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**Question Paper Code : 91403**

B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2014.

Fourth Semester

Electronics and Communication Engineering

EC 2254/EC 44/EC 1254/080290022/10144 EC 405 — LINEAR INTEGRATED  
CIRCUITS

(Regulation 2008/2010)

(Common to PTEC 2254 Linear Integrated Circuits for B.E. (Part-Time)  
— Third Semester ECE - Regulation 2009)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

1. What are the advantages of IC over discrete component circuits?
2. What is meant by monolithic IC?
3. State the difference between conventional and precision rectifier.
4. Define Bandwidth of a filter.
5. What is the function of a phase detector in a PLL?
6. Define modulation index.
7. Give the applications of sample and hold circuit.
8. Define resolution of a DAC.
9. Define line and load regulation of a regulator.
10. What are the different protection circuits inside the monolithic IC regulator?

PART B — (5 × 16 = 80 marks)

11. (a) Explain the different types of resistor fabrication in an IC. (16)

Or

- (b) (i) Describe the AC performance characteristics of a operational amplifier. (8)  
(ii) Describe the DC performance characteristics of a operational amplifier. (8)

12. (a) With neat sketch explain the operation of a 3 op-amp instrumentation amplifier. (16)

Or

- (b) Explain the operation of precision full wave rectifier with neat sketch. (16)

13. (a) Describe the working of a analog multiplier using emitter coupled transistor pair. (16)

Or

- (b) (i) With neat diagram describe the AM detection using PLL. (8)  
(ii) With neat diagram describe the FM detection using PLL. (8)

14. (a) (i) Describe the working of a weighted resistor type DAC. (8)  
(ii) Describe the working of a R-2R type DAC. (8)

Or

- (b) With neat sketch explain the working of a flash type ADC. (16)

15. (a) Describe the working of a Astable multivibrator using op-amp. (16)

Or

- (b) Explain the operation of a switching regulator with neat diagram. (16)