

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

PHS 3287HAM Radio practiceTime: 2 hrs

Max. Marks: 60

PART - AAnswer any four of the following questions. $4 \ge 15 = 60$

- 1. Differentiate the following.
 - a. conductors and insulators
 - b. permanent magnets and electromagnets
- 2. Compare and contrast series and parallel resonant circuits with suitable diagrams.
- 3. Describe the functioning of a half-wave rectifier with a neat diagram.
- 4. What is an amplifier? With a neat circuit diagram, explain how does a transistor amplifier work?
- 5. Explain the types of propagation of electromagnetic waves.
- 6. Explain in detail the functioning of AM transmitter.