

## \* Carrier Concentration in N-type SC:

$N_d \rightarrow$  no. of donor atoms in SC.

Temp raised above OK; donor atoms get ionized & electrons start moving from donor levels to CB.

$E_d \rightarrow$  energy required by  $e^-$  to move from donor levels to CB.

$n \rightarrow e^-$  conc. in CB.

$$n = N_d^+$$
$$n = N_d - N_d^0$$

$N_d^+ \rightarrow$  no. of ionized donor atoms

$N_d^0 \rightarrow$  no. of unionized donor atoms.

$$n = N_d - N_d f(E_d)$$

$$= N_d (1 - f(E_d))$$

$$n = N_d \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{1 + e^{(E_d - E_F)/KT}} \right]$$

$$n = N_d \left[ \frac{1}{1 + e^{-(E_d - E_F)/KT}} \right]$$

$$n = N_d \left[ e^{+(E_d - E_F)/KT} \right]$$

$$n = N_c \left[ e^{-(E_c - E_F)/KT} \right]$$

$$N_d e^{+(E_d - E_F)/KT} = N_c e^{-(E_c - E_F)/KT}$$

log on both sides.

$$\log [N_d e^{-(E_d - E_F)/KT}] = \log [N_c e^{-(E_c - E_F)/KT}]$$

$$\cancel{\log \frac{N_d}{N_c}} = \cancel{E_d - E_F - E_c + E_F}$$

$$\log N_d + \frac{(E_d - E_F)}{KT} = \log(N_c) - \frac{(E_c - E_F)}{KT}$$

$$\log\left(\frac{N_d}{N_c}\right) = \frac{-E_d + E_F - E_c + E_F}{KT}$$

$$(E_d + E_c) - KT \ln\left(\frac{N_c}{N_d}\right) = 2E_F$$

$$E_F = \frac{E_d + E_c}{2} + \frac{KT}{2} \ln\left(\frac{N_d}{N_c}\right)$$

$$N_c = 2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}$$

$$E_F = \frac{E_d + E_c}{2} + \frac{KT}{2} \ln\left( \frac{N_d}{2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}} \right)$$

at  $T=0K$

$$E_F = \frac{E_d + E_c}{2}$$

Fermi level lies  
b/w bottom of CB  
& donor levels.

$$n = N_c e^{\frac{(E_F - E_c)}{KT}}$$



Substitute  $E_F$  in the above.

$$n = N_c \exp \left[ \frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT} + \frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \frac{N_d}{2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}} \right) \right]$$

$$n = N_c \exp \left[ \frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT} + \frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \sqrt{\frac{N_d}{2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}}} \right) \right]$$

$$n = N_c e^{\frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT}} \cdot e^{\ln \cdot \sqrt{\frac{N_d}{N_c}}}$$

$$n = N_c \cdot \sqrt{\frac{N_d}{N_c}} e^{\frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT}}$$

$$n = \sqrt{N_c} \sqrt{N_d} e^{\frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT}}$$

$$N_c = 2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}$$

$$n = \sqrt{2 N_d} \left( \frac{2\pi m_e^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/4} e^{\frac{E_d - E_c}{2KT}}$$

### \* CARRIER CONCENTRATION IN P-TYPE SC:

$N_a \rightarrow$  no. of acceptor atoms in SC

Temp. ↑ sed above OK; the acceptor atoms get ionized & holes start appearing in VB.

$E_a \rightarrow$  energy required by  $e^-$  to move

into acceptor levels from VB.

$p \rightarrow$  hole concentration in valence band

$$p = N_a^-$$

$$N_a^- = N_a (f(E_a))$$

$$p = N_a \exp\left(\frac{E_F - E_a}{KT}\right)$$

$$p = N_v \exp\left(-\left(\frac{E_F - E_v}{KT}\right)\right)$$

$$N_a e^{\frac{E_F - E_a}{KT}} = N_v e^{-\left(\frac{E_F - E_v}{KT}\right)}$$

log on both sides.

$$\log N_a + \frac{E_F - E_a}{KT} = \log N_v - \frac{(E_F - E_v)}{KT}$$

$$\frac{E_F - E_a + E_F - E_v}{KT} = \log\left(\frac{N_v}{N_a}\right)$$

$$2E_F - (E_a + E_v) = KT \log\left(\frac{N_v}{N_a}\right)$$

$$E_F = \frac{KT}{2} \log\left(\frac{N_v}{N_a}\right) + \frac{E_a + E_v}{2}$$

at  $T = 0K$ :

$$E_F = \frac{E_a + E_v}{2} - \frac{KT}{2} \log\left(\frac{N_a}{N_v}\right)$$

$$N_v = 2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_n^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}$$



~~$E_F$~~ \*

$$E_F = \frac{E_a + E_v}{2} - \frac{KT}{2} \log \left( \frac{N_a}{2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_h^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}} \right) \quad \text{a}$$

at  $T = 0K$

$$E_F = \frac{E_a + E_v}{2}$$

Fermi level lies exactly between acceptor energy level and top most level of VB.

$$P = N_v \exp \left( - \frac{E_v - E_F}{KT} \right)$$

Substitute  $E_F$  in above.

$$P = N_v \exp \left( \frac{E_v}{KT} - \left( \frac{E_a + E_v}{2KT} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log \left( \frac{N_a}{2 \left( \frac{2\pi m_h^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/2}} \right) \right)$$

$$P = N_v \exp \left( \frac{E_v - E_a}{2KT} + \frac{1}{2} \log \sqrt{\frac{N_a}{N_v}} \right)$$

$$P = N_v \cdot e^{\frac{E_v - E_a}{2KT}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{N_a}{N_v}}$$

$$P = \sqrt{N_v N_a} \cdot e^{\frac{E_v - E_a}{2KT}}$$

$$P = \sqrt{2 N_a} \left( \frac{2\pi m_h^* KT}{h^2} \right)^{3/4} \cdot e^{\frac{E_v - E_a}{2KT}}$$