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B.Tech  
BE 2101

## Second Semester Examination – 2012

### BASIC ELECTRONICS

Full Marks – 70

Time : 3 Hours

Answer Question No. 1 which is compulsory and any **five** from the rest.  
Symbols carry their usual meaning.

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

1. Answer the following questions in brief : 2 × 10
- (a) What do you mean by frequency spectrum ? Calculate the frequency and time period of the following sinusoidal signal  $f(t) = 5 \sin(300t)$ .
- (b) A diode is operated at room temperature with  $I_s = 10^{-10}$  A and  $\eta = 2$ .  
(i) What is the diode current  $i_D$  if the voltage across the diode is  $V_D = 0.65$  V ? (ii) What voltage  $V_D$  is required for a diode current of 200  $\mu$ A ?
- (c) A BJT has a base current of  $i_B = 5 \mu$ A and a gain of  $\beta_F = 150$  V/V. (i) If the BJT is operating in the forward active region, and ignoring the effect of  $V_A$ , what is the value of the collector current  $i_C$  ? (ii) If  $V_A = 75$  V, what is  $i_C$  at  $V_{CE} = 5$  V ?
- (d) Define 'CMRR'. If the CMRR of an Op-Amp is 80 dB and the common mode gain is  $-0.5$ , what is the differential mode gain of the Op-Amp ?
- (e) Why time-base is used in a Cathode Ray Oscilloscope ?
- (f) A silicon sample at room temperature is doped with acceptor atoms so that  $N_A = 10^{16}$   $\text{cm}^{-3}$  and  $N_D = 0$ . Is the material p-type or n-type ? If  $p_0 = 10^{16}$   $\text{cm}^{-3}$ , what is the electron concentration,  $n_0$  at room temperature ?
- (g) Convert  $(10.01)_{10}$  to its equivalent binary number.

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- (h) Prove that : (i)  $X + \overline{X}Y = X + Y$ , (ii)  $AB + \overline{A}B + A\overline{B} + \overline{A}\overline{B} = 1$ .
- (i) What is the upper and lower limit of a DC load line for a fixed bias circuit ?
- (j) With the help of a suitable example show how negative feedback increases the bandwidth of an amplifier by a factor of  $(1 + \beta A_0)$ , where  $\beta$  is the feedback factor and  $A_0$  is the mid-band gain without feedback.
2. In a fixed bias circuit with emitter stabilized resistor,  $R_B = 560 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_C = 4.7 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $R_E = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $V_{CC} = 10 \text{ V}$ ,  $\beta = 80$ , coupling capacitors of  $0.01 \text{ }\mu\text{F}$  and  $C_E = 0.047 \text{ }\mu\text{F}$  are used.
- (a) Draw the circuit diagram and find the values of  $V_{CEQ}$  and  $I_{CQ}$ . 4
- (b) Draw the low frequency small signal hybrid- $\pi$  equivalent model and determine the value of  $g_m$  and  $r_\pi$ . (Assume room temperature for your calculations). 3
- (c) Determine  $A_V$  and  $Z_i$  for the circuit. 3
3. (a) Consider the half-wave rectifier circuit shown in Figure 3 (a) below. If  $V_{in}$  is a triangle wave with a peak voltage of 2 V, and the diode has  $V_d = 0.5 \text{ V}$ , sketch  $V_{out}$  as a function of time on the plot of  $V_{in}$  shown in Figure 3(a) below. Label the peak voltage of  $V_{out}$ . 3

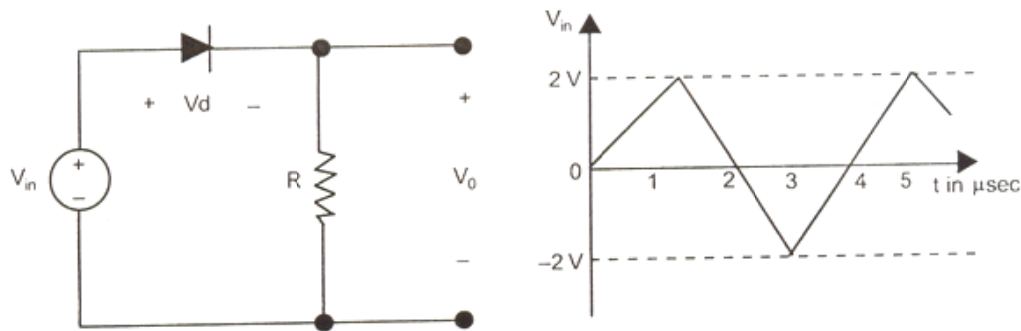


Figure 3(a)

- (b) For the circuit given in Figure 3(b) below, draw the output wave form for the input as shown. Assume the diodes to be ideal. 4

Given:  $V_{R1} = 2\text{ V}$  and  $V_{R2} = 3\text{ V}$ .

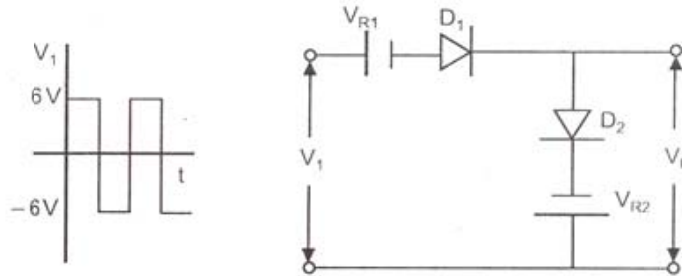


Figure 3 (b)

- (c) At room temperature, the diode in Figure 3(c) below has the model parameters  $I_S = 10^{-9}\text{ A}$  and  $\eta = 2$ . The dc voltage source has the value  $V_1 = 2\text{ V}$ . The source labeled  $v_1$  puts out a sinusoidal voltage and can be considered to be a small-signal source. For  $v_1 = 0\text{ V}$ , solve for the value of  $R_1$  which biases the diode at  $I_D = 2\text{ mA}$ . 3

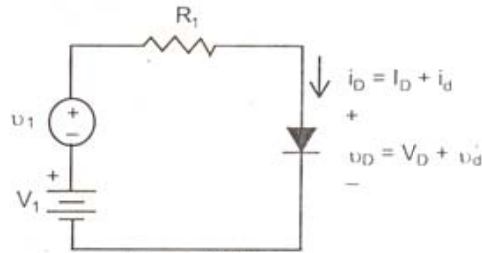


Figure 3(c)

4. Design a potential divider stable bias circuit as shown in the Figure 4 below with a Q point of  $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$  and  $V_{CE} = 7.5\text{ V}$ . Transistor  $\beta$  ranges from 50 to 200. 10

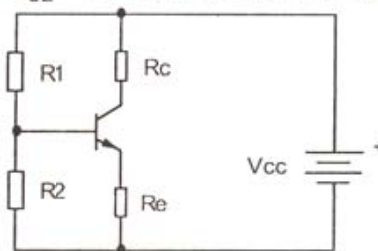


Figure 4

5. For an instrumentation amplifier of the type shown in Figure 5 below, a designer proposes to make  $R_2 = R_3 = R_4 = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$ , and  $2R_1 = 10 \text{ k}\Omega$ . For ideal components, calculate the difference-mode gain, common-mode gain and CMRR. If we change  $2R_1 = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$  what value of difference-mode gain, common-mode gain and CMRR result ? 10

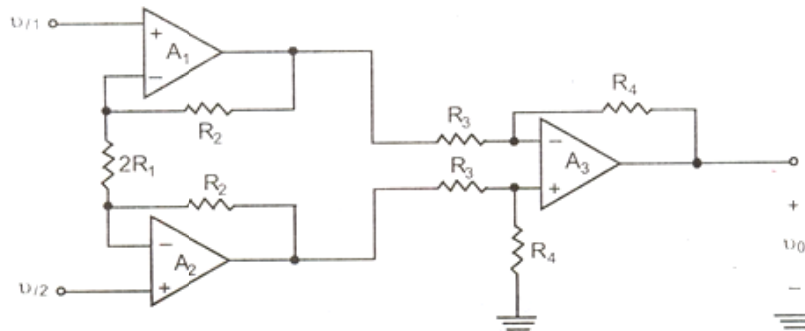


Figure 5

6. (a) Simplify the following Boolean expression and draw its logic circuit : 5  
 $A'BC + AB'C' + A'B'C' + AB'C + ABC.$
- (b) Design a combinational logic circuit which adds three binary bits and implement using NAND gates. 5
7. (a) With neat diagram, describe the operation of Wien Bridge Oscillator. 6
- (b) Define Multiplexing and Demultiplexing. How many  $8 \times 1$  multiplexers are used to design a  $64 \times 1$  multiplexer ? 4
8. Answer any **two** of the following : 5×2
- (a) AF signal generator
- (b) SR latch
- (c) BJT as a switch
- (d) Feedback amplifier.