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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD**B.Tech II Year I Semester Examinations, November/December - 2017****ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND CIRCUITS****(Common to EEE, ECE, CSE, EIE, IT, MCT)****Time: 3 Hours****Max. Marks: 75****Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit.

Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART- A**(25 Marks)**

- 1.a) For what voltage will the reverse current in p-n junction Germanium diode reach 90% of its saturation value at room temperature? [2]
- b) Write a short note on Varactor diode. [3]
- c) Derive the ripple factor for full wave rectifier. [2]
- d) Explain voltage regulation using zener diode. [3]
- e) Explain how transistor acts as an amplifier. [2]
- f) Give the Comparisons between CB, CE, CC configurations. [3]
- g) Define thermal runaway. [2]
- h) Compare all the three biasing circuits. [3]
- i) For a p-channel Silicon FET, with effective width 'a'= 2×10^{-4} cm and channel resistivity $\rho = 10 \Omega$. Find the pinch off voltage. [2]
- j) Draw the circuit diagram of fixed bias arrangement of a JFET. [3]

PART-B**(50 Marks)**

- 2.a) Explain PN diode characteristics in forward bias and reverse bias regions.
- b) Find the width of the depletion layer in a germanium junction diode which has the following specifications: Area $A = 0.001 \text{ cm}^2$, $\sigma_n = 1 \text{ mhos / cm}$, $\mu_n = 3800 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$, $\mu_p = 1800 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$. [5+5]

OR

- 3.a) Explain tunnel diode operation with the help of energy band diagrams.
- b) Explain the static characteristics of SCR. [5+5]
- 4.a) A full wave rectifier circuit with C-type capacitor filter is to supply a D.C. Current of 20 mA at 16V. If frequency is 50 Hz ripple allowed is 5%. Calculate:
 - i) Required secondary voltage of the transformer.
 - ii) Ratio of $I_{\text{peak}} / I_{\text{max}}$ through diodes and the value of C required.
- b) With a neat circuit diagram and necessary wave forms explain the operation of half wave rectifier. [5+5]

OR

- 5.a) An ac supply of 220V is applied to a half wave rectifier circuit through a transformer with a turns ratio of 10:1. Assume the ideal diode. Find:
 - i) dc output voltage
 - ii) PIV.
- b) Compare half wave, full wave and bridge rectifier circuits. [5+5]

- 6.a) Explain CE configuration with the help of input and output characteristics.
b) A transistor is operated at a forward current of $2\mu\text{A}$ and with the collector open circuited. Calculate the junction voltages V_C and V_E , the collector to emitter voltage V_{CE} assuming $I_{CO} = 2\mu\text{A}$, $I_{EO} = 1.6\mu\text{A}$ and $\alpha_N = 0.98$. [5+5]

OR

- 7.a) Draw and explain h-parameter model of BJT.
b) Qualitatively explain the static V-I characteristics of UJT. [5+5]
- 8.a) Explain the need for biasing in electronic circuits. What are the factors affecting the stability factor.
b) A transistor with $\beta = 100$ is to be used in Common Emitter Configuration with collector to base bias. The collector circuit resistance is $R_C = 1\text{k}\Omega$ and $V_{CC} = 10\text{V}$. Assume $V_{BE} = 0$.
i) Choose R_B so that the quiescent collector to emitter voltage is 4V .
ii) Find the stability factor. [5+5]

OR

- 9.a) Determine the quiescent currents and the collector to emitter voltage for a Ge transistor with $\beta = 50$ in the self biasing arrangements. The circuit component values are $V_{CC} = 20\text{V}$, $R_C = 2\text{k}\Omega$, $R_e = 0.1\text{k}\Omega$, $R_1 = 100\text{k}\Omega$ and $R_2 = 5\text{k}\Omega$. Find the stability factor S .
b) Explain the terms Bias Stabilization and Bias Compensation. [5+5]

- 10.a) Derive the expression for the width of depletion region 'W' in the case of p-channel JFET.
b) Explain the working of a depletion type MOSFET with a neat construction diagram and its characteristics. [5+5]

OR

11. Draw the circuit of source follower Amplifier and derive the expressions for A_I , A_V , R_i and R_o . [10]

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