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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

SECOND SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2017

Course Code: EC100

Course Name: BASICS OF ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

Max. Marks: 100 Duration: 3 Hours.

PART A

Answer ALL Questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Write any four applications of electronics.
- 2. Explain working principle of transformer. Name any two classification of transformer.
- 3. A carbon resistor has colour code violet, green and brown. Find the range of resistance value.
- 4. What is extrinsic semiconductor? Give four examples for pentavalent impurity and trivalent impurity.
- 5. Calculate the value of emitter current of a transistor in active region for which $\beta = 40$ and $I_B = 25\mu A$.
- 6. Draw the symbol of npn transistor. What are the typical doping concentrations and sizes of three regions of transistor?
- 7. Draw the block diagram of dc power supply and specify the functions of each block.
- 8. State Barkhaussen's criterion for sustained oscillations.
- 9. Derive the expression for ripple factor of a half wave rectifier. What is its value?
- 10. Name any four parameters of operational amplifier. Give the values of these parameters for an ideal Op-Amp.
- 11. Draw the block diagram of Op-Amp and specify the function of each block.
- 12. Draw the symbol and truth table of XOR gate and XNOR gate.
- 13. Name and specify any four frequency bands used for satellite communication.
- 14. What are the needs for modulation?
- 15. The amplitude of carrier wave is 10V and frequency is 1KHz. Modulation index is 0.4. Calculate the total power transmitted of an AM wave.
- 16. Differentiate the concepts between uplink and downlink frequencies.
- 17. Write any four advantages of optical communication system over copper wire-based communication system.
- 18. What is frequency reuse?

- 19. Define total internal reflection. What is the approximate value of core and cladding diameter of OFC?
- 20. Name any four applications of CCTV.

PART B

Answer ANY 8 Questions. Each question carries 5 Marks.

- 21. With the help of necessary diagram, explain carbon composition resistor and carbon film resistor.
- 22. Explain the basic principles of contactors and relays with the help of neat schematics.
- 23. With the help of diagrams, explain the principle of operation of npn transistor. What is the current gain of common emitter transistor? What is the relationship between α and β ?
- 24. Explain the constructional details of LED and Solar Cell. Explain the working of each.
- 25. Briefly explain the working of Zener voltage regulator. Discuss the line regulation of a Zener voltage regulator.
- 26. Draw the circuit and explain the working of RC coupled common emitter amplifier. Plot its frequency response showing the cut off frequencies.
- 27. Explain the structure and operation of n type and p type semiconductor.
- 28. Define CMRR and slew rate of Op-Amp. Derive the expression for the gain of inverting and non-inverting amplifier using Op-Amp.
- 29. Draw the block diagram and explain the working of a function generator.
- 30. Construct XOR gate and XNOR gate using any one type of the universal gates only.

PART C

Answer ANY 4 Questions. Each question carries 5 Marks.

- 31. What is communication satellite and explain the operation of satellite communication system? Write any two application of satellite communication system.
- 32. What is modulation? Differentiate between amplitude modulation and frequency modulation. Define frequency deviation of FM.
- 33. Draw the block diagram of FM super heterodyne receiver and explain the working.
- 34. Explain the operation of cellular mobile communication system. Explain the steps involved in a typical call connection between two mobile users.
- 35. Draw the block diagram of optical communication system and explain. Write any two applications of optical communication system.
- 36. Draw the block diagram and explain the working of a cable TV system.
