

CONTINUOUS INTERNAL EVALUATION- 1

Dept: EC	Sem / Div: 3 A & B	Sub: Electronic Devices	S Code: 18EC33
Date: 20-10-2020	Time: 9:30-11:00 am	Max Marks: 50	Elective: N
Note: Answer any 2 full questions, choosing one full question from each part.			

Q N	Questions	Marks	RBT	COs
PART A				
1 a	What are direct and indirect band gap semiconductors? Explain with examples.	8	L2	CO1
b	Find the conductivity of the intrinsic germanium at 300k, if a donor type impurity is added to the extent of 1atom/10 ⁷ Germanium atom. Assume $u_n=3800$, $u_p=1800$, $n=2.5 \times 10^3$, $Q = 1.602 \times 10^{-19}$	8	L3	CO1
c	Explain the mechanism of Avalanche breakdown.	9	L2	CO2
OR				
2 a	Explain the qualitative description of current flow at pn junction under equilibrium and biased condition.	9	L2	CO2
b	Calculate the value of resistivity of intrinsic silicon at room temperature.	7	L3	CO1
c	Explain classification of material based on conductivity and energy band diagram.	9	L2	CO1
PART B				
3 a	What are the types of bonding forces in solids? Explain.	8	L2	CO1
b	Calculate the intrinsic carrier concentration in Silicon at room temperature $T=300k$, where B is the material dependent parameter 5.4×10^{31} and E_g is the bandgap energy 1.12eV, and K is the Boltzman constant 8.62×10^{-5} eV/K.	8	L3	CO1
c	Discuss the piecewise linear approximations of pn diode under ideal condition.	9	L2	CO2
OR				
4 a	With a neat diagram explain the I-V characteristics of a pn junction.	9	L2	CO2
b	Distinguish between Zener breakdown and avalanche breakdown.	7	L3	CO2
c	<div style="text-align: center;"> </div> <p>Consider a semiconductor bar with $w = 0.1$ mm, $t = 10$ μm, and $L = 5$ mm. For $B = 10$ kG in the z-direction (1 kG = 10^{-5} Wb/cm²), $V_{CD} = 100$mV and a current of 1 mA, we have $V_{AB} = -2$ mV. Find the type, concentration, and mobility of the majority carrier.</p>	9	L3	CO1