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**ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND  
CIRCUITS**

Paper : EC 301

Full Marks : 100

Time : Three hours

***The figures in the margin indicate  
full marks for the questions.***

*Answer any five questions.*

1. Explain  $h$ -parameter model of a transistor at low frequencies and derive the formulas for — 5×4=20
  - (i) Current Gain
  - (ii) Voltage Gain
  - (iii) Power Gain
  - (iv) Output Impedance.
2. (a) Describe the operation of common collector amplifier as an emitter follower. 10

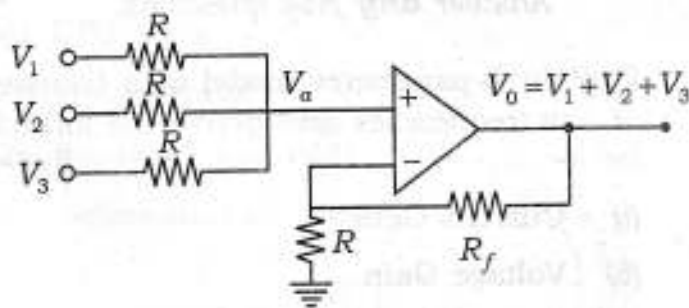
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(b) Describe the operation of shunt voltage regulator. 4

(c) Derive the expression for transconductance of a BJT in Active mode. 6

3. (a) Draw the inverting and non-inverting amplifier of an Op-Amp in closed loop configuration. Obtain expression for the closed loop gain in these circuits. 5+5=10

(b) Given a non-inverting summing amplifier. Find the relation between  $R_f$  and  $R$ . 10



4. (a) Explain Class A, Class B and Class C power amplifier. 6

(b) Describe a transistor Class A power amplifier with resistive load and derive maximum collector efficiency. 10

- (c) Write the difference between voltage amplifier and power amplifier. 4
5. (a) What is an oscillator ? State the conditions under which a feedback amplifier works as an oscillator. 3
- (b) Describe Hartley oscillator circuit and explain its action. 7
- (c) A Hartley oscillator is designed with  $L_1 = 2mH$ ,  $L_2 = 20\mu H$  and a variable capacitance. Determine the range of capacitance values, if the frequency of oscillation is varied between 950 and 2050 kHz. 6
- (d) What is the principle of phase shift oscillator ? 4
6. (a) Explain the working principle of N-channel JFET. 10
- (b) Define : 4
- (i) The pinch-off voltage
  - (ii) Channel ohmic region
  - (iii) Drain resistance
  - (iv) Transconductance.



(c) Explain MOSFET operating in enhancement mode. 6

7. Write short notes on the following : **(any four)** 5×4=20

- (i) Single tuned amplifier
- (ii) Three terminal IC regulator
- (iii) Two stage RC coupled JFET amplifier
- (iv) Push pull amplifier
- (v) Short circuit protection for voltage regulator
- (vi) Boost regulator
- (vii) UPS
- (viii) Multivibrator
- (ix) Feedback amplifier
- (x) Differentiator.

