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**NEW SCHEME**

**Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec. 06 / Jan. 07**  
**EE / EC / IT / TC / BM / ML / CS / IS**  
**Electronics Circuits**

Time: 3 hrs.]

[Max. Marks:100

**Note :** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions.  
 2. Missing data may be suitably assumed.

- 1 a. Explain diffusion capacitance. Obtain an expression for the diffusion capacitance in a P-N diode. (07 Marks)
- b. What is a voltage multiplier circuit? Explain the operation of a full wave voltage doubler circuit. (07 Marks)
- c. Assuming ideal diode in the circuit shown below, draw the output voltage for the given input signal.

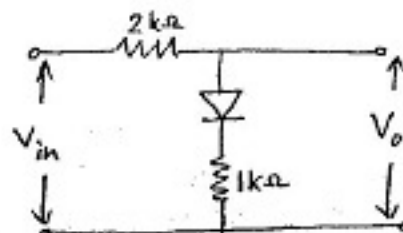
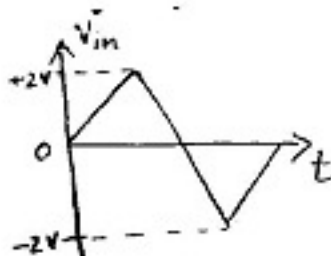


Fig.1(c)

(06 Marks)

- 2 a. Draw and explain a double diode clipper circuit, which limits the output at two independent levels. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain how a diode can be used in a transistor to compensate for changes in  $I_{CO}$ . (06 Marks)
- c. For the circuit shown in the Fig.2(c) determine  $I_C$ ,  $V_{CE}$ ,  $R_1$ ,  $V_B$ .

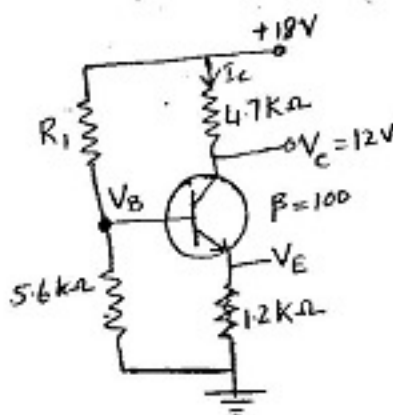


Fig.2(c)

(08 Marks)

- 3 a. Explain how h-parameters can be obtained from the static characteristics of a transistor. (06 Marks)
- b. State and explain Millers theorem. (04 Marks)

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- c. For the common emitter amplifier with collector to base bias shown in the Fig.3(c)  
Calculate :  $A_i$ ,  $R_i$ ,  $R'_i$ ,  $A_v$  and  $A_{v_s}$

Given :  $h_{ie} = 1.1 \text{ k}$  ;  $h_{\beta} = 50$      $h_{oe} = 25 \mu\text{A/V}$  ;  $h_{rc} = 2.5 \times 10^{-4}$

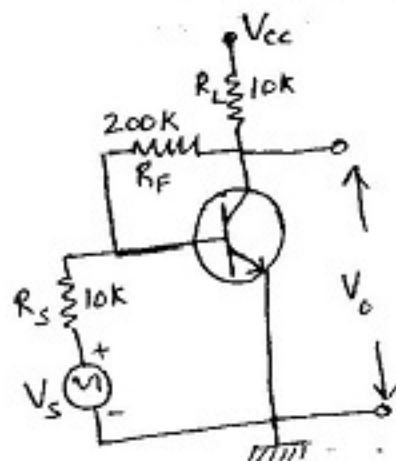


Fig.3(c)

(10 Marks)

- 4 a. Draw the hybrid -  $\pi$  model of a transistor and explain the significance of each component in the model. (06 Marks)
- b. Derive expressions for transistor transconductance  $g_m$  and input conductance  $g_{i_c}$ . (10 Marks)
- c. Explain the various types of distortions encountered in amplifiers. (04 Marks)
- 5 a. What is negative feedback in amplifiers? Show that negative feedback increases the bandwidth of an amplifier. (08 Marks)
- b. Derive an expression for the input resistance with feedback amplifier employing voltage series feedback. (06 Marks)
- c. An amplifier with negative feedback has voltage gain 120. It is found that without feedback an input signal of 60mV is required to produce a particular output, whereas with feedback the input signal must be 0.5V to get the same input. Find  $A_v$  and  $\beta$  of the amplifier. (06 Marks)
- 6 a. Show that a transformer coupled class-A amplifier has a maximum power efficiency of 50%. (07 Marks)
- b. With circuit diagram explain the working of class-B push-pull amplifier. Also obtain an expression for the maximum conversion efficiency of this amplifier. (09 Marks)
- c. How much maximum power can be dissipated in the individual transistors of a class-B push-pull power amplifier if  $V_{CC} = 20\text{V}$  and  $R_L = 4\Omega$ . (04 Marks)
- 7 a. With usual notations derive an expression for the voltage gain of a practical inverting op-amp. (06 Marks)
- b. Describe a method of measuring and calculating CMRR of an op-amp. (06 Marks)
- c. What are the advantages of active filters over passive ones? Design a first order high pass filter at a cutoff frequency of 10 kHz with a pass band gain of 1.5. (08 Marks)
- 8 a. Draw an inverting op-amp Schmitt trigger circuit and explain its working. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain the principle of operation of a R-2R ladder type D to A converter. (06 Marks)
- c. With the help of a neat diagram and relevant waveforms explain the working of a monostable multivibrator circuit using 555 timer. (08 Marks)