



**B.Tech I Semester Regular/Supplementary Examinations, April 2022**  
**ELECTRONIC DEVICES**  
(ECE)

**Maximum Marks: 70**

Date:02.05.2022 Duration: 3 hours

- Note:
1. This question paper contains two parts A and B.
  2. Part A is compulsory which carries 20 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.
  3. Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit.
  4. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c, d as sub questions.

**Part-A**

All the following questions carry equal marks

(10x2M=20 Marks)

- 1 Draw the PN Diode and Zener diode symbol.
- 2 Write temperature dependence of a diode.
- 3 List out the advantages and disadvantages of a Tunnel Diode.
- 4 Can an Ordinary rectifier diode be used as a Zener diode? Explain.
- 5 Define the following terms:  
a) Ripple Factor                      b) Transformer utilization factor
- 6 What is the need of filter in rectifier
- 7 Define the early effect and its consequences.
- 8 Write the need of h-parameters,
- 9 Why are N-Channel MOSFETs preferred over P- Channel MOSFETs.
- 10 Compare BJT & FET

**Part-B**

Answer All the following questions.

(5X10M=50Marks)

- 11 a) Explain the Diffusion Capacitance in PN Junction Diode. (7M)  
b) The reverse saturation current of a silicon PN junction diode is 20  $\mu$ A. Calculate the diode current for the forward-bias voltage of 0.65V at 25° C. (3M)
- OR
- 12 a) Distinguish between Avalanche and Zener Mechanisms (5M)  
b) Explain the VI characteristics of PN junction diode with a neat sketches (5M)
- 13 With Energy band diagrams, explain the working principle and V-I Characteristics of Tunnel diode (10M)
- OR
- 14 a) Show that the Zener diode can be used as a voltage regulator. (5M)  
b) Explain the principle of varactor diode and list out its applications. (5M)
- 15 With proper illustrations, explain the working principle of a full wave rectifier and derive the

expressions for average value of voltage, rms value of voltage and ripple factor. (10M)

OR

- 16 a) Compare the performance of Inductance, L-section and  $\pi$  –section filters. (5M)  
b) Explain the significance of the Bleeder resistor in filters. (5M)

- 17 Explain input and output characteristics of common emitter configuration with neat sketches (10M)

OR

- 18 Derive the stability factor (S) for self-bias (10M)

- 19 With the help of suitable diagrams explain the working of N channel enhancement MOSFET (10M)

OR

- 20 Explain the construction of N-channel JFET. List the relative merits of N-Channel and a P-Channel JFET. (10M)