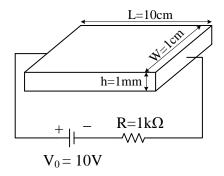
## Electronics 1, Assignment #2, Physics of diodes and analysis of diode circuits.

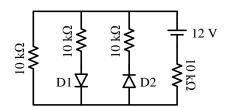
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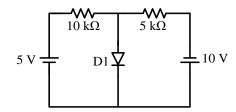


- 1. An n-type impurity with a concentration of  $2 \times 10^{14} cm^{-3}$  is added to a piece of Germanium crystal. The temperature is supposed to be 300°K.
  - a) Determine the density of free electrons and holes.
  - b) How much does the specific conductivity change compared to the intrinsic Germanium?
- 2. A current of 5 mA is flowed through a silicon diode in room temperature. The forward voltage across the diode is 0.7 V. If the voltage increases to 0.8 V, estimate the current of the diode. Determine  $I_s$ . Suppose  $\eta = 2$ .
- 3. a) A piece of crystalline silicon is doped with a Phosphorus impurity with a concentration of  $10^{17}$  1/cm<sup>3</sup>. Calculate the density of electrons and holes in 400 °K.
  - b) Determine the specific resistance of the semiconductor.
  - c) Obtain the current in the following circuit. Suppose that the cubic material has specifications according to (a) and (b).

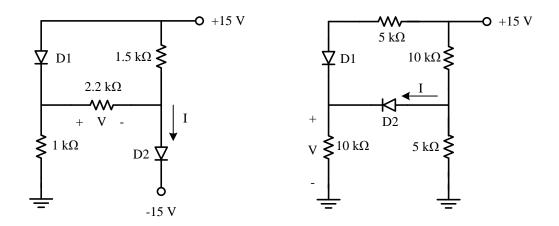


- 4. In the following circuits, calculate the currents of the diodes. Suppose:
  - a) The diodes are ideal ones.
  - b) The diodes are modeled by a 0.7-V constant voltage source.

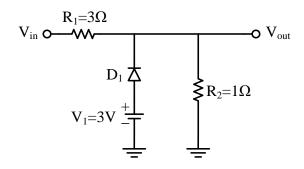




5. Determine I and V in the circuits shown below. Assume ideal diodes.



- 6. In the following circuit, model the diode by a 0.8 V constant voltage source.
  - a) Specify the corresponding values for  $V_{in}$ , for which the diode will be on.
  - b) Draw the input-output characteristic of the circuit.
  - c) Suppose that the input voltage is a sinusoidal signal with an amplitude of 10 V. plot the output voltage as a function of time.



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