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B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2019
Second/Third Semester

Electrical and Electronics Engineering

EC 6202 – ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND CIRCUITS

(Common to Biomedical Engineering/Electronics and Instrumentation
Engineering/Instrumentation and Control Engineering/Medical Electronics/
Robotics and Automation Engineering)
(Regulations 2013)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART – A

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. Define Diffusion Capacitance.
2. When a reverse bias is applied to a germanium PN junction diode, the reverse saturation current at room temperature is $0.3 \mu\text{A}$. Determine the current flowing in the diode when 0.15 V forward bias is applied at room temperature.
3. Derive the relationship between α and β of a BJT.
4. The transistor has $I_E = 10 \text{ mA}$ and $\alpha = 0.98$. Determine the values of I_C and I_B .
5. Give the characteristics of CE amplifier.
6. What is meant by β cut off frequency ?
7. What is the need of Multistage amplifiers ?
8. Mention the coupling schemes used in multistage amplifier.
9. An amplifier has an open loop gain of 1000 and a feedback ratio of 0.04. If the open loop gain changes by 10% due to temperature, find the percentage change in gain of the amplifier with feedback.
10. In an RC phase shift oscillator, if $R_1 = R_2 = R_3 = 200 \text{ k}\Omega$ and $C_1 = C_2 = C_3 = 100 \text{ pF}$. Find the frequency of oscillations.



PART - B

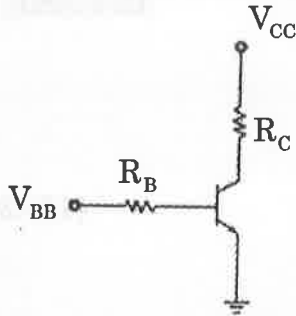
(5×13=65 Marks)

11. a) i) Explain the V-I characteristics of zener diode. (8)
 ii) Show that zener diode can be used as a voltage regulator. (5)

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- b) i) Explain the V-I characteristics of PN junction diode. (8)
 ii) With a neat diagram explain the working of full wave rectifier circuit realized using PN junction diode. (5)

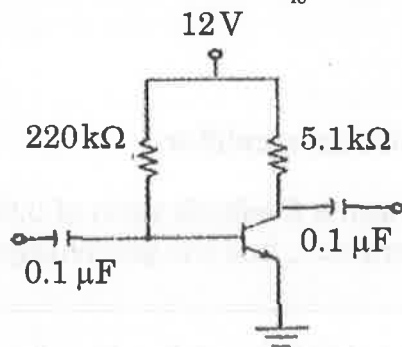
12. a) i) Explain the input and output characteristics of a BJT in CB configuration. (7)
 ii) Determine the base, collector and emitter currents and V_{CE} for a CE circuit shown below. For $V_{CC} = 10\text{ V}$, $V_{BB} = 4\text{ V}$, $R_B = 200\text{ k}\Omega$, $R_C = 2\text{ k}\Omega$, $V_{BE(\text{on})} = 0.7\text{ V}$, $\beta = 200$. (6)



(OR)

- b) i) Describe the working principle of SCR with V-I characteristics. (7)
 ii) Draw the equivalent circuit of UJT and explain its input characteristics. (6)

13. a) i) Draw the circuit diagram of a CE amplifier and explain its working. (8)
 ii) Determine the input impedance, output impedance, voltage gain and current gain for the CE amplifier of the figure shown below. The h-parameters of the transistor are $h_{fe} = 60$, $h_{ie} = 500\ \Omega$ at $I_C = 3\text{ mA}$. (5)



(OR)



- b) i) Draw the small signal model of FET amplifier in CS connection and derive the equations for voltage gain, input impedance and output impedance. (8)
- ii) A BJT has $g_m = 38 \text{ mmhos}$, $r_{b'e} = 5.9 \text{ k}\Omega$, $h_{ie} = 6 \text{ k}\Omega$, $r_{bb'} = 100 \text{ }\Omega$, $C_{b'c} = 12 \text{ pF}$, $C_{b'e} = 63 \text{ pF}$ and $h_{fe} = 224$ at 1 kHz. Calculate α and β cut off frequencies and f_T . (5)
14. a) What is neutralization ? Explain the hazeltine neutralization method. (13)
- (OR)
- b) Draw the equivalent circuit of capacitance coupled single tuned amplifier and derive the equation for voltage gain. (13)
15. a) What are the different types of negative feedbacks ? Explain the types with neat block diagram. (13)
- (OR)
- b) Explain the working of Hartley and Wien bridge oscillator. (13)

PART – C

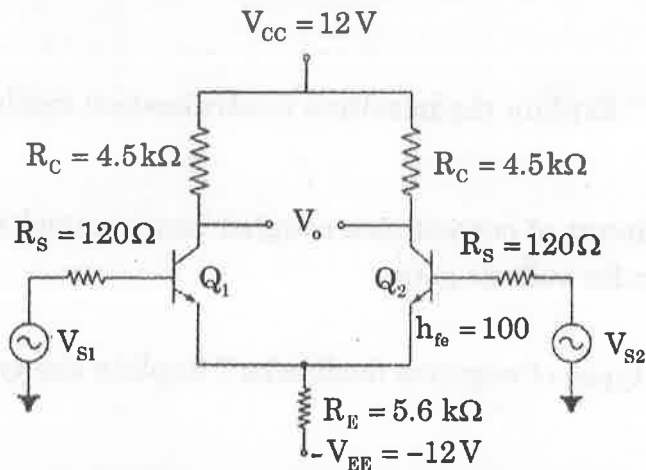
(1×15=15 Marks)

16. a) i) In the biasing with feedback resistor method, a silicon transistor with feedback resistor is used. The operating point is at 7 V, 1 mA and $V_{CC} = 12 \text{ V}$. Assume $\beta = 100$. Determine the value of R_B , stability factor and what will be the new operating point if $\beta = 50$ with all other circuit values are same ? (8)
- ii) In a colpitts oscillator the values of the inductors and capacitors in the tank circuit are $L = 40 \text{ mH}$, $C_1 = 100 \text{ pF}$ and $C_2 = 500 \text{ pF}$.
- i) Find the frequency of oscillations.
- ii) If the output voltage is 10 V find the feedback voltage.
- iii) Find the minimum gains if the frequency is changed by changing L alone.
- iv) Find the value of C1 for a gain of 10 and
- v) Find the new frequency. (7)

(OR)



- b) i) Calculate the operating point values, differential gain, common mode gain, CMRR, output if $V_{s1} = 60 \text{ mV}$ (peak to peak) at 1 kHz and $V_{s2} = 40 \text{ mV}$ (peak to peak) at 1 kHz for the differential amplifier shown below. Assume the transistor is made of silicon with $h_{ie} = 3.2 \text{ k}\Omega$. (10)



- ii) The diode current is 0.6 mA when the applied voltage is 400 mV and 20 mA when the applied voltage is 500 mV. Determine η . Assume $kT/q = 25 \text{ mV}$. (5)