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## Fifth Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, December 2021

# First Degree Programme Under CBCSS

Physics

Core Course VII

# PY 1543 — ELECTRONICS

# (2014, 2016 & 2017 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

(Answer all questions, each carries 1 mark)

- 1. Define ripple factor.
- 2. What is a halfwave rectifier?
- 3. What is  $a_{ac}$  for a transistor?
- 4. Define transistor biasing.
- 5. Give the classification of amplifiers based on biasing conditions.
- 6. What is a feedback amplifier?
- 7. What is damped oscillation?
- 8. What is modulation?
- 9. Give the expression for gain of an inverting amplifier using op-amp.
- 10. What is DIAC?

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

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### SECTION – B

### (Answer any eight, each carries 2 marks)

- 11. What is zener diode and how does it regulate the voltage?
- 12. What is a full wave rectifier?
- 13. What is DC load line?
- 14. Give the expression for power gain(dB) of an amplifier.
- 15. What is harmonic distortion?
- 16. What is Barkhausen criteria for oscillation?
- 17. What is the effect of negative feedback on the bandwidth of an amplifier?
- 18. What is a carrier wave?
- 19. What are the different op-amp parameters?
- 20. What is a differential amplifier?
- 21. What are the characteristics of a tunnel diode?
- 22. What are the advantages of JFET?

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

### SECTION - C

### (Answer any six, each carries 4 marks)

23. For the transformer coupled half wave rectifier shown below determine the value of DC load current.



- 24. A full wave rectifier circuit with LC filter supplies 12V DC at 100 mA with a ripple factor of 0.01 and an inductive value of 1 H with a supply frequency of 50 Hz. Calculate the value of capacitor to be used.
- 25. Determine the value of  $I_C$  and  $I_B$  for the circuit shown below.



- 26. A given multi-stage amplifier has the following voltage gains.  $A_{v1} = 10$ ,  $A_{v2} = 20$  and  $A_{v3} = 30$ . What is the overall gain? Also express the overall gain in *dB*.
- 27. Find the operating frequency for the Hartley oscillator with following components;  $L_1 = 1000 \,\mu H$ ,  $L_2 = 100 \,\mu H$ ,  $M = 20 \,\mu H$ ,  $C = 20 \,\rho f$ .
- 28. An RC phase shift oscillator uses three capacitors with 4.7 *pF* in the feedback circuit. Find the value of three resistors  $(R_1, R_2, R_3)$  to produce a frequency of 400 KHz.
- 29. An audio signal given by  $20 \sin 2\pi (2000t)$  amplitude modulates a sinusoidal carrier wave  $90 \sin 2\pi (100,00t)$ . Find the modulation index.
- 30. Figure shows an inverting amplifier with an input voltage  $V_i$ . When the input voltage is increased from 0.3V to 0.5V, what will be the voltage at node A in each case.



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31. For the summing amplifier given below find the value of output voltage.



 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

### SECTION – D

### (Answer any two, each carries 15 marks)

- 32. Explain the V-I characteristics of a diode.
- 33. Draw and explain a voltage divider bias circuit.
- 34. Explain the working of an RC phase shift oscillator with circuit diagram. What is the equation for frequency of oscillation?
- 35. Explain the working of an SCR in detail.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)