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Paper : IV

Full Marks : 100

**[Use a separate Answer Book for each Unit of Group A and another Answer Book for Group B]**

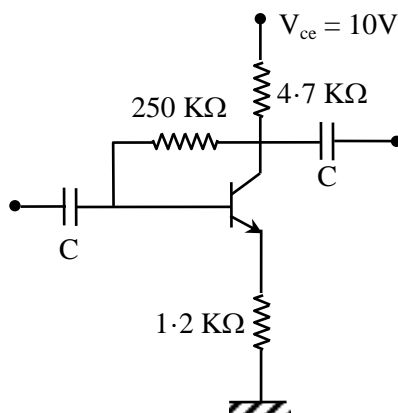
## Group – A

**Answer any seven questions from Question No. 1 to 11:**

[7×10]

### Unit - I

1. a) Explain that at a frequency  $\omega$  below the resonant frequency, the reactance of a series resonant circuit is capacitive, but that of a parallel resonant circuit is inductive. [3]  
b) Explain the resonance in a series RLC circuit in terms of phase diagram. [3]  
c) Write down the differential equations of primary and secondary of a ideal transformer involving current, voltage and other required circuit parameters. [2]  
d) Explain why in balance condition, the detector current in a ac bridge is minimum but not zero in contrast to a dc bridge. [2]
2. a) Consider a circuit consisting of a series combination of a battery with e.m.f  $E$ , a forward biased p-n junction diode and a resistor  $R$ . Explain with the circuit diagram how you can find the value of the current flowing in the circuit as well as the voltage drop across the diode. [4]  
b) Draw the circuit diagram of a full wave bridge rectifier with a  $\pi$  filter. [2]  
c) A full wave rectifier uses two semi-conductor diodes with forward resistance  $R_f$ . Find the rectification efficiency when a load  $R_L$  is driven by the rectifier. [4]
3. a) Explain why a transistor should be biased. [2]  
b) What is self-bias? Draw the circuit diagram showing the self-bias of an n-p-n transistor in the CE mode. Explain physically how the self biasing resistor improves the stability. [1+1+2]  
c) In the figure below, find the value of  $I_E$  &  $V_{CE}$ . Given  $\beta = 90$  and  $V_{BE} = 0.7$  V. If  $\beta$  is increased by 50% what will be the effect on  $I_C$  &  $V_{CE}$ ? [4]



4. a) What do you mean by small signal amplifier? Draw the circuit diagram of a two-stage RC coupled CE transistor amplifier. [2]  
b) Obtain the expressions for the voltage gain of an RC coupled amplifier in the mid, low and high frequency regions. Then draw the gain-frequency curve from your expressions. [8]

## Unit - II

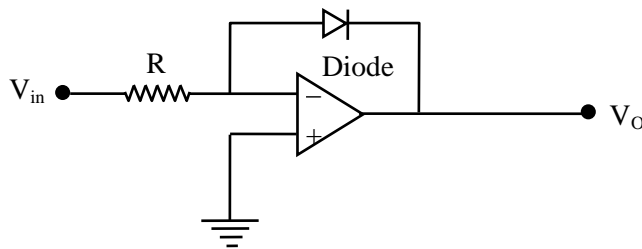
5. a) Draw a family of common source drain characteristic curve of an n-channel JFET. Explain the shape of the curve qualitatively and name various regions. Compare it with the output characteristic curve of a transistor in CE mode. [1+3+2]
- b) Define pinch-off voltage in case of an n-channel JFET and draw the depletion regions before and after pinch-off. [2]
- c) In a experiment using JFET following data are obtained :

$V_{GS}$ in Volt	0	0	-0.2
$V_{DS}$ in Volt	7	15	15
$I_D$ in mA	10	10.25	9.65

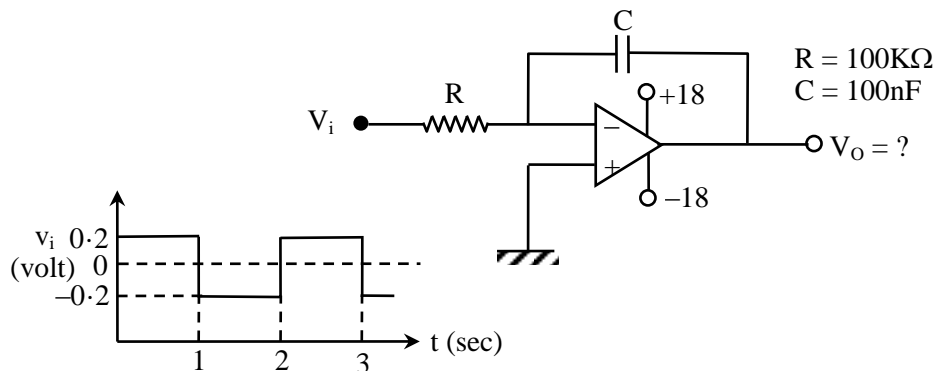
Calculate  $r_d$  and  $g_m$ .

[2]

6. a) Show that a transistor may be considered as two port network and hence define hybrid parameters. [3]
- b) Compare positive and negative feedback. Give practical examples for both types of feedback. [3]
- c) Explain how negative feedback decreases the phase distortion of an amplifier. [4]
7. a) Draw the circuit diagram of an astable multivibrator using transistors. Design it to produce a train of pulses  $10\mu s$  wide at a repetition rate of 10khz . (Use  $1K\Omega$  as biasing resistances). [2+3]
- b) Determine the output voltage of the given circuit : [3]



- c) How the internal impedance of a voltmeter can be increased with the help of any active device. Draw the relevant circuit. [2]
8. a) What should be the value of CMRR of an ideal OPAMP? Explain. [2]
- b) State the working principle of a R-2R Ladder converter with suitable circuit diagram. [6]
- c) What should be the output of the given circuit for given input signal? [2]



9. a) State why modulation is needed. [2]
- b) Compare amplitude modulation and angle modulation. [2]
- c) How many side frequencies should be there if a carrier is amplitude modulated and frequency modulated respectively and independently with the help of a single tone modulating signal? [2]
- d) Consider an AM wave with 80% modulation. Calculate the percentage of power saved when a SSB-SC is transmitted instead of the total AM wave. [4]

10. a) Compare class A, B and C amplifiers with suitable output characteristics. [3]  
 b) Design and draw a half adder (circuit) using basic gates. [3]  
 c) What is multiplexer? Design and draw the circuit diagram of a 4-to-1 line data selector multiplexer system. [4]
11. a) Convert the following numbers :  
 $(BAD)_{16} \rightarrow (?)_8$ ,  $(97652)_{10} \rightarrow (?)_7$  [2]  
 b) Perform the following using r's complement method :  
 $(+725.62)_8 - (+661.33)_8$ ,  $(-9234)_{10} + (-1877)_{10}$  [3]  
 c) Design NOR gate using basic analog components for Diode-Transistor Logic (DTL) system. [5]

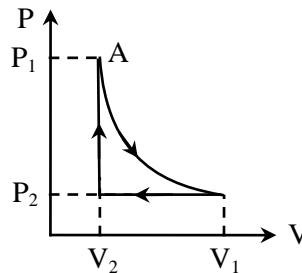
### Group - B

**Answer any three questions from Question No. 12 to 16 :**

[3×10]

12. a) An inventor claims to design a device operating between two reservoirs maintained at temperatures 800K and 400K respectively with efficiency 52%. Justify his claim. [2]  
 b) Using Clausius statements prove that no engine can be more efficient than a reversible engine working between the same two reservoirs. [4]  
 c) Figure represents an imaginary ideal-gas cycle. Assuming constant heat capacities, show that the

thermal efficiency is  $\eta = 1 - \gamma \frac{\left(\frac{V_1}{V_2} - 1\right)}{\left(\frac{P_1}{P_2} - 1\right)}$ ; where  $\gamma$  is the ratio of specific heats. [4]



13. a) Show that the second law of thermodynamics leads to a scale of temperature which is independent of the nature of the working substance. [4]  
 b) Give a mathematical formulation of second law of thermodynamics in terms of entropy. [2]  
 c) A body of constant heat capacity  $C_p$  and at a temperature  $T_i$  is put in contact with a reservoir at a higher temperature  $T_f$ . The pressure remains constant while the body comes to equilibrium with the reservoir. Show that the entropy change of the universe is equal to  $\Delta S = C_p[x - \ln(1+x)]$  where  $x = -\frac{(T_f - T_i)}{T_f}$ . Also prove that the entropy change is positive. [4]
14. a) Establish that for a system with constant volume and in contact with a heat bath of a given temperature, the equilibrium corresponds to the minimum of Helmholtz free energy 'F'. [3]  
 b) Establish the equation  $TdS = C_v \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial p}\right)_v dp + C_p \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial v}\right)_p dv$ . (where symbols have their usual meaning). [3]  
 c) Calculate the variation of  $C_p$  with pressure at constant temperature for a substance whose equation of state is  $V = \frac{RT}{p} - \frac{c}{T^3}$ , where  $c$  is a constant. [4]

15. a) What are the characteristic features of a first order phase transition? How the order of the phase transition is determined? [2+2]
- b) Derive the Clausius-Clapeyron's equation  $\frac{dp}{dT} = \frac{L}{T(V_2 - V_1)}$  (where symbols have their usual meaning) [3]
- c) Determine the phase diagram of water using Clausius-Clapeyron's equation. Mention its nontrivial part. [2+1]
16. a) Distinguish between free expansion and Joule Thomson expansion. Show that the Joule Thomson expansion is the result of deviation from Joule's law and as well as Boyle's law. [1+2]
- b) Define inversion temperature in the context of Joule-Thompson expansion experiment. Show that the van der Waal's equation gives rise to two inversion temperature. [1+3]
- c) Show that  $U = -T^2 \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial T} \left( \frac{F}{T} \right) \right]$  (Symbols have their usual meaning) [3]

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