

Scheme of Valuation/Answer Key (SET2)

(Scheme of evaluation (marks in brackets) and answers of problems/key)

APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
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Course Code: EC203

Course Name: SOLID STATE DEVICES (EC,AE)

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

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Part A

1a) Definition of Hall effect with diagram :- 3 marks

$$\rho_o = \frac{I_x B_z}{q t V_{AB}} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{2 marks each.}$$
$$R_p = \frac{V_{AB}}{V_{CD}} \frac{L}{B_z w}$$

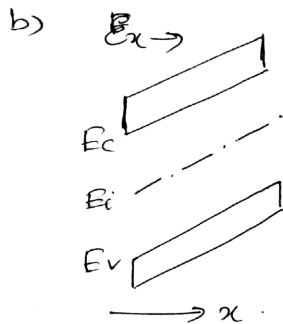


diagram :- 1 mark
explanations :- 2 marks.

c) a) $f(E_i) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{(E_i - E_F)/kT}} = 2.08 \times 10^{-7}$

b) E

c) $B_z = 10^4 \text{ Wb/cm}^2$

From the sign of V_{AB} , we can see that the majority carriers are electrons (1 mark)

$$n_o = \frac{I_x B_z}{q t (-V_{AB})} = 3.125 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

$$\rho = \frac{R}{L/wt} = \frac{V_{CD}/I_x}{L/wt} = 0.002 \Omega \cdot \text{cm}$$

$$\mu_n = \frac{1}{\rho q n_o} = 10000 \text{ cm}^2 (\text{V}\cdot\text{s})^{-1} \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

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2 a) Derivation - 7 marks

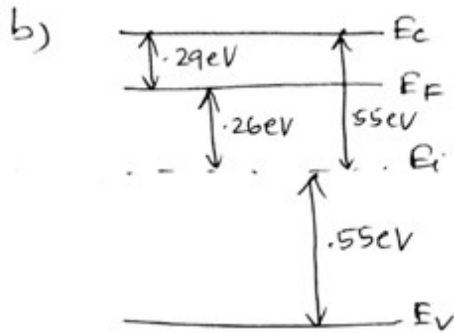


figure :- 1 mark

$$E_F - E_i = \frac{E_g}{2} - (E_c - E_F) = 0.26 \text{ eV} \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

$$n_0 = 3.30 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$p_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{n_0} = 6.8 \times 10^5 \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad \Rightarrow (2 \text{ marks})$$

$$\sigma = q(n\mu_n + p\mu_p) = 0.71 \Omega \text{ cm}^{-1} \quad \Rightarrow (2 \text{ marks})$$

3 a) $J_{\text{drift}} = J_{n\text{drift}} + J_{p\text{drift}}$
 $= (qn\mu_n + qp\mu_p) E_x$

$$\sigma = qn\mu_n + qp\mu_p = \sigma_n + \sigma_p$$

derivation :- 7 marks

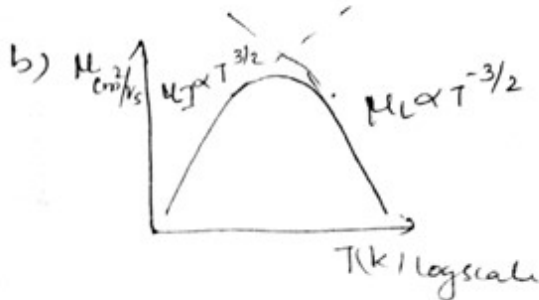
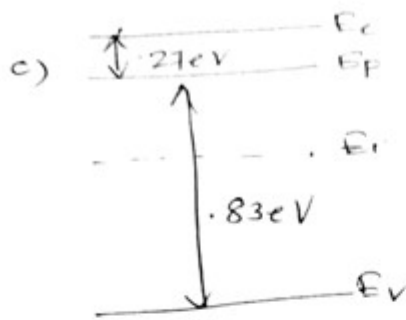


diagram :- 2 marks
 explanation :- 1 mark

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$$\begin{aligned}
 N_c &= 2.8 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} \\
 N_v &= 1.04 \times 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3} \\
 n_0 = N_D &= 8.65 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3} \\
 p_0 = N_A &= 1.42 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}
 \end{aligned}
 \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} N_c \\ N_v \\ n_0 \\ p_0 \end{aligned}} \right\} \Rightarrow 2 \text{ marks each.}$$

From figure

$$E_c - E_F = .27\text{eV}$$

$$E_F - E_v = .83\text{eV}$$

Part B

4a) 3 energy band diagrams :- 2 marks each

b) Ohmic & Rectifying contact :- 3 marks each



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5a) Zener Breakdown } 3.5 marks each
Avalanche Breakdown }

b) Tunnel Diode; figure - 3 marks

Explanation - 5 marks

6a) $C_j = \frac{\epsilon A}{w}$ $\epsilon = \epsilon_0 \epsilon_r = 11.7 \times 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F/m}$

$$W = \sqrt{\frac{2 \epsilon (V_0 + V_b)}{q} \left[\frac{1}{N_A} + \frac{1}{N_D} \right]}$$

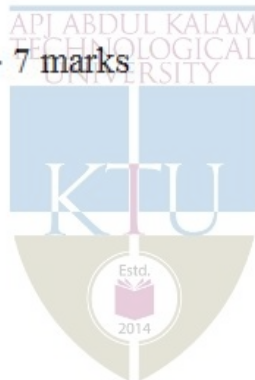
$$V_0 = \frac{kT}{q} \ln \frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} = 0.717 \text{ V}$$

$$C_j = \underline{\underline{.478 \text{ pF}}}$$

equations :- 3 marks

Answer:- 3 marks.

b) Derivation of V_0 - 7 marks



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Past c

$$\begin{aligned} 7a) I_{D(sat)} &= \frac{1}{2} \mu_n C_i \frac{Z}{L} (V_G - V_T)^2 \\ &= \frac{Z}{2L} \mu_n C_i V_D^2 (sat) \end{aligned}$$

Derivation :- 5 marks

figure :- 2 marks

b) α , β , & r :- 2 marks each

c) Early effect & early voltage : 3 marks each

{ figure: 1 mark
explanations: - 2 marks }

8a) Minority carrier distributions -

figure + Derivation :- 10 marks

b) Mos capacitor, structure & equilibrium energy band diagram :- 4 marks

Accumulation, Depletion & Inversion :- 2 marks each

9a) FINFET :

figure :- 2 marks

explanations: 3 marks

9 b) Sub threshold chara - 3 marks

Explanation - 2 marks

9 c) CV chara - 7 marks

Threshold voltage - 3 marks

Question paper pattern-Revised

Semester 3 to 8

The question paper shall consist of three parts. Part A covers modules I and II, Part B covers modules III and IV, Part C covers modules V and VI. Each part has three questions uniformly covering the two modules and each question can have maximum four subdivisions. In each part any two questions are to be answered. Mark patterns are as per the syllabus with **% for theory and **% for logical/numerical problems, derivation and proof.

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