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B. E. (Third Semester) Examination, April-May 2020
(New Scheme)

(Electronics & Telecommunication Engg. Branch)

ELECTRONIC DEVICES and CIRCUITS

Time Allowed : Three hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Minimum Pass Marks : 28

Note : Attempt all questions. Part (a) of each question is compulsory and carries 2 marks. Attempt any two parts from part (b), (c) & (d) which carries 7 marks each. Assume suitable data if required.

Unit-I

1. (a) State Mass-Action Law as an equation and in words. 2
- (b) Explain the current conduction in semiconductor by drift and diffusion process. 7

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- (c) Prove that for a step-graded p-n junction diode the contact potential is : 7

$$V_{oc} = V_T \ln \frac{N_D N_A}{n_i^2}$$

- (d) Discuss the law of conservation of charge in detail. 7

Unit-II

2. (a) Draw V-I characteristics of ideal and practical p-n junction silicon diode. 2
- (b) Draw the circuit diagram of full-wave Bridge rectifier and derive its ripple factor and efficiency. 7
- (c) Explain Zener diode as Voltage regulator. 7
- (d) Discuss the effects of temperature on diode current and voltage. 7

Unit-III

3. (a) What is a Transistor? Why is it so called? 2
- (b) Explain the following terms : 7
- (i) Operating point
- (ii) Punch Through

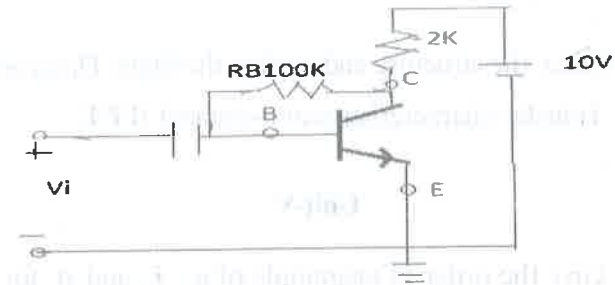
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- (iii) Thermal Runaway
- (iv) Advantage of CE over CB and CC configurations
- (v) Early effect

- (c) For the circuit shown : 7

- (i) Calculate I_B , I_C and V_{CE} if a Silicon transistors used with $\beta = 50$.
- (ii) Specify a value for R_B so that $V_{CE} = 7$ V.



- (d) List various Bias Compensation Techniques and explain any two in brief. 7

Unit-IV

4. (a) Why FET is called a voltage controlled device? 2
- (b) (i) Explain why does the Drain current I_D not reduced to zero even after the channel is pinched off.

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- (ii) Why input impedance of FET is high? 7
- (iii) Obtain the expression for the Pinch OFF voltage V_P in case of n -channel JFET. 7
- (c) An n -channel JFET has $I_{DSS} = 12$ mA and pinch off voltage $V_P = -4$ V. Find the drain current for $V_{GS} = -2$ V. If transconductance g_m of a JFET with the same I_{DSS} at $V_{GS} = 0$ V is 4 m Mho, find the pinch off voltage. 7
- (d) Draw the structure and explain the Static Drain and Transfer characteristics of n -channel JFET. 7

Unit-V

5. (a) Give the order of magnitude of g_m , r_d and μ for a MOSFET. 2
- (b) Draw the structure of p -channel depletion MOSFET and qualitatively explain the static drain and gate characteristics of the device. 7
- (c) Compare E-MOSFET with D-MOSFET. 7
- (d) (i) Explain working of MOSFET as a switch. 7
- (ii) Explain Body effect with suitable sketch. 7