

**B.Sc. Semester III (Honours) Examination, 2018-19****ELECTRONICS****Course ID : 31711****Course Code : SHELC-301C-5(T)**

Course Title : Electronic Circuits

**Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes****Full Marks: 25***The figures in the margin indicate full marks.**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.***1. Answer any three of the following: 1×3=3**

- (a) Draw the forward and reverse characteristics of an ideal diode.
- (b) Draw the block diagram of a Zener diode based power supply.

*Or,*

What is an electronic filter?

- (c) Draw the circuit diagram of a voltage divider method of biasing with *n-p-n* transistor.
- (d) What is Darlington pair?
- (e) What is feedback in an Amplifier?
- (f) What is class A operation?

*Or,*

What is the maximum conversion efficiency of a class A power amplifier?

**2. Answer any three of the following: 2×3=6**

- (a) What is ripple factor ( $\gamma$ )? What is its value for a half wave and for a full wave rectifier circuit? 1+1=2
- (b) Show the output waveform of a full wave rectifier when the input is a sinusoidal wave.
- (c) Draw and explain both dc and ac load line for a transistor based CE amplifier.

*Or,*Give the *h*-parameter based model of an Amplifier in CE configuration.

- (d) What are 'Barkhausen criterion' for the condition of oscillations?

*Or,*

What is 'sustained oscillation'? What is the condition for this type oscillation?

- (e) How many types of power amplifiers are there? Classify them according to their nature of operation. 1+1=2

*Or,*

What are the basic difference between a Voltage Amplifier and a Power Amplifier?

- (f) What is quality factor (Q) of a tuned amplifier? How is it related to bandwidth ( $\Delta f$ ) of the same amplifier?

3. Answer *any two* of the following: 5×2=10

- (a) Derive the expression for ripple factor ( $\gamma$ ) and rectification efficiency ( $\eta$ ) for a full wave rectifier circuit.

*Or,*

Draw the circuit diagram of a zener diode based voltage regulator circuit and explain it. What are load and line regulation? 4+1=5

- (b) Derive an expression for voltage gain of a CE-Amplifier in the mid frequency range with  $h$ -parameter ac equivalent circuit.

*Or,*

How the individual gain of a CE-Amplifier is being effected/changed during Cascading with other amplifiers? Derive its expression from  $h$ -parameter ac equivalent circuit. 1+4=5

- (c) With proper circuit diagram obtain an expression for the frequency of generated signal for an R-C 'phase shaft' oscillator. What type of frequencies are generated by this oscillator? 4+1=5

*Or,*

Draw the circuit diagram of class-B push-pull power amplifier circuit. Explain briefly about its operation and obtain the expression for conversion efficiency ( $\eta$ ). 1+1+3=5

- (d) Draw the circuit diagram of a single tuned voltage amplifier circuit. Obtain its  $h$ -parameter ac equivalent circuit. Hence obtain the expression for measure voltage gain for this type of amplifier. 1+1+3=5

4. Answer *any one* of the following questions: 6×1=6

- (a) What are clipping and clamping circuits? How many types of clipping circuits are there? With proper circuit diagram describe the operation of a clipper. 2+1+3=6

*Or,*

Draw the circuit diagram of either a centre-tapped /or a bridge type full-wave rectifier circuit and hence draw its output wave-form. What is PIV (Peak Inverse Voltage)? 3+2+1=6

- (b) With proper circuit diagram explain the working principle of either a Hartley or a Colpitt oscillator. Obtain the expression for generated frequency of the same oscillator. Give one application of it. 5+1=6

- (c) Draw and explain the operation of complementary symmetry class-B push-pull power amplifier. What is Harmonic distortion? 5+1=6

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