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II Semester Diploma Examination, April/May-2018

BASICS OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 100

- Note :** (i) Answer any **six** questions from Part – A.
(ii) Answer any **seven** questions from Part – B.

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PART – A



Diploma 6 × 5 = 30 Branches]

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1. State the properties of semiconductors.

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2. Define α and β , deduce the relation between them.



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3. Define Transistor. Explain transistor circuit configurations.

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4. Define JFET parameters.

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5. Explain working of N-channel JFET with a neat diagram.

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6. Write a short note on construction of TRIAC.

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7. List the classification of IC's by structure.

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8. Explain the terms photoemissive, photoconductive and photovoltaic effect.

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9. List the applications and advantages of LED.

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PART – B

7 × 10 = 70

10. (a) Define Doping. Compare intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductor. 5
(b) Explain N-type semiconductor. 5
11. (a) Explain the reverse characteristics of zener diode. 5
(b) Explain the application of diode as a switch. 5
12. (a) Explain the working of PNP transistor. 5
(b) Explain the input characteristics of CB configuration. 5
13. (a) Justify the need for heat sink. 5
(b) Write a note on transistor as Emitter follower. 5
14. (a) Compare BJT and JFET. 5
(b) Explain the structure of P-channel MOSFET. 5
15. (a) Explain the drain characteristics of P-channel JFET. 5
(b) Compare JFET and MOSFET. 5
16. Explain the steps involved in the fabrication of monolithic IC. 10
17. Briefly explain working principle and characteristics of UJT. 10
18. (a) Write a short note on Opto-coupler. 5
(b) Explain working of LED. 5
19. Explain the V-I characteristics of SCR. 10