

C14-EC-302

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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14) OCT/NOV-2018 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.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- 1. Mention the three different configurations of a transistor.
- 2. Define stability factor (S) of CE configuration.
- **3.** Classify amplifiers based on period of conduction.
- **4.** Draw the circuit diagram of two-stage RC coupled amplifier.
- **5.** List the merits of negative feedback amplifiers.
- **6.** List any three distortions in power amplifiers.
- **7.** Draw the equivalent circuit of a crystal.
- **8.** List the applications of photodiode.

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- **9.** Write any three differences between JFET and MOSFET.
- **10.** How a transistor works as a switch in CE configuration?

PART—B

 $10 \times 5 = 50$

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

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) The answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. (a) Explain the construction and working of n-channel JFET.
 - (b) Draw the drain characteristics of n-channel JFET.
- 12. Draw and explain the potential divider method of biasing.
- **13.** Draw and explain the operation of double tuned amplifier and draw its frequency response.
- 14. Draw and explain the operation of Colpitts oscillator.
- **15.** (a) List the merits and demerits of RC oscillators.
 - (b) Draw the block diagrams of voltage series, current shunt feedback amplifiers.
- **16.** Draw and explain the principle of operation of CMOSFET.
- **17.** Construction and working of Varactor diode and list its applications.
- **18.** Draw and explain the operation of transistor series voltage regulator.

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