



Academic year 2021-2022 (Odd Sem)

DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

Date	19 th JAN 2023	Maximum Marks	60
Course Code	22ES14C	Duration	110 Min
Sem	I Semester	Test-1	
Principles of Electronics Engineering			

Sl. No.	Questions PART-A	M	BT	CO
1	The values of β that correspond to α value of 0.985 and 0.992 respectively are _____ and _____.	1	2	2
2	If a PNP transistor is operating as an open switch, its base-emitter junction is _____ biased.	1	1	1
3	Three amplifiers with voltage gain of 20, 100 and 2000 are connected in cascade, the overall gain in dB = _____.	1	1	1
4	In a regulated DC power supply the output voltage drops from 12V to 11.8V when the input voltage reduces by 10%. The line regulation is _____.	1	3	4
5	BJT is _____ controlled device.	1	2	1
6	The lower cut off frequency of an RC coupled amplifier is 300Hz. It has a voltage gain of 70 at 300Hz and has a bandwidth of 25KHz. The mid frequency gain of the amplifier = _____.	1	3	3
7	An NPN transistor has $I_{co} = 25\text{nA}$, $I_B = 0$, $V_{CE} = 4\text{V}$ and $I_C = 20\mu\text{A}$. The value of β is _____.	1	1	2
8	In NPN transistor, if $V_B = 3\text{V}$, $V_E = 2\text{V}$, $V_C = 1\text{V}$, the transistor is operating in _____ region.	1	1	4
9	Three amplifiers of voltage gains 20dB, 26dB and 32dB are cascaded to obtain an output voltage of 2V. Calculate the input voltage needed.	2	2	3



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Sl. No.	Questions PART-B	M	BT	CO
1.a	A full wave bridge rectifier drives a load resistance of 330Ω in parallel with a filter capacitor, C. If the ac input to the rectifier is $100\sin 628t$, calculate the capacitor value needed so that the ripple factor is 1%. Determine the output dc voltage, peak to peak ripple voltage and the load regulation.	6 5	3	3
1.b	Bring out the differences between Avalanche breakdown and Zener breakdown in PN junction diodes.	4	1	2
2.a	Draw the circuit diagram of a Full wave Bridge rectifier with filter and explain its operation along with waveform.	6	2	1
2.b	Briefly explain the three regions of operation of a BJT. Draw the output characteristics of a BJT.	4	2	1
3.a	Explain the working of RC coupled amplifier with the circuit diagram. Draw its frequency response.	6 5	1	1
3.b	An amplifier having a power gain of 17dB delivers a power output of 40W to a load of $1K\Omega$. Calculate i) the input power needed and (ii) the input voltage needed, if the voltage gain of the amplifier is 38dB.	4 4	3	3
4.a	Three amplifier stages are cascaded with $0.05V_{p-p}$ input providing $150V_{p-p}$ output. If the voltage gain of the first stage is 20 and the input to the third stage is $15V_{p-p}$. Find i) Overall gain in dB ii) Voltage gains of 2 nd and 3 rd stages iii) Input voltage to the second stage	6 6	4	3
4.b	With a neat diagram, illustrate the operation of Regulated Power Supply.	4	1	2
5.a	Design the Zener regulator for the give specification. V_{in} varies from 6.6V to 9.9V R_L varies from 66Ω to 165Ω $V_z=3.3V$ $I_z(\min)=10mA$ $P_d(\max)=660mW$	6 6	3	4
5.b	Explain the working principles of the following. i) Photodiode ii) LED	4 4	2	2

BT-Blooms Taxonomy, CO-Course Outcomes, M-Marks

Marks Distribution	Particulars		CO1	CO2	CO3	CO4	L1	L2	L3	L4	L5	L6
	Test	Max Marks	18	15	19	8	19	14	19	6	-	-



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Date	23/02/2023	Maximum Marks	60
Course Code	22ES14C	Duration	120 Mins
Sem	I Semester	CIE2	
PRINCIPLES OF ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING			

Instructions to candidates:

- Part A must be answered within the first two pages of manuscript.
- Assume the suitable data for missing values

PART-A		M	BT	CO
1	The Slew rate of an Op-Amp is $3V/\mu\text{sec}$ with a peak value of voltage as 2V. Calculate the maximum output frequency so that the output is not distorted.	1	2	2
2	If one of the input to a 2-input EX-NOR gate is connected to 0, then it can be used to	1	1	1
3	The canonical sum of product form of the function $y(A,B) = A + B$ is	1	2	2
4	Prove that $AB + BC + \bar{B}\bar{C} = AB + \bar{B}$	1	3	2
5	The gain of a voltage follower is	1	1	1
6	An op-Amp has a differential gain of 86dB and Common mode gain of 20dB. The CMRR in dB is	1	2	3
7	The minimum number of NAND gates required to realize XOR gates is	1	2	1
8	State the necessary and sufficient conditions to obtain sustained oscillations	2	1	1
9	In a 3 variable K-map, if all the cells contain 1's then the output is	1	1	1

PART-B

1a	Explain the operation of RC phase shift oscillator with a neat diagram and also mention the gain equation.	6	2	2
b	Prove that the stability of the gain of an amplifier improves with negative feedback by a factor $(1+A\beta)$ where A is the open loop gain of the amplifier and β is the feedback factor.	4	3	2
2a	Simplify the logic expression using K map and implement the logic circuit using NAND Gate. $F = \sum m(0,1,2,3,5,7,8,9,10,12,13)$	6	4	3
2b	List at least four important characteristics of an ideal op-amp and indicate their typical values for a general purpose commercial op-amp.	4	1	1
3a	Simplify the following expressions: i. $Y = (A + B)(A + \bar{B})(\bar{A} + B)$ ii. $Y = XY + XYZ + XY\bar{Z} + \bar{X}YZ$	5	3	2
b	Design an adder circuit using an op-amp to obtain an output expression. $V_0 = 2(0.1 V_1 + 0.5 V_2 + 20 V_3)$ where V_1, V_2, V_3 are the inputs. Assume the value of feedback resistor as $10K\Omega$.	5	4	4
4a	Define Slew rate and CMRR with necessary expressions	4	1	1
b	An amplifier has a gain of 50 dB. The bandwidth of 250KHz, distortion of 12%, an input impedance of $30K\Omega$, and an output impedance of $2K\Omega$. If the voltage series negative feedback of 2.9% is given to this amplifier, calculate the gain, input impedance, output impedance, bandwidth, and distortion of the amplifier with negative feedback.	6	4	3



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5a	Write the truth table for SUM and CARRYOUT of a full adder. From the truth table, obtain the logic expressions for the same and then realize the full adder using 2 half adders.	6	3	3
5b	Draw the circuit of an inverting amplifier and explain the working of the same with suitable expressions	4	3	3

BT-Blooms Taxonomy, CO-Course Outcomes, M-Marks

B1-Blooms Taxonomy, CO-Course Outcomes, M-Marks												
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	Quiz	Max Marks	5	4	1	-	5	4	1	-	-	-
	Test	Max Marks	8	15	22	5	8	6	19	17	-	-



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Electronics and Communication Engineering			
Date	March 2023	Maximum Marks	60
Course Code	22ES14C	Duration	110 Mins
Sem	I Semester	CIE 3	
PRINCIPLES OF ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING			

Instructions to candidates:

- Part A must be answered within the first two pages of manuscript.
- Assume the suitable data for missing values

		M	BT	CO
PART-A		1	1	2
1	Convert the binary number $(1010101)_2$ to octal.	1	1	1
2	One's complement of 1011 is _____.	1	2	2
3	The Hexadecimal equivalent of $(536)_8$ is _____.	1	2	2
4	Represent octal number $(321)_8$ and find its decimal equivalent.	1	1	1
5	In an AM system, the modulating frequency is 10KHz and the modulation index is 0.9. The required bandwidth is _____.	2	3	3
6	The total power delivered by an AM wave is 2640Watts. If the modulation index=0.8, the power in each side band=_____.	1	2	1
7	The frequency to which the incoming signal is changed in super heterodyne receiver is called _____ frequency.	1	2	1
8	In an AM modulation, a carrier signal of 1MHz is modulated by a sine wave of 600Hz and the depth of modulation is 70%. The transmission efficiency is _____.	1	1	1
9	The device which converts energy from one form to another form is called _____.			
PART-B		4	2	2
1.a	Subtract the given number using 2's complement Method i. $(9)_{10} - (7)_{10}$ ii. $(3)_{10} - (6)_{10}$	6	2	2
b	Perform the Following: i. Convert $(475.25)_8$ to its decimal equivalent ii. Convert $(3509)_{10}$ to its hexadecimal equivalent	5	1	3
2a	What is modulation and explain the need for modulation.	5	3	1
2b	Draw the block diagram of a general communication system and explain the each block in detail.	5	2	2
3a	A carrier of 2MHz has 1kW of its power amplitude modulated with a sinusoidal signal of 2KHz. The depth of modulation is 60%. Calculate the sideband frequencies, the signal bandwidth, the power in the sidebands and the total power in the modulated wave.	5	3	4
3b	Draw the digital communication block diagram and explain the function of each block in detail.	4	2	1
4a	Differentiate between RISC and CISC architecture.	6	3	3
4b	With the help of block diagram, explain the working of super heterodyne receiver	4	2	3
5a	Explain the following with examples: i. Active Sensor ii. Passive Sensor	6	1	3
5b	Explain the working principle of the following sensors and mention its			

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applications.

- i. Humidity Sensor
- ii. Ultrasonic Sensor

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	Test	Max Marks	11	23	16	-	16	19	15	-	-

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PRINCIPLES OF ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING (ELECTIVE)

Time: 03 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Instructions to candidates:

1. Answer all questions from Part A. Part A questions should be answered in first three pages of the answer book only.
2. Answer FIVE full questions from Part B. Question number 2 is compulsory. Choose any one full question from 3 or 4, 5 or 6, 7 or 8 and 9 or 10.

PART-A

1	1.1	The output voltage of a regulated DC power supply changes from 20V to 19.7V when the load is increased from zero to maximum. Then the load regulation is _____.	02
	1.2	A transistor amplifier connected in CE mode has the value of β as 100 and I_B as $50\mu A$, then the value of I_E and α are _____ and _____ respectively.	02
	1.3	An amplifier has a voltage gain of 100 at 1KHz. The gain falls by 6dB at 1MHz. If the input is 3mW at 2MHz, then the output voltage is _____.	02
	1.4	In an RC phase shift oscillator using an ideal voltage amplifier, the frequency of oscillation is 2KHz. If $R = 6.25\Omega$, the value of C is _____.	01
	1.5	A non-inverting amplifier using an op-amp has $R_i = 10K\Omega$ and $R_f = 40K\Omega$. The closed loop gain is _____.	01
	1.6	An operational amplifier has a differential gain of 100 and a common mode gain of 0.01. Then its CMRR is _____ dB.	01
	1.7	The ones's complement of 01011 is _____.	01
	1.8	The decimal equivalent of $(321)_8$ is _____.	01
	1.9	The minimum number of NOR gates required to realize XOR gates is _____.	01
	1.10	For an AM signal, the bandwidth is 10KHz and the highest frequency component present is 705KHz. The carrier frequency used for this AM signal is _____.	02
	1.11	A carrier of peak voltage 15V is used to transmit a message signal. If the modulation index is 70%, then the peak voltage of the modulating signal is _____.	01
	1.12	The carrier amplitude after AM varies between 4V and 1V. The depth of modulation is _____.	01
	1.13	A 400W carrier is modulated to a depth of 75%. Assuming the modulating signal to be sinusoidal, the total power in the amplitude-modulated wave is _____.	01
	1.14	A part of the transducer which responds to a change in the physical phenomenon is called _____.	01

1.15	The elements which exhibit Piezo-electric qualities are called	01
1.16	A Hall effect transducer is used to measure a magnetic field of 0.5 wb/m^2 , Bismuth slab of 2 mm thickness with a Hall coefficient of $-1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Vm/(A - wb/m}^2)$, and current 3 A is used. Then the corresponding output voltage is	01

PART-B

2	<p>a Draw the circuit of a full wave bridge rectifier and describe its working with suitable Waveforms.</p> <p>b In a Zener regulator circuit shown in Fig 2b, design the value of R, so that the circuit performs satisfactorily under all given conditions. $I_{zmin} = 5 \text{ mA}$, $P_{d(max)} = 2.5 \text{ W}$ and $V_z = 5.6 \text{ V}$.</p> <div data-bbox="460 619 1031 850" data-label="Diagram"> </div> <p align="center">Fig 2b</p> <p>c An amplifier having a power gain of 17 dB delivers a power output of 40 W to a load of $1 \text{ k}\Omega$. Calculate i) The input power needed ii) The input voltage needed Assume voltage gain of the amplifier is 38 dB.</p>	<p>06</p> <p>06</p> <p>04</p>
3	<p>a Draw the circuit of an integrator using an op-amp and derive the expression for the output voltage.</p> <p>b Calculate the output voltage of a three-input summing amplifier shown in Fig 3b</p> <div data-bbox="452 1281 1038 1522" data-label="Diagram"> </div> <p align="center">Fig 3b</p> <p>c Mention any four advantages of negative feedback.</p> <p align="center">OR</p>	<p>06</p> <p>04</p>
4	<p>a Explain the operation of RC phase shift oscillator with a neat diagram and also mention the gain equation.</p> <p>b Design a scaling adder circuit using an op-amp to obtain an output expression. $V_o = -(3V_1 + 4V_2 + 5V_3)$ where V_1, V_2, V_3 are the inputs. Assume the value of feedback resistor as $10 \text{ k}\Omega$.</p> <p>c Draw the circuit of a differentiator using an op-amp. Derive the expression for the output voltage.</p>	<p>06</p> <p>05</p> <p>05</p>

5	a	Write the truth table for <i>SUM</i> and <i>CARRYOUT</i> of a full adder. From the truth table, obtain the logic expressions for the same and then realize the full adder using 2 half adders.	05
	b	Simplify the logic expression and implement the logic circuit using <i>NOR</i> Gate.	05
	c	$Y = (A + \bar{B} + C)(\bar{A} + B + C)(A + B)$ Simplify the logic expression using <i>K</i> map and implement the logic circuit using <i>NAND</i> Gate. $F(A, B, C, D) = \Sigma m(0, 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 15)$	06
OR			
6	a	Simplify the logic expression and implement the logic circuit using <i>NAND</i> Gate	06
	b	$Y = (A + \bar{B} + C)(\bar{A} + B + \bar{C})(A + \bar{B})$ Simplify the logic expression using <i>K</i> map and implement the logic circuit using basic Gates.	06
	c	$F(A, B, C, D) = \Sigma m(0, 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15)$ Realize the <i>EX – NOR</i> function using a minimum number of <i>NOR</i> gates only.	04
7	a	With the help of a neat block diagram explain the working of a Superheterodyne receiver.	06
	b	A carrier of 2MHz has 1KW of its power amplitude modulated with a sinusoidal signal of 2KHz. The depth of modulation is 60%. Calculate the sideband frequencies, bandwidth, power in sidebands, total power, and efficiency.	06
	c	Write any four differences between Harvard and Von-Neumann <i>CPU</i> architecture.	04
OR			
8	a	With the help of a block diagram, explain the working of a digital communication system.	06
	b	For an <i>AM</i> signal $V_{AM} = 10(1 + 0.5\sin 6280t)\sin(62.8 \times 10^6t)$. Calculate the sideband frequencies, bandwidth, amplitude of each sideband, Total power, and efficiency.	06
	c	List any four differences between <i>RISC</i> and <i>CISC</i> .	04
9	a	With the help of a neat diagram, discuss the working principle of <i>LVDT</i> .	08
	b	Explain the working principle of ultrasonic sensors and Humidity sensors mentioning their respective applications.	08
OR			
10	a	Explain the working of a piezo-Electric Transducer with relevant equations.	06
	b	Briefly explain the working of capacitive transducers.	06
	c	Mention any four differences between active and passive transducers.	04