

# END TERM EXAMINATION

SECOND SEMESTER [B.TECH] MAY-JUNE 2017

Paper Code: ETEC-106

Subject: Electronic Devices

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt any five questions including Q.no.1 which is compulsory.  
Select one question from each Unit.

- Q1 (a) Differentiate between conductor, insulator and semiconductor using energy band concept.  
(b) What do you understand by drift current & diffusion current? Write an equation for net electron current in a semiconductor.  
(c) What is meant by Zener & Avalanche breakdown in p-n junction semiconductor diode?  
(d) List the advantages of hybrid parameter. Draw the h-parameter model of a transistor in CE configuration.  
(e) What are universal gates? Implement AND, OR & NOT gate using universal gates. (5x5=25)

## Unit-I

- Q2 (a) What is Fermi level? Show that in an intrinsic semiconductor the Fermi level is located at the middle of unallowable energy gap. (6.5)  
(b) Prove that the conductivity of a semiconductor is given by  $\sigma = q(n\mu_e + p\mu_h)$ . (6)
- Q3 (a) Explain the band structure of open circuited p-n junction. (6.5)  
(b) Explain how semiconductor parameters vary with temperature. (6)

## Unit-II

- Q4 (a) What is meant by dc & ac resistance of a diode? How these resistance can be determined from its V-I characteristics. (6.5)  
(b) Describe the piecewise linear approximation model of a diode. (6)
- Q5 (a) Write short note on:  
(i) Tunnel Diode  
(ii) Photo Diode (6)  
(b) Draw the circuit diagram of bridge rectifier. Explain its operation. Find dc and rms output voltage. Also find its ripple factor. (6.5)

## Unit-III

- Q6 (a) Define the following w.r.t BJT. (6.5)  
(i)  $I_{co}$  (ii)  $\alpha$  (iii)  $\beta$  (iv)  $I_{cbo}$  (v)  $I_{ceo}$   
(b) A transistor has  $I_b = 100\mu A$  and  $I_c = 2mA$ , Find (i)  $\alpha$  (ii)  $\beta$  (iii)  $I_e$ . If  $I_b$  changes by  $+25\mu A$  and  $I_c$  changes by  $+6mA$ . Find the new value of  $\beta$ . (6)
- Q7 (a) Draw Ebers-Moll model for a PNP Transistor and give the equations for emitter current and collector current. (6.5)

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- (b) Explain input and output characteristics of a transistor in CB configuration. Give reason why CE configuration provides large current amplification while the CB configuration does not. (6)

**Unit-IV**

- Q8 (a) Sketch the cross-sectional view of an enhancement mode MOSFET. Explain its operation and characteristics. (6.5)  
 (b) State and prove De Morgan's theorem. How is it helpful in minimizing the given Boolean expression? (6)
- Q9 (a) What are Analog and Digital Signals? Why binary number system is preferred in digital systems. (6.5)  
 (b) Minimize the following function using the Booleans algebra: (6)  

$$Y = \bar{A}BCD + A\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D} + A\bar{B}CD + ABCD + ABC\bar{D} + \bar{A}\bar{B}CD + \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D}.$$

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