

Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.09/Jan.10
Linear ICs and Applications

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

- Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.**
2. Use of resistor and capacitor standard value lists is permitted.
3. Missing data may be suitably assumed.

PART - A

- 1 a. Sketch the circuit of a high Z_{in} capacitor coupled voltage follower. Obtain the expression for input impedance of the circuit. (08 Marks)
- b. A non-inverting amplifier as in Fig.1(b) has the following components: $R_1 = 33 \text{ K}\Omega$, $R_2 = 150 \text{ K}\Omega$, $R_3 = 1.5 \text{ K}\Omega$, $R_L = 4.7 \text{ K}\Omega$, $C_1 = 0.39 \mu\text{F}$, $C_2 = 0.27 \mu\text{F}$. Determine the circuit voltage gain, input impedance and lower cut-off frequency. (06 Marks)

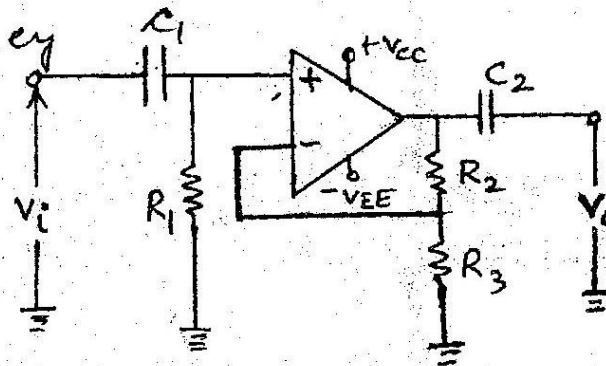


Fig.1(b).

- c. Briefly discuss the upper cut-off frequency of an op-amp circuit and show how the cut-off frequency can be set for inverting amplifier. (06 Marks)
- 2 a. Define:
 i) Loop gain
 ii) Loop phase shift
 iii) Unity gain band width. (06 Marks)
- b. What is frequency compensation? Explain phase lag or phase lead compensation method. (08 Marks)
- c. List the precautions that should be observed for op-amp circuit stability. (06 Marks)
- 3 a. With a neat circuit diagram, explain the operation of a high input impedance full wave precision rectifier. Draw the voltage waveforms at various points in the circuit and write the appropriate equations to show that full wave rectification is performed. (08 Marks)
- b. Design an adjustable peak clipping circuit, using an inverting op-amp to clip at approximately $\pm (3\text{V to } 5\text{V})$. The circuit is to have unity voltage gain before clipping. Choose $I_{Bmax} = 50 \text{ nA}$. (06 Marks)
- c. Sketch and explain the working of sample – and – hold circuit. (06 Marks)

- 4 . a. Draw the circuit diagram of an inverting Schmitt trigger using op-amp with $LTP = 0$ and $UTP =$ any value other than zero. Draw the input, output waveforms. Explain clearly the operation. (06 Marks)
- b. Design a non-inverting Schmitt trigger circuit, to have $UTP = 1V$ and $LTP = -1.5V$. Use a 741 op-amp with $V_{cc} = \pm 15V$. Choose $I_{Bmax} = 500$ nA. (08 Marks)
- c. Sketch the circuit of an op-amp astable multivibrator. Show the voltage waveform at various points in the circuit and explain its operation. (06 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Sketch the circuit of a triangular/rectangular waveform generator. Draw the output waveforms from the circuit and explain the circuit operation. (08 Marks)
- b. State Barkhausen criteria. Explain with a diagram how it is fulfilled in the phase-shift oscillator. (06 Marks)
- c. Design a Wein-bridge oscillator to have a frequency of 12 KHZ. Use a bipolar op-amp with a $\pm 15V$ supply. (06 Marks)
- 6 a. Show how a band pass filter circuit can be constructed by the use of a low – pass filter and a high – pass filter. Sketch the expected frequency response and explain the band pass filter operation. (08 Marks)
- b. Design a wide-band-reject filter having $f_h = 400$ Hz and $f_L = 2$ HZ having pass gain as 2. (06 Marks)
- c. Derive expression for gain and phase angle of first-order low-pass Butterworth filter. (06 Marks)
- 7 a. What is dc voltage regulator? Explain the term line regulation, load regulation and ripple rejection for a dc voltage regulator. (08 Marks)
- b. Sketch the circuit of a voltage follower regulator and explain its operation. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain the basic circuit of a LM 217 voltage regulator. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. What is phase – locked – loop? Explain the working of building blocks of PLL. (08 Marks)
- b. Write short notes on:
- Universal active filter
 - Switched capacitor filter. (12 Marks)

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