure circulator can have any number of ports.





**ISOLATOR:**

An Isolator is a two-port device that transfers energy from input to output with little attenuation and from output to input with very high attenuation.

The isolator, shown in Fig. can be derived from a three-port circulator by simply placing a matched load (reflection less termination) on one port.

The important circulator and isolator parameters are:

**A. Insertion Loss**

Insertion Loss is the ratio of power detected at the output port to the power supplied by source to the input port, measured with other ports terminated in the matched Load. It is expressed in dB.

**B.**

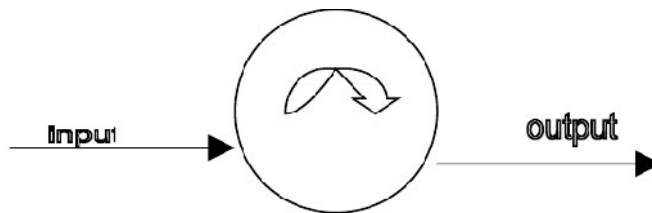
Isolation is the ratio of power applied to the output to that measured at the input. This ratio is expressed in db. The isolation of a circulator is measured with the third port terminated in a matched load.

**EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:****Measurement of insertion**

1. Remove the isolator or circulator from slotted line and connect the detector mount to the slotted section. The output of the detector mount should be connected with CRO.
2. Energize the microwave source for maximum output for a particular frequency of operation. Tune the detector mount for maximum output in the CRO.
3. Set any reference level of output in CRO with the help of variable attenuator, Let it be  $V_1$ .
4. Carefully remove the detector mount from slotted line without disturbing the position of the set up. Insert the isolator/circulator between slotted line and detector mount. Keep input port

to slotted line and detector its output port. A matched termination should be placed at third port in case of Circulator.

5. Record the output in CRO, Let it be  $V_2$ .



6. Compute Insertion loss given as  $V_1-V_2$  in db.

**Measurement of Isolation:**

7. For measurement of isolation, the isolator or circulator has to be connected in reverse i.e. output port to slotted line and detector to input port with other port terminated by matched termination (for circulator).

8. Record the output of and let it be  $V_3$ .

9. Compute Isolation as  $V_1-V_3$  in db.

10. The same experiment can be done for other ports of circulator.

11. Repeat the above experiment for other frequency if needed.

**PRECAUTIONS:**

1. Avoid loose connections.
2. Avoid Parallax errors.

**RESULT:**

**Experiment 11. VSWR MEASUREMENT**

**AIM:** To determine the standing-wave ratio and reflection coefficient.

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Klystron tube (2k25)
2. Klystron power supply (skps - 610)
3. VSWR meter (SW 115)
4. Klystron mount (XM – 251)
5. Isolator (XF 621)
6. Frequency meter (XF 710)
7. Variable attenuator (XA – 520)
8. Slotted line (X 565)
9. Wave guide stand (XU 535)
10. Movable short/termination XL 400
11. BNC CableS-S Tuner (XT – 441)

**THEORY:** Any mismatched load leads to reflected waves resulting in standing waves along the length the line. The ratio maximum to minimum voltage gives the VSWR. Hence minimum value of S is unity. If  $S < 10$  then VSWR is called low VSWR. If  $S > 10$  then VSWR is called high VSWR. The VSWR values more than 10 are very easily measured with this setup. It

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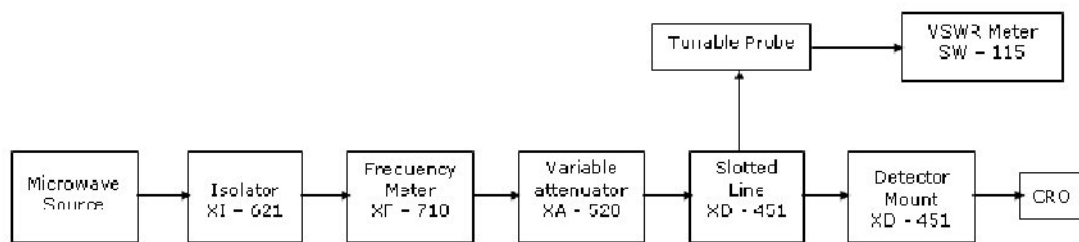


FIG: SET UP FOR LOW VSWR MEASUREMENT

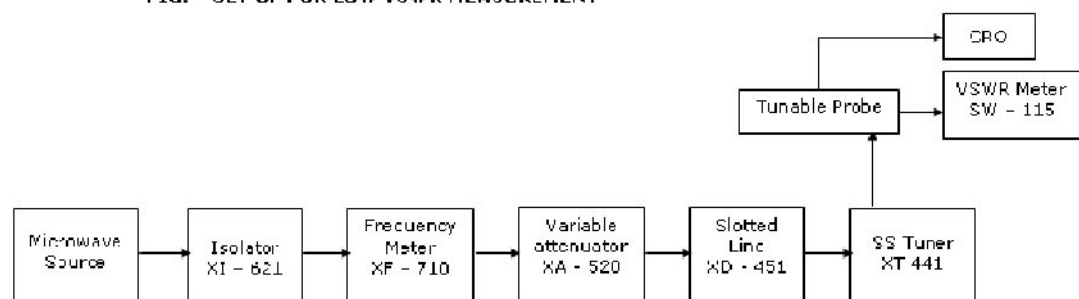


FIG: SET UP FOR HIGH VSWR MEASUREMENT

can be read off directly on the VSWR meter calibrated. The measurement involves simply adjusting the attenuator to give an adequate reading on the meter which is a D.C. mill volt meter. The probe on the slotted wave guide is moved to get maximum reading on the meter. The attenuation is now adjusted to get full scale reading. Next the probe on the slotted line is adjusted to get minimum, reading on the meter. The ratio of first reading to the second gives the VSWR. The meter itself can be calibrated in terms of VSWR. Double minimum method is used to measure VSWR greater than 10. In this method, the probe is inserted to a depth where the minimum can be read without difficulty. The probe is then moved to a point where the power is twice the minimum.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Set up equipment as shown in figure.
2. Keep variable attenuator in minimum attenuation position.
3. Keep control knobs of VSWR meter as below
  - Range dB = 40db / 50db
  - Input switch = low impedance
  - Meter switch = Normal
  - Gain (coarse fine) = Mid position approximately
4. Keep control knobs of klystron power supply as below.
  - Beam Voltage = OFF
  - Mod-Switch = AM
  - Beam Voltage Knob = fully anti clock wise
  - Reflection voltage knob = fully clock wise
  - AM-Amplitude knob = around fully clock wise
  - AM frequency and amplitude knob = mid position
5. Switch 'ON' the klystron power supply, VSWR meter and cooling fan.
6. Switch 'ON' the beam voltage switch position and set (down) beam voltage at 300V.
7. Rotate the reflector voltage knob to get deflection in VSWR meter.
8. Tune the O/P by turning the reflector voltage, amplitude and frequency of AM modulation.
9. Tune plunges of klystron mount and probe for maximum deflection in VSWR meter.
10. If required, change the range db-switch variable attenuator position and (given) gain control knob to get deflection in the scale of VSWR meter.

11. As your move probe along the slotted line, the deflection will change.

**A. Measurement of low and medium VSWR:**

1. Move the probe along the slotted line to get maximum deflection in VSWR meter.
2. Adjust the VSWR meter gain control knob or variable attenuator until the meter indicates 1.0 on normal VSWR scale.
3. Keep all the control knob as it is move the probe to next minimum position. Read the VSWR on scale.
4. Repeat the above step for change of S-S tuner probe depth and record the corresponding SWR.
5. If the VSWR is between 3.2 and 10, change the range 0dB switch to next higher position and read the VSWR on second VSWR scale of 3 to 10.

**B. of High VSWR: (double minimum method)**

1. Set the depth of S-S tuner slightly more for maximum VSWR.
2. Move the probe along with slotted line until a minimum is indicated.
3. Adjust the VSWR meter gain control knob and variable attenuator to obtain a reading of 3db in the normal dB scale (0 to 10db) of VSWR meter.
4. Move the probe to the left on slotted line until full scale deflection is obtained on 0-10 db scale. Note and record the probe position on slotted line. Let it be d1.
5. Repeat the step 3 and then the probe right along the slotted line until full scale deflection is obtained on 0-10db normal db scale. it be d2.
6. Replace S-S tuner and termination by movable short.
7. Measure distance between 2 successive minima positions of probe. Twice this distance is guide wave length  $\lambda_g$ .
8. Compute SWR from following equation

$$\text{SWR} = \frac{\lambda_g}{2(d_1 - d_2)}$$



**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

LOW VSWR

VSWR = \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH VSWR

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| Beam Voltage (v) | x <sub>1</sub><br>(cm) | x <sub>2</sub><br>(cm) | x <sub>1</sub><br>(cm) | x <sub>2</sub><br>(cm) | Avg (x <sub>1</sub> -x <sub>2</sub> ) = x<br>(cm) | λ <sub>g</sub> =2x<br>(cm) |
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|            | λ <sub>g</sub> = 6cm |               |                                   |  |
| d1<br>(cm) | d2<br>(cm)           | d1-d2<br>(cm) | VSWR = λ <sub>g</sub> / □ (d1-d2) |  |

**RESULT: .**

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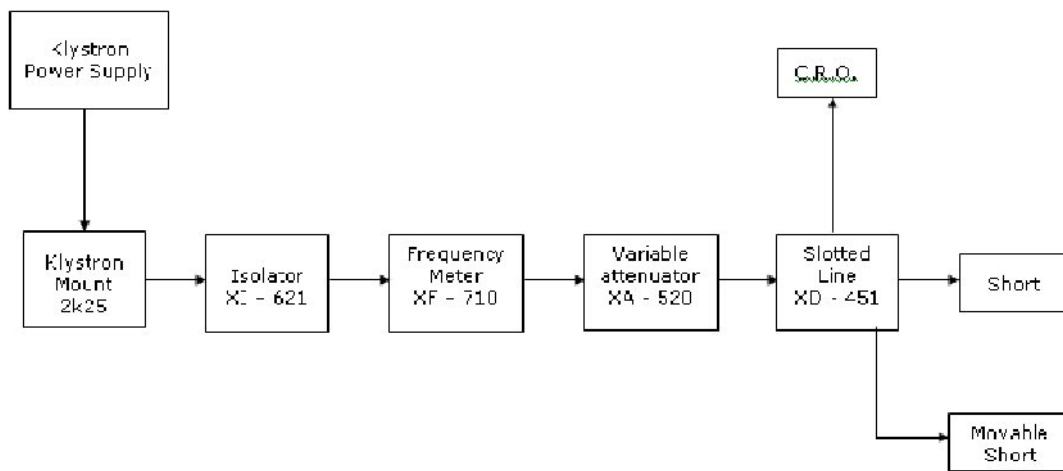
**Experiment 12. IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENT USING REFLEX KLYSTRON**

**AIM:** To measure an unknown impedance using the smith chart.

**EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Klystron tube 2k25
2. Klystron power supply Skps-610
3. Klystron mount XM-251
4. Isolator XF 62
5. Frequency meter XF 710
6. Variable attenuator XA – 520
7. Slotted line XS 565
8. Tunable probe XP 655
9. VSWR meter
10. Wave guide stand SU 535
11. S-S tuner (XT 441)
12. Movable short/termination

**BLOCK DIAGRAM**



**FIG: SET UP FOR IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENT**

**THEORY:**

The impedance at any point on a transmission line can be written in the form  $R+jx$ .

For comparison SWR can be calculated as

$$S = \frac{1 + R}{1 - R} \quad \text{where reflection coefficient 'R'}$$

Given as

$$R = \frac{Z - Z_0}{Z + Z_0}$$

$Z_0$  = characteristics impedance of wave guide at operating frequency.

$Z$  is the load impedance

The measurement is performed in the following way.

The unknown device is connected to the slotted line and the position of one minima is determined. The unknown device is replaced by movable short to the slotted line. Two successive minima positions are noted. The twice of the difference between minima position will be guide wave length. One of the minima is used as reference for impedance measurement. Find the difference of reference minima and minima position obtained from unknown load. Let it be 'd'. Take a smith chart, taking '1' as centre, draw a circle of radius equal to  $S$ . Mark a point on circumference of smith chart towards load side at a distance equal to  $d/\lambda_g$ .

Join the center with this point. Find the point where it cut the drawn circle. The coordinates of this point will show the normalized impedance of load.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Calculate a set of  $V_{min}$  values for short or movable short as load.
2. Calculate a set of  $V_{min}$  values for S-S Tuner + Matched termination as a load.

**Note:** Move more steps on S-S Tuner

3. From the above 2 steps calculate  $d = d_1 - d_2$
4. With the same setup as in step 2 but with few numbers of turns (2 or 3). Calculate low VSWR.

**Note:** High VSWR can also be calculated but it results in a complex procedure.

5. Draw a VSWR circle on a smith chart.

6. Draw a line from center of circle to impedance value ( $d/\lambda_g$ ) from which calculate admittance and Reactance ( $Z = R+jx$ )



**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

Load (short or movable short)

|      |      |      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| X1   | X2   | X1   | X2   | X1   | X2   |
| (cm) | (cm) | (cm) | (cm) | (cm) | (cm) |

$x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\lambda_g = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Load (S.S. Tuner + Matched Termination)

S.S Tuner + Matched Termination Short or Movable Short

$d1 = , d2 =$

$d = d1 \sim d2 =$

$Z = d/\lambda_g =$

**RESULT;.**

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### **Experiment 13. LOSSES IN OPTICAL FIBRES AT 660nm & 850nm**

#### **AIM:**

1. To study the various types of losses in Optical Fiber.
2. To measure the bending losses in the Optical Fiber at wave length of 660nm & 850nm.
3. To measure the propagation or attenuation loss in Optical Fiber at wave length of 660nm & 850nm.

#### **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. Analog Fiber optic trainer.
2. Fiber optic links of 1m and 5m length.  
    Inline SMA Adopter.
4. 20MHz CRO
5. Digital Multi-meter.

#### **THEORY:**

Fiber optic links can be used for transmission of digital as well as analog signals. Basically a fiber optic link contains three main elements, a transmitter, an optical fiber and a receiver. The transmitter module takes the input signal in electrical and then transforms it into optical energy containing the same information. The optical fiber is the medium which takes the energy to the receiver. At the receiver light is converted back into electrical form with same pattern as originally fed to the transmitter.

Attenuation in an optical fiber is a result of number of effects. We will confine our studies to measurement of attenuation in two fiber cables (cable 1m and cable 2 5m) employing an SMA-SMA in-line adopter. We will also compute loss per meter of fiber in dB and the spectral response of fiber at two wave lengths 660nm and 850nm.

FO pin has a 66% higher sensitivity at 850nm as compared to 660nm for the same input optical power. This corresponds to sensitivity higher by 2.2 dB. Note that to calibrate the power meter at 850nm, deduct 2.2dB from the measured reading. In computing losses in cables and fibers this gets eliminated while solving the equations.

Due to difference in alignment at different connectors, in each of the removal and replacement operation, we experience variations in loss. The observed values will be closer to the true values, if we take the average of many readings. The attenuation coefficient of approx. 0.3db per meter at 660nm is normally well defined, as per the specifications of the manufacturer.

Deviation in any, will be value of loss in the in-line adaptor (1.0dB) may be off the mark in

some cases. The loss per meter of cable at 850nm is not specified by the manufacturer. The range of loss  $3.5 \pm 0.5$  dB is acceptable

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**EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURE:****Measurement of Bending Loss:**

1. Connect the circuit as shown in diagram.
2. Connect one end of cable 1 (1meter) to the FO LED1 (660nm) and the other end to the FO PIN.
3. Switch ON the power supply.
4. Set the potentiometer  $P_0$  to set the power meter to a suitable value, say-15.0dBm. Note down this as  $P_{01}$ .
5. Wind one turn of the fiber cable on the mandrel or on the circular type material and note down the new reading of the power meter as  $P_{02}$ .
6. Switch OFF the power supply.
7. Now the loss due to bending and strain on the plastic fiber is  $P_{02}-P_{01}$  dB. Typically the loss due to the strain and bending the fibre is 0.3 to 0.8dB.
8. Repeat the experiment for the LED of 850nm wave length.
9. Now compare the bending loss in the Optical Fiber at 660nm& 850nm.

**Measurement of Propagation Loss:**

1. Repeat the above steps 1 to 3.
2. Now connect the one end of the Fiber optic cable of length 5m to the FO LED1 and other end to the FO PIN.
3. Note down the power meter reading  $P_{02}$ .
4. Connect the SMA adapter to the two cables of 1m and 5m length in series.
5. Note down the power meter reading  $P_{03}$ .

Note down all the above calculated readings in the table for 660nm LED.

7. Switch OFF the power Supply.
8. Loss in cable 1= $P_{03} - P_{02} - L_{ila}$   
Loss in cable 2= $P_{03} - P_{01} - L_{ila}$
9. in 4 m fiber cable= (Loss in cable 2) - ( Loss in cable1)  
Where  $L_{ila}$ = Loss in in-line adapter
10. Assuming a loss of 1.0dB in the in-line adapter ( $L_{ila}=1.0\text{dB}$ ), we obtain the Loss in each cable. The difference in the losses in the two cables will be equal to the loss in 4m of fiber (assuming that the losses at connector junctions are the same for both the cables).

10. Repeat the entire experiment with LED2 at 850nm and tabulate in table.

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**OBSERVATION TABLE:**

For 660nm

| S.NO | P <sub>01</sub><br>(dBm) | P <sub>02</sub><br>(dBm) | P <sub>03</sub><br>(dBm) | LOSS IN<br>CABLE 1<br>(dB) | LOSS IN<br>CABLE 2<br>(dB) | Loss in<br>4m fiber | Loss per<br>Meter(dB)<br>At 850nm |
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For 850nm

| S.NO | P <sub>01</sub><br>(dBm) | P <sub>02</sub><br>(dBm) | P <sub>03</sub><br>(dBm) | LOSS IN<br>CABLE 1<br>(dB) | LOSS IN<br>CABLE 2<br>(dB) | Loss in<br>4m fiber | Loss per<br>Meter(dB)<br>At 850nm |
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**Experiment 14. INTENSITY MODULATION SYSTEM OF A LASER DIODE**

**AIM:** The main aim of the experiment is to study the following ac characteristics of an intensity modulation laser and optics systems.

1.  $V_{in(ac)}$  Vs  $V_{out}$  for fixed carrier  $P_o$  and signal frequency  $f_o$
2.  $V_{in max}$  Vs  $P_o$  for known distortion free  $V_{out}$  at fixed  $f_o$ .

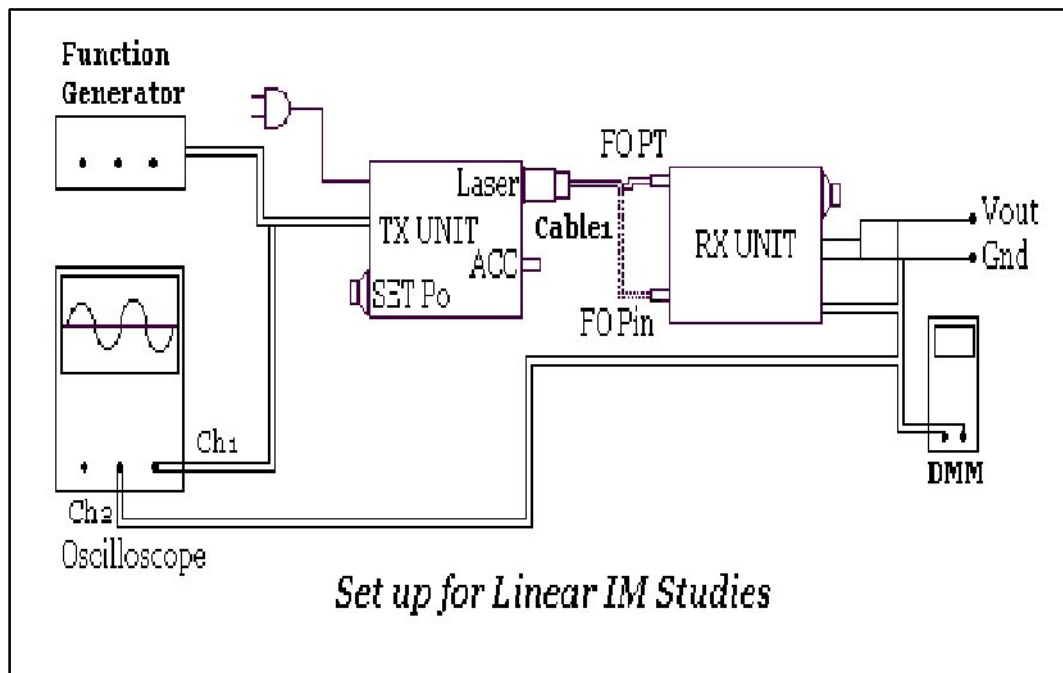
**EQUIPMENTS REQUIRED:**

1. Laser Diode Design Module MTSFOL TX Unit 1.no.
2. Laser Diode Design Module MTSFOL RX Unit 1.no
3. Two meter PMMA Plastic Fiber Patch cord (cable 1).
4. Two meter GI/MM Glass Fiber Patch cord. (Cable 2).
5. In-Line SMA Adaptor.
6. Numerical Aperture measurement jig.
7. Mandrel.

**EXPERIMENTAL SET UP:****PROCEDURE:**

1. Connect one end of the PMMA FO cable (cable 1) to the laser port on the TX Unit the

other end is first connected to FO pin (on Rx Unit) to set the carrier power level of the laser. Then it is removed and given to FO PT (Rx Unit) to study the response of the IM system.





2. Set DMM to the 2000mV range and connect it to  $P_o$ .

$$P_o = (\text{Reading})/10\text{dBm.}$$

On the Tx Unit, connect  $V_{in}$  to a function generator (10Hz to 500kHz sine wave output, 10mV to 2000mV p-p output) The black terminal is ground. Give the function generator output to CH1, as shown below.

3. On the Rx Unit, connect  $V_{out}$  to CH2 of the dual trace oscilloscope. Connect the Black terminal to ground.
4. With the PMMA FO cable connected to the power meter, adjust the SET PO knob to set the optical carrier power  $P_o$  to a suitable level say, -13dBm. Next disconnect the cable from the power meter and connect to FO PT.
5. Set signal frequency and to 2 and respectively. Observe the transmitted and received signals on the oscilloscope. Set  $R_{in}$  suitably to get  $V_{out} = V_{in}$  or a known gain. The most preferred setting is the extreme anticlockwise position where  $R_{in}$  (minimum) = 51ohms. The system gain is now set. Next vary  $V_{in}$  in suitable steps from 10mV to 1000mVp-p and note the values of  $V_{out}$ . Tabulate and plot a graph  $V_{out}$  Vs  $V_{in}$ .
6. Set signal frequency to 2 kHz and  $P_o$  to -25.0dBm. Disconnect  $V_{in}$  before  $P_o$  measurement. Adjust  $V_{in}$  to its maximum value for distortion free  $V_{out}$ . Note the values of  $V_{in}$  and  $V_{out}$ . Repeat this for other values of  $P_o$  and record change in gain if any. You may additionally observe the waveforms in the oscilloscope dc coupled position too.

#### TABULAR FORM:

$V_{out}$  Vs  $V_{in}$

Frequency = 2kHz; Carrier level  $P_o = -13.0\text{dBm}$  initial gain = min/unity.

| Sl.no | $V_{in}$ (mVp-p) | $V_{out}$ (mVp-p) | Gain= $V_o/V_{in}$ |
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**TABULAR FORM:**

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Vin max Vs Po

| S.NO | Po(dBm) | Vin(mVp-p) | Vout (mVp-p) | Gain=Vo/Vin |
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## **Experiment 15. DESIGN OF FIBER OPTIC DIGITAL LINK FOR TRANSMISSION OF DIGITAL SIGNALS**

**AIM:** The objective of this experiment is to study a Fiber optic digital link. In this experiment you will study the relation between the input signals & Received signals.

### **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

1. DL-01 Transmitter & receiver.
2. power supply
3. 20MHz Dual Channel Oscilloscope
4. 1MHz Function Generator
5. 1 meter Fiber Cable

### **Experimental Set up:**

### **THEORY:**

Optical fibres may be produced with good stable transmission characteristics in long lengths at a minimum cost and with maximum reproducibility. A range of optical fibres types with regard to size, refractive indices and index profiles, operating wave lengths, materials, etc., be available in order to fulfill many different system applications.

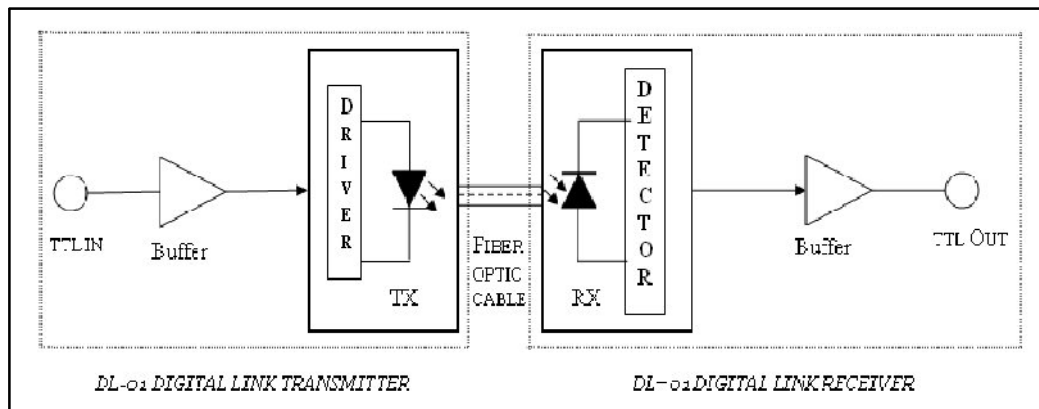
The fibres may be converted into practical cables which can be handled in a similar manner to conventional electrical transmission cables without problems associated with the degradation of their characteristics or damage. The fibres and fibre cables may be terminated and connected together without excessive practical difficulties and in ways which limit the effect of

this process on the fibre transmission characteristics to keep them within acceptable operating

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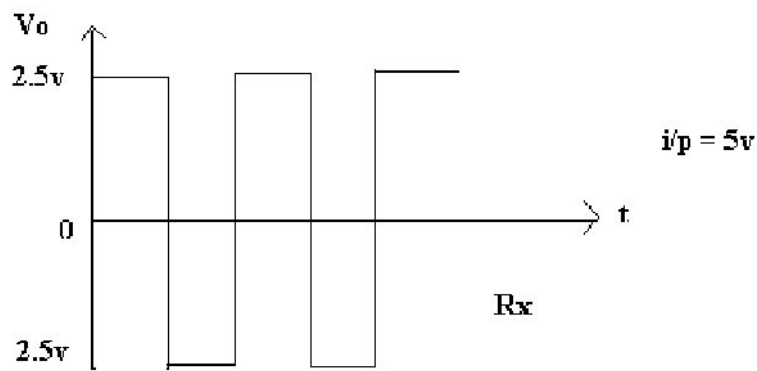
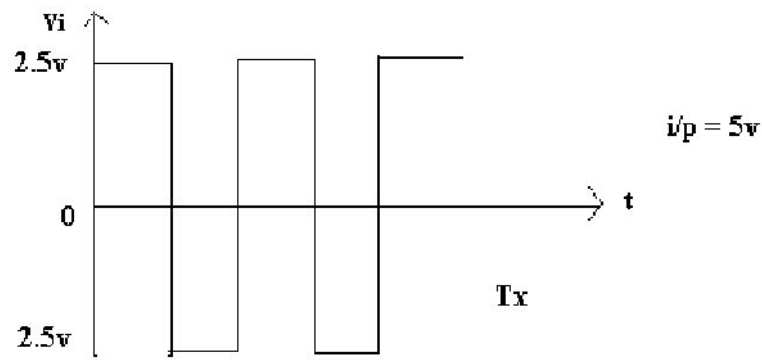
levels. It is important that these jointing techniques may be applied with ease in the field locations where cable connection takes place.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Slightly unscrew the cap of SFH 756V(660nm) .Do not remove the cap from the connector. Once the cap is loosened, insert the fiber into the cap. Now tight the cap by screwing it back.
2. Connect the power supply cables with proper polarity to kit. While connecting this, ensure that the power supply is OFF. Now switch ON the power supply.
3. Feed the TTL signal of about 1KHz square wave, to IN post of buffer section.
4. Connect the other end of Fiber to detector SFH 551v very carefully as per the instructions in step.1
5. Observe the received signal on CRO as O/P post.
6. To measure the digital bandwidth of the link, vary the frequency of the input from 100Hz on wards and observe the effect on received signal.

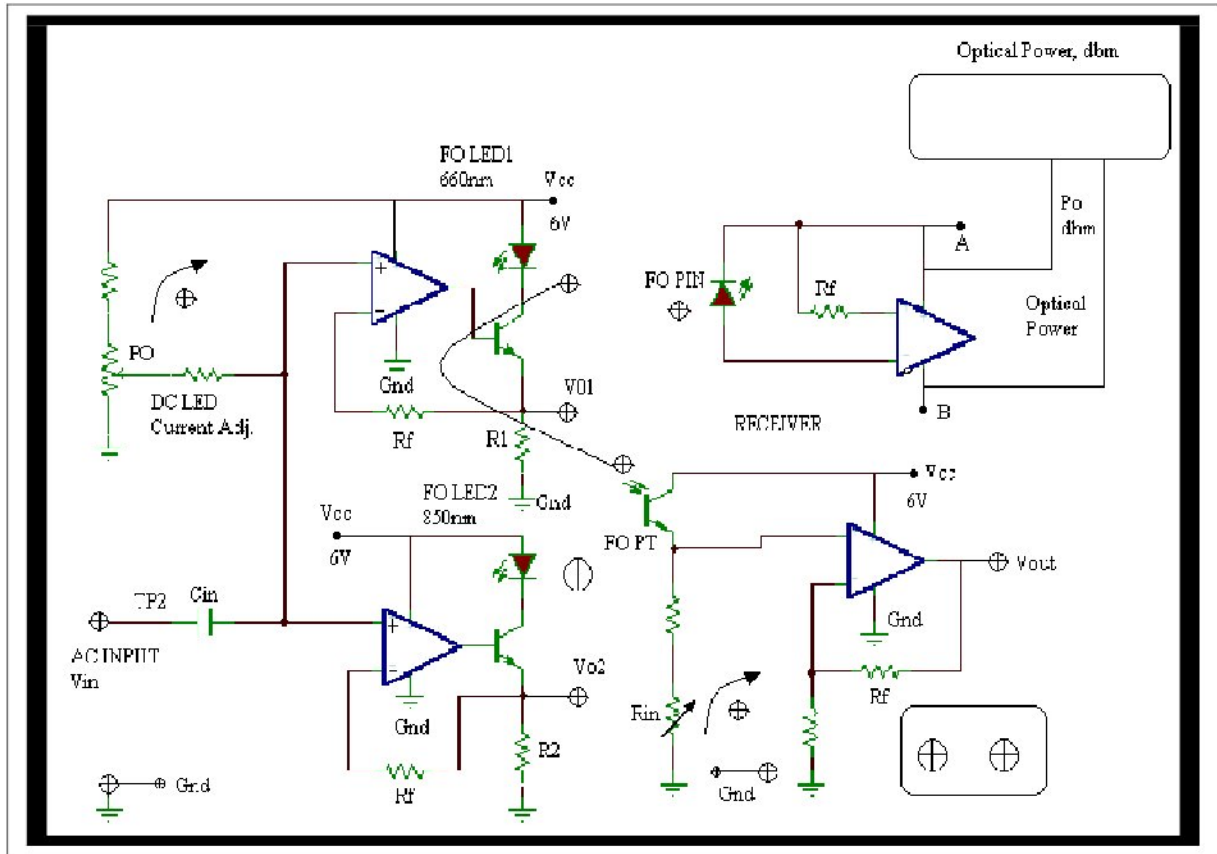
**EXPECTED GRAPH:**

**RESULT**









*Fig.Losses in Cable*

