# Electrical 

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## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2015 Questions

1. In the Figure shown what is the function of $R_{0}$ and determine its value when
$\mathrm{V}_{0}=-3 \mathrm{~V}_{1}-2 \mathrm{~V}_{2}$.


Figure
2. Find the efficiency of a class A amplifier shown in Figure. Given that the voltage drop across $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{E}}$ is 1 V , the signal current swings from -0.5 A to +0.5 A and the DC current is 1 A .


## Figure

3. Explain the speed enhancement gained in MOS device by using silicon-on-sapphire or spinel (SOS). What are the other good features of the process? Mention the drawbacks.
[20M]

## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2016 Questions

1. Two ideal and identical junction diodes are connected as shown in Fig. 1(d). If the current through the reverse-biased diode is $I_{0}$ and is constant, explain the circuit operation when both the diodes are connected in forward-biased condition. Assume $V_{T}=25 \mathrm{mV}, V_{\gamma}=0.7 V$ and $\eta=1$ for the diodes.


Fig. 1(d)
2. For the circuit shown in Fig. 2(c), calculate the resistance $R_{0}$ as seen by the output terminals. Ignore the effect of $R_{1}$ and $R_{2}$. Assume $\beta=99$ and $h_{i e}=1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. Comment on the value of $R_{0}$ of the circuit:


Fig. 2(c)
3.For the circuit shown in Fig. 3(c), get the expression for $V_{0}$. Also sketch the output waveform. Assume that the op-amp is ideal. $R=\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}, \omega=\frac{1}{\sqrt{L C}}$ and $V_{i}=10 \sin \omega t$ :

4. For the op-amp circuit shown in Fig. 4(c), deduce the output voltage expression. Calculate $V_{0}$, when $\mathrm{R}_{1}=1 \mathrm{k} \Omega=\mathrm{R}_{2}, \mathrm{R}_{3}=1 \mathrm{~K}$ and $\mathrm{R}_{4}=2 \mathrm{~K}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\text {in }}=1 \mathrm{~V}$


Fig. 4(c)
5. Identify the circuit shown in Fig. 6(a). Briefly explain the same. Calculate the current $i$ and $V_{o}$, if $V_{R}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ and $\mathrm{R}=5 \mathrm{k} \Omega=R_{F}$ :
[20M]


## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2017 Questions

1. For the circuit given in Fig. 1(d)-
(i) draw the input and output waveforms;
(ii) find the average value of the output voltage waveform.

Assume that the diode in the circuit is ideal.

2. Find the average voltage at the point $V_{0}$ in the circuit given in Fig. 4(c):


Fig. 4(c)
3. (i) Draw the circuit diagram of Wien bridge oscillator using OP-AMP.
(ii) Find the value of R to get a sustained oscillation of 1115 Hz . Assume that the value of the capacitor is $0.1 \mu \mathrm{~F}$.
4. (i) Draw the circuit diagram of a bandpass filter using OP-AMP. Its parameters are $f_{L}=300 \mathrm{~Hz}, f_{H}=2 \mathrm{kHz}$ and passband gain is 4 .
(ii) Calculate the value of Q . Assume that the capacitor value is $0.01 \mu \mathrm{~F}$.

## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2018 Questions

1. For the op-amp circuit shown in Figure 1(d), determine the gain $A_{v}=\frac{V_{0}}{V_{i}}$. Assume that all resistors are equal.
[10M]

2. Determine the feedback fraction and the operating frequency for the oscillator circuit shown in Figure 6(c)


Figure 6(c)
3. The integrator circuit shown in Figure 4(c) is to be used to generate a triangular waveform from a 500 Hz square wave connected to its input. Suppose that the square wave alternates between $\pm 12 \mathrm{~V}$.
(i) Find the minimum slew rate required for the amplifier.
(ii) Find the maximum output voltage the amplifier can generate.


Fig. 4(c)
4. Calculate the output voltage $V_{0}$ in terms of the input voltagesv $v_{i 1}, v_{\mathrm{i} 2}, v_{\mathrm{i} 3}$ and $v_{\mathrm{i} 4}$ for the circuit shown in Figure 8(b).


Fig. 8(b)

## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2019 Questions

1. Find the DC input resistance at the transistor base of the circuit shown in Figure 1(c)[10M]


Figure 1
Figure 1(c)
2. Determine the output voltage of the op-amp differentiator circuit shown in Figure 2 for the triangular wave input as shown and draw the output voltage waveform.


Figure 2.
3. For the circuit shown in Figure 3(c), derive the expression for stability factor $S(\beta)$.


Figure 3(c)
4. For the circuit given in Figure 6(d), comment on its operating conditions.


Figure 6(d)

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\text { For the transistor, } \begin{aligned}
& \beta=100 \\
& \\
& \qquad \begin{array}{l}
\mathrm{IO}=1 \mathrm{~mA} \\
\\
\\
\left(\text { at } \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CB}}=40 \mathrm{~V}\right)
\end{array}
\end{aligned}
$$

5. Determine $I_{D}$ and $V_{G S}$ for the JFET with voltage divider bias as shown in Figure 7(b). The internal parameter values of this JFET are such that $V_{D} \approx 7 \mathrm{~V}$


Figure 7(b)
6. A 3-stage amplifier has stages with the following specifications:

| Stage | Power Gain | Noise Figure |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 10 | 2 |
| 2 | 25 | 4 |
| 3 | 30 | 5 |

Calculate the overall power gain and noise figure in dB and the noise temperature.
Assume matched conditions.
[10M]

## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2020 Questions

1. A Darlington transistor pair circuit is shown in Figure 1 (d) below. Both the transistors have dc current gain $\beta$ of 30 . In the circuit $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=+12 \mathrm{~V}, R_{E}=1.5 \mathrm{k} \Omega$
(i) Find the value of $R_{1}$ needed to bias the circuit such that $V_{C E Q_{2}}=5 \mathrm{~V}$ for transistor $T_{2}$.
(ii) With the same value of $R_{1}$ as obtained above, determine the value of $V_{C E Q_{1}}$.

Assume both $T_{1}$ and $T_{2}$ are Si transistors.


Figure 1


Figure 1(d)
2. Shown below (Figure 3(a)) is a differential amplifier with a three transistor active load. Draw the small signal equivalent circuit of its output stage with active load and calculate its small differential mode voltage gain. Assume the output impedances of the transistors $Q_{1}$ to $Q_{5}$ to be $r_{01}$ to $r_{05}$ respectively. Assume the base currents to be negligible.


Figure 3(a)
3. A first order low pass filter circuit is shown in Figure 4 (c) below. It is desired that the dc gain of the filter be 5 and the input impedance is $10 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. The value of the capacitor $C=100 \mathrm{nF}$. Find the values of $R, R_{1}$ and the cut-off frequency $f_{c}$ of the filter.
(Assume ideal OP-AMP)


Figure 3.

## Figure 4(c)

## UPSC - ELECTRICAL Engineering optional - 2021 Questions

1. For the transistor circuit shown in Figure 1(d), determine the value of reverse saturation current, $I_{S}$, that would give a collector current of 1 mA , if $\beta=80, V_{A}=\infty$ and $V_{T}=26 \mathrm{mV}$ at $T=300 \mathrm{~K}$.


Figure 1(d)
2. Explain what happens when a circuit shown in Figure 3a(i) below is constructed using logarithmic amplifier.


Figure 3(a)(i)
3. Explain what happens if the topology is modified as shown in Figure 3(a)(ii) below.
[10M]


Figure 3(a)(ii)
4. Determine the closed loop gain of the inverting amplifier shown in Figure 4(c) below.

Explain the result if $R_{1} \rightarrow 0$ or $R_{2} \rightarrow 0$.


Figure 4(c)

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