



ECE 1229H1S: ADVANCED ANTENNA THEORY

DESCRIPTION: This course deals with the analysis and design of a range of antennas. Topics addressed include: definitions of antenna parameters; vector potentials; solutions to the inhomogeneous wave equation; principles of duality and reciprocity; wire antennas; antenna arrays; phased arrays; synthesis techniques for discrete and continuous line sources; integral equations and solutions using the method of moments; field equivalence principle; aperture antennas; antenna measurement techniques; diffraction; horn antennas; reflector antennas; and microstrip antennas.

PREREQUISITES: ECE320 or ECE357 plus one electromagnetics-related course at the 400 level or higher (senior level).

COURSE WEBSITE: via Blackboard (portal.utoronto.ca)

LECTURES: Wed 13:00-14:30 (BA4164)
Thu 13:00-14:30 (SF2104)

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MARK COMPOSITION

Assignments	25%
Project	25%
Final	50%

REFERENCE MATERIALS

- C. A. Balanis, *Antenna Theory*, 3rd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, 2005 [required].
- W. L. Stutzman and G. A. Thiele, *Antenna Theory and Design*, 2nd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, 1997 [recommended].
- S. N. Makarov, *Antenna and EM Modeling with MATLAB*, John Wiley & Sons, 2002 [recommended].
- D. M. Pozar, *Microwave Engineering*, 3rd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, 2004 [recommended].

- Course notes will be provided as needed. Additional references will be posted on the course website.

ASSIGNMENTS

Assignments involving basic theory and numerical codes will be assigned and due one week from the date of assignment.

PROJECT

The project will involve selecting a recent paper from the IEEE Transactions on Antennas and Propagation related to antennas and presenting a rigorous analysis of the paper in an oral presentation. Presentations will be held towards the end of the semester.

COLLABORATION POLICY

Although collaboration with other students is permissible, you must complete projects and assignments **independently**. Evidence of copying or plagiarised work will result in a substantial penalty or a zero grade being assigned for the affected course work.