



## **PHYSICS**

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# **Semiconductor Devices**



1. A transistor, connected in common-emitter configuration, has input resistance  $R_{\,\in}\,=\,3k\Omega$ 

and load resistance of  $6k\Omega$ . If  $\beta = 40$  and an input signal of 20m V is applied, calculate the voltage gain, output voltage and power gain.

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2. A transistor, is connected in commonemitter configuration, has input resistance  $R_{\in} = 1k\Omega$  and load resistance of  $4k\Omega$ . if  $\beta = 50$  and an input signal of 10m V is applied, calculate the voltage gain, output voltage and power gain.



**3.** A transistor, is connected in commonemitter configuration, has input resistance  $R_{\in} = 2k\Omega$  and load resistance of  $5k\Omega$ .if  $\beta = 60$  and an input signal of 12m V is applied, calculate the voltage gain, output

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**4.** The base current is  $100 \mu A$  and collectorcurrent is 3mA. calculate the values of  $\beta, l_e$ 



5. A change of  $20\mu A$  in the base current produces a change of 0.5mA in the collector current. Calculate  $\beta_{ac}$ 

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**6.** The input resistance of a silicon transistor is  $665\Omega$  when base current is changed by  $15\mu A$ ,

the collector current changes by 2mA. In a common emitter amplifier load resistance is  $5k\Omega$ . Calculate current gain  $\beta_{ac}$ 

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7. The input resistance of a silicon transistor is  $665\Omega$  when base current is changed by  $15\mu A$ , the collector current changes by 2mA. In a common emitter amplifier load resistance is  $5k\Omega$ . Calculate transconductance  $(g_m)$  & voltage gain  $(A_v)$  of the amplifier.





8. For a common emitter amplifier current gain

= 50 if the emitter current is 6.6 mA. Calculate

the collector and base current.

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**9.** For a common emitter amplifier current gain

is 70 if the emitter current is 8.8 milliampere

(mA). Calculate the collector and base current.

**10.** For a common emitter transistor as amplifier current gain is 72.Calculate the base current for which emitter current is 8.9 milliampere and also find collector current.

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11. A common emitter circuit has an input resistance of  $570\Omega$  and output resistance of

 $59k\Omega$ . If the current gain is 60, find the voltage

gain andpower gain.



12. A transistor connected in cdmmon emitter configuration has input resistance  $Ri = 2k\Omega$ (kilo ohm) and load resistance  $6k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). If current gain  $\beta = 60$  and input signal 10 mV (millivolt) is applied, calculate resistance gain



**13.** A transistor connected in common emitter configuration has input resistance  $Ri = 2k\Omega$ (kilo ohm) and load resistance  $6k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). If current gain  $\beta = 60$  and input signal 10 mV (millivolt) is applied, calculate voltage gain

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14. A transistor connected in common emitter configuration has input resistance  $Ri=2k\Omega$ (kilo ohm) and load resistance  $6k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). If current gain eta=60 and input signal 10 mV

(millivolt) is applied, calculate power gain.



**15.** A transistor is usedin common emitter mode in an amplifier circuit. It is found that when a signal of 20 mV (millivolt) is added to base-emitter voltage the basecurrent changes by  $20\mu A$  (micro ampere) nd collector current changes by 1.5 mA (milli ampere). Determine the current gain b, Input resistance Ri, transcondutance and voltage gain. Give load

resistance  $R_l=6kW$  (kilo ohm).



**16.** A transistor is used in common emitter mode in an amplifier circuit.When a signal of 24 mV (millivolt) is added to base emitter voltage, the base current changes by  $32\mu A$ (micro ampere) and collector current by 3.6 mA (milli ampere) and the load resistance is  $4.8k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). Calculate current gain



**17.** A transistor is used in common emitter mode in an amplifier circuit. When a signal of 24 mV (millivolt) is added to base emitter voltage, the base current changes by  $32\mu A$ (micro ampere) and collector current by 3.6 mA (milli ampere) and the load resistance is  $4.8k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). Calculate the input resistance  $R_b e$ 



18. A transistor is used in common emitter mode in an amplifier circuit. When a signal of 24 mV (millivolt) is added to base emitter voltage, the base current changes by  $32\mu A$ (micro ampere) and collector current by 3.6 mA (milli ampere) and the load resistance is  $4.8k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). Calculate trans conductance  $g_m$ 



**19.** A transistor is used in common emitter mode in an amplifier circuit. When a signal of 24 mV (millivolt) is added to base emitter voltage, the base current changes by  $32\mu A$ (micro ampere) and collector current by 3.6 mA (milli ampere) and the load resistance is  $4.8k\Omega$  (kilo ohm). Calculate voltage gain.

**20.** For a common emitter amplifier, dc (direct current) current gain is 100. If the base current is  $20\mu A$ , calculate the collector and emitter current.

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**21.** For a common emitter amplifier, dc (direct current) current gain is 60. If the emitter current is 6.6mA, calculate the collector and base current.



**22.** For a common emitter amplifier, dc (direct current) current gain is 20. If the emitter current is 7mA, calculate the base and collector current.

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**23.** A common emitter (CE) transistor has a current gain of 100. If emitter current is 8.08 mA, find the base and collector current.



# **24.** A common emittertransistor has current gain of 96. If base current is $8\mu A$ . Find the collector and emitter current.



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25. A semiconductor has electron mobility as 2.2 	imes 10^4 cm^2 V^{-1} S^{-1} andhole mobility as 1.5 	imes 10^2 cm^2 V^{-1} S^{-1}. If the electron
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#### 26. Draw a circuit diagram with a p-n junction

in forward bias.

27. Draw a circuit diagram with a p-n junction

atreverse bias.

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28. State the factors, which controls intensity

of light, emitted by a LED.

29. Draw a circuit diagram to show how a photodiode is biased.

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**30.** State the factors, which controls

wavelength of light, emitted by a LED.





**33.** Write briefly, how a Zener diode acts as voltage regulator.



36. Explain the terms potential barrier for a junction diode. Watch Video Solution **37.** In a transistor, base is made very thin.Explain. Watch Video Solution

**38.** Why a transistor cannot be used as a rectifier ?

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**39.** The resistance of a p-n junction is low, when forward biased and is high, when reverse is biased. Explain.

40. What is photo cell ? State its three applications.
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**41.** Write briefly, how a Zener diode acts as

voltage regulator.

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42. Why does the thickness of depletion layer

of pn-junction increases in reverse biasing ?

Draw the circuit diagram of reverse biasing.

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#### 43. What is a solar cell ? How does it work ?

Write its one use.

![](_page_25_Picture_6.jpeg)

44. Explain how the depletion layer and barrier

potential are formed in pn junction diode ?

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**45.** Explain forward bias and reverse bias of the junction diode.

**46.** With the help of circuit diagram explain working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

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47. With the help of labelled circuit diagram,

explainthe working of transistor as a switch.

48. With the help of circuit diagram, explain

the working of transistor as a oscillator.

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**49.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain the working of transistor as a common emitter amplifier.

**50.** With the help of suitable diagrams, explain the function of p-n junction diode as full wave rectifier.

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51. Define Rectification. With the help a circuit

diagram explain the working of p-n junction

diode as a half wave rectifier.

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**52.** What is junction diode ? How is depletion layer formed ? Draw its forward and reverse bias characteristics by showing biasing of diodes ?

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53. What is transistor ? Give the symbols of n-

p-n and p-n-p transistor.

54. Explain with diagram, the working of a transistor as a common-emitter amplifier.Watch Video Solution

**55.** What is rectifier ? Explain the working of junction diode as a full wave rectifier, with diagram.

**56.** Discuss the variation of current with voltage in a P-N Junction diode when it is forward biased.

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**57.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain theV-l characteristics of p-n junction diode in forward biasing.

**58.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain theV-l characteristics of p-n junction diode in reverse biasing.

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**59.** With the help of circuit diagram explain working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

**60.** With the help of circuit diagram, explaintheV-I characteristics of p-n junction diode in forward biasing.

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**61.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain the working of transistor as a common emitter amplifier.

![](_page_34_Picture_3.jpeg)

**62.** What is rectifier ? Explain the working of junction diode as a full wave rectifier, with diagram.

![](_page_35_Picture_1.jpeg)

63. Discuss the working of n-p-n transistor as

an amplifier in common base mode.

**64.** Discuss the working of p-n-p transistor as

an amplifier in common emitter mode.

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65. Discuss the construction and working of

diode as full wave rectifier

**66.** Why does the thickness of depletion layer

of pn-junction increases in reverse biasing ?

Draw the circuit diagram of reverse biasing.

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# **67.** With the help of circuit diagram explain

working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

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**68.** Why does the depletion layer of pnjunction diode decreases in forwardbiasing ? Draw the circuit diagram of forwardbiasing.

![](_page_38_Picture_1.jpeg)

**69.** With the help of circuit diagram explain working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

**70.** Explain with the help of circuit diagram, how V-l characteristics of pn junction diode are obtained in forward biasing.

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**71.** What is an amplifier ? Draw a circuit diagram for an amplifier withPNP transistor in common emitter configuration. Also define current gain, voltage gain and power gain for it.

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**72.** What is an amplifier ? Draw a circuit diagram for an amplifier withPNP transistor in common emitter configuration. Also define current gain, voltage gain and power gain for it.

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**73.** What is an oscillator ? Draw a labelled circuit diagram for an oscillator using PNP

transistor.What is the function of feed back coil in it ? Write an expression for the frequency of waves produced by it.What is the use of waves produced by it ?

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74. With the help of circuit diagram explain

working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

**75.** With the help of circuit diagram explain working of junction diode as full wave rectifier.

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**76.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain the working of transistor as a common emitter amplifier.

77. With the help of lebelled circuit diagram, discuss the working of transistor as a common emitter amplifier.Find the phase relationship between input and output signals. Also define its voltage gain.

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**78.** What is junction diode ? How is depletion layer formed ? Draw its forward and reverse

bias characteristics by showing biasing of

diodes ?

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**79.** What is an electric oscillator ? With the help of labelled diagram, explain the use of junction transistor as.an oscillator.

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**80.** With the help of circuit diagram, explain the working of transistor as a common emitter amplifier.

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**81.** What is p-n junction diode ? Explain the principle and of various components of full wave rectifier using circuit diagrams as well as input and output waveforms.

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**82.** What is an oscillator ? With the help of circuit diagram explain theprinciple and working of transistor as an oscillatoris common emitter configuration, showing how feedback is accomplished by inductive

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**83.** What is transistor ? How is it formed ? Show with the help of diagram action of npn transistor

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**84.** What is transistor ? How is it formed ? Show with the help of diagram action of pnp transistor.