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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, HYDERABAD B. Tech II Year I Semester Examinations, December-2014 ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND CIRCUITS

(Common to EEE, ECE, CSE, EIE, BME, IT, MCT, ETM, ICE)

Time: 3 hours

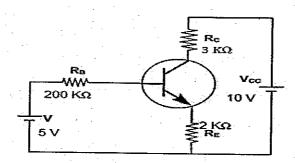
Max. Marks: 75

Answer any five questions All questions carry equal marks

- 1.a) What are the types of breakdown mechanisms in a diode? Explain the reverse bias characteristics of Zener diode.
 - b) Derive the expression for transition capacitance of a diode.

2.a) Design an L-section filter and obtain its expression for ripple factor.

- b) A fullwave rectifier circuit uses two silicon diodes with a forward resistance of 20 Ω each. A DC voltmeter connected across the load of 1K Ω reads 55.4 Volts. Calculate
 - i) I_{rms}
 - ii) Average voltage across each diode
 - iii) Ripple factor
 - iv) Transformer secondary voltage rating.
- 3.a) Obtain a generalized transistor equation for collector current when emitter junction is forward biased and collector junction is reverse biased.
 - b) Find the transistor currents in the circuit as shown in Figure. A silicon transistor with $\beta = 100$ and Ico = 20 nA is under consideration.



- 4.a) Draw the circuit diagram of a self bias circuit and explain how to determine the value of R_1 and R_2 .
 - b) An NPN transistor having $\beta = 50$ is used in Common Emitter circuit with $V_{CC} = 10$ V, $R_C = 2$ K Ω . The bias is obtained by connecting 100 Ω resistor from collector to base. Find the quiescent point and stability factor S.
- 5.a) Draw the BJT hybrid models for CE, CB, CC configurations.
 - b) Compare CE, CB and CC amplifier Configurations.

- 6.a) Obtain the small signal model of JFET. What are the parameters of FET? Give their relationship.
 - b) Compare BJT and JFET.
- 7.a) Explain how FET can be used as a voltage variable resistor?
 - b) Determine the operating point for the self bias circuit of n-channel JFET given $V_{DD}=15~V,~R_D=500~\Omega,~R_S=1~K\Omega,~R_1=12~K\Omega,~R_2=4~K\Omega,~I_{DSS}=8~mA,~V_P=-4V.$
- 8.a) Explain the principle of operation of Tunnel diode. Also explain the construction, principle of operation of a Photo diode.
 - b) Explain the principle and operation of Silicon Controlled Rectifier.

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