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## Brac University

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Section: 1 to 10

Midterm Exam

Full Marks: 30

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

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Answer **any 3** questions. All the questions carry equal marks.

### Question 1 [CO2, CO3]

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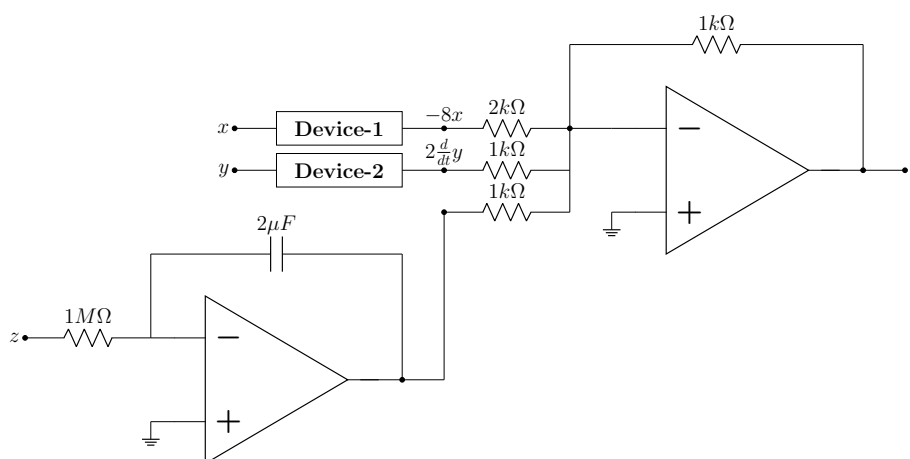


Figure 1: Circuit for Question 1

- Identify Device-1 and **design** the circuit. Assume any value if necessary. [2]
- Identify Device-2 and **design** the circuit. Assume any value if necessary. [2]
- Determine** the expression of the function,  $f$ . [1.5]
- Assume,  $x = 1$  V,  $y = \cos(8t)$  V and  $z = -8\sin(30t)$  V. **Determine** the expression of the function,  $f$ . [2.5]
- Draw** the Voltage Transfer Characteristics (VTC) of a non-inverting Op-Amp comparator and **explain** the VTC briefly. [2]

### Question 2 [CO1, CO2]

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A voltage waveform  $v_i = 10\sin(200\pi t)$  V is fed into a Half-wave rectifier with a load resistor,  $R = 10$  kΩ. Silicon diodes are used in this circuit where,  $V_{D0} = 0.7$  V.

- Draw** the rectifier circuit. **Label** the input and output voltages properly. Briefly **explain** the application of the circuit. [1+1+1]
- Calculate** the DC value of the output voltage,  $V_{dc}$  and the output frequency,  $f_o$ . [1+1]
- Draw** the Voltage Transfer Characteristics (VTC) of the Half-wave rectifier and **label** it properly. [2]
- Now, you have to connect a capacitor in parallel with the load resistor. You have two capacitors of  $4 \mu F$  and  $7 \mu F$  at your disposal. Which capacitor will you use? **Explain** briefly with necessary calculations. [3]
- [**Bonus**] A different input waveform is fed into the half-wave rectifier. The new peak-to-peak ripple voltage is 50% of the previous one calculated from (d) with the  $4 \mu F$  capacitor. The new output frequency is 300 Hz. **Determine** the equation of the input waveform. [2]

### Question 3 [CO3]

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- (a) **Identify** the equivalent linear circuit model for the IV characteristics with brief explanation. [2]
- (b) **Draw** the circuit and **calculate** the model parameters. [1+2]
- (c) You are given **two**  $1k\Omega$  **resistors**, **one**  $1V$  **voltage source**, **one**  $5V$  **voltage source**. Can you **design** the circuit by only using these elements? [2]
- (d) **Analyze** the diode logic circuit and **determine** the output voltage,  $V_o$ . [3]

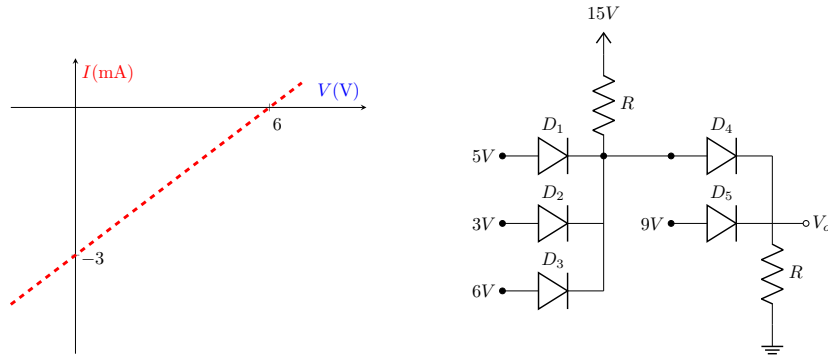


Figure 2: (i) IV Characteristics (ii) Diode Logic Circuit

### Question 4 [CO2]

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The voltage at the node,  $V_a$  of the resistor-diode network as exhibited in Figure 3 is fed into a circuit with an Ideal Op-Amp. In this circuit,  $V_{sat}^+ = +10V$  and  $V_{sat}^- = -10V$ ,  $V_{D_0} = 0.7V$ .

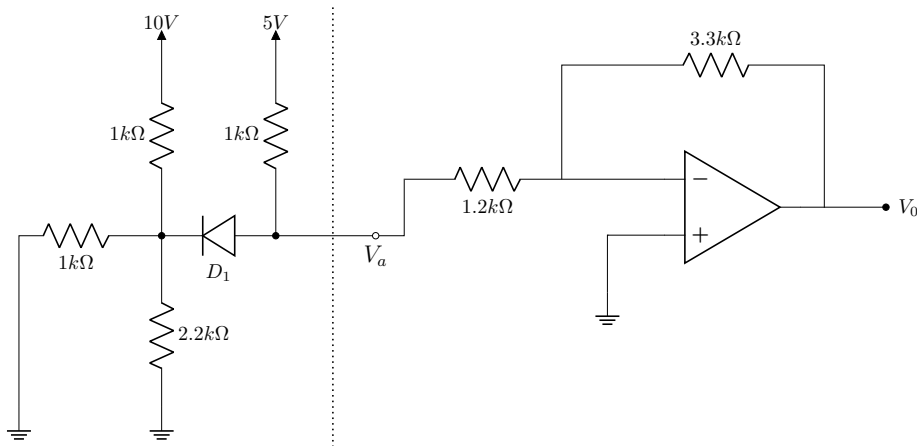


Figure 3: Circuit for Question 4

- (a) **Analyze** the circuit to **determine** the operating mode of the diode,  $D_1$ . You must **validate** your assumption with necessary calculation. **Calculate** the voltage, " $V_a$ ". [2+2+1]
- (b) **Calculate** the voltages at: (i) **non-inverting** input terminal, (ii) **inverting** input terminal. [2]
- (c) **Determine** the output voltage, " $V_o$ ". [3]