

C14-EC-302

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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14) OCT/NOV-2015 DECE-THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION

ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND CIRCUITS

Time: 3 hours [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- 1. Define, and pf a transistor.
- 2. State the reasons for wide use of CE amplifier.
- **3.** List the types of biasing circuits.
- **4.** State the need for multistage amplifiers.
- **5.** List the merits of negative feedback amplifiers.
- **6.** Classify power amplifiers based on conduction.
- 7. State the condition for an amplifier to work as an oscillator.

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- 8. Compare JFET and MOSFET.
- **9.** List any three applications of photovoltaic cells.
- **10.** Draw transistor circuit to drive a relay.

PART—B

 $10 \times 5 = 50$

Instructions: (1) Answer any **five** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- **11.** Explain the construction and working of n-channel JFET.
- **12.** Draw the practical transistor CE amplifier and explain the function of each component.
- **13.** Explain the operation of Darlington pair with the help of circuit diagram.
- **14.** Compare positive and negative feedback. Explain how negative feed back improves stability.
- **15.** Explain the working of transistor push-pull power amplifier circuit.
- **16.** Explain the construction and principle of operation of depletion type *n*-channel MOSFET.
- **17.** Explain the construction, working principle and characteristics of LED and opto-coupler.
- **18.** Explain the operation of transistor shunt voltage regulator.

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