

# FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

## B.E. 2/4 (CSE) I Semester Suppl. Examination

May/June - 2008

Subject : Basic Electronics

Time : 3 hours ]

[Max. Marks : 75

Note : Answer **all** questions of Part-A  
Answer **five** questions from Part-B.

### PART - A (25 marks)

1. Define fermi level. 3
2. Explain Hall effect and its significance. 3
3. Justify the name 'hybrid parameters'. 2
4. Which of the oscillator circuit is most stable ? Explain its circuit separation in brief. 3
5. What is the significance of gain bandwidth product ? 2
6. Explain in how many ways logic 1 can be defined ? 3
7. Define Peak Inverse voltage of a diode and give some typical values. 2
8. What are the limitations of RC type oscillators ? 3
9. What is the function of a trigger in CRO ? 2
10. Define gage factor of a strain gage. 2

**PART - B** (5×10=50 marks)

- 11. (a) Explain the difference between diffusion and drift current. 3
- (b) Explain the operation of a p-n junction diode and its characteristics. 5
- (c) How zener diode is different from a silicon diode, in respect of doping levels? 2
- 12. (a) Compare the advantages and disadvantages of FET and BJT. 3
- (b) Explain the operation and characteristics of a zener diode regulator. 7
- 13. (a) Classify negative feedback amplifiers and compare their performance in a tabular column. Show their ideal circuits. 8
- (b) Explain Barkhausen's criteria of oscillations. 2
- 14. (a) Distinguish between the specifications of an Operational amplifier and an Instrumentation amplifier. 5
- (b) Explain the circuit of Instrumentation amplifier. 5
- 15. (a) Explain the operation of LVDT and mention its applications. 5
- (b) Compare LED and LCD displays, explaining the circuit of one of them. 5
- 16. (a) Derive for ripple factor of a FWR and HWR. Define regulation. 5
- (b) Explain the operation of a simple inverter circuit. 5
- 17. Write notes on :
  - (a) Transistorized IC regulator
  - (b) Silicon Controlled Rectifier
  - (c) Lissajous figures