



# PHYSICS

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### SEMICONDUCTOR ELECTRONICS (MATERIAL, DEVICES AND SIMPLE CIRCUITS )

**Example**

1. The energy gap of silicon is 1.14 eV . What is the maximum wavelength at which silicon will begin absorbing energy ?



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2. In an intrinsic (pure) semiconductor, the number of conduction electrons is  $8 \times 10^{19}$  per cubic meter. Find the total number of current carriers (electrons & holes ) in a same semiconductor of size 1 cm x 1 cm x 1mm.





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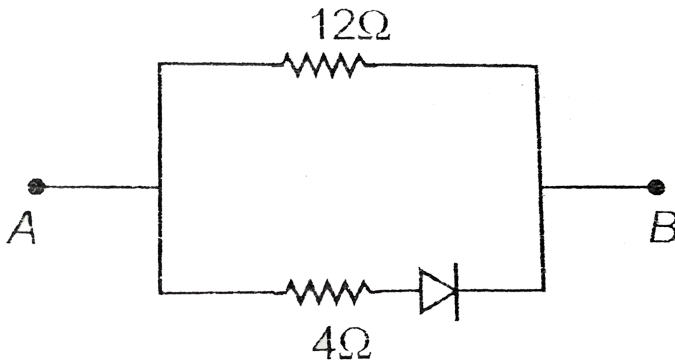
3. Pure Si at 300 K has equal electron ( $n_e$ ) and hole ( $n_h$ ) concentration of  $2. \times 10^{16}$  per  $m^3$ . Doping by indium increases  $n_h$  to  $2 \times 10^{22}$  per  $m^3$ . Calculate  $n_e$  in the doped silicon.



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4. Find the equivalent resistance of the network shown in the figure between the points A and B if

(i)  $V_A > V_B$  (ii)  $V_A < V_B$



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5. The diode used in the circuit shown in the figure has a constant voltage drop of 1V at all current and a maximum power rating of  $100mW$ . What should be the value of the resistor R, connected in series with the diode



for obtaining maximum current put less I?



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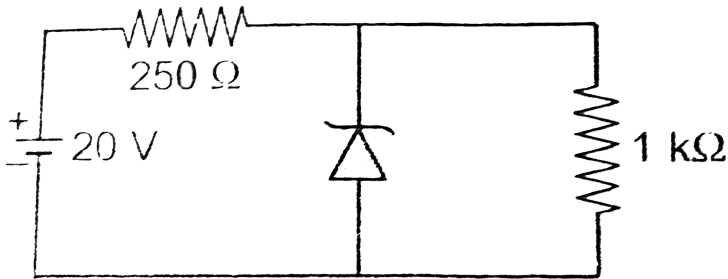
6. With an ac input from 50 Hz power line, the ripple frequency is



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7. A zener diode having breakdown voltage equal to 15V, is used in a voltage regulator

circuit shown in figure. Find the current through the diode.



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8. A  $p - n$  photodiode is made of a material with a band gap of  $3.0eV$ . The minimum frequency of the radiation that can be absorbed by the material is nearly



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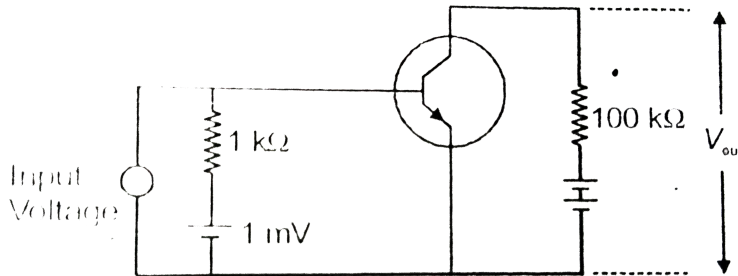
9. A light-emitting diode (LED) has a voltage drop of 2V across it and passes a current of  $10\mu A$ , when it operates with a 6V battery with a limiting resistor R. what is the value of R ?



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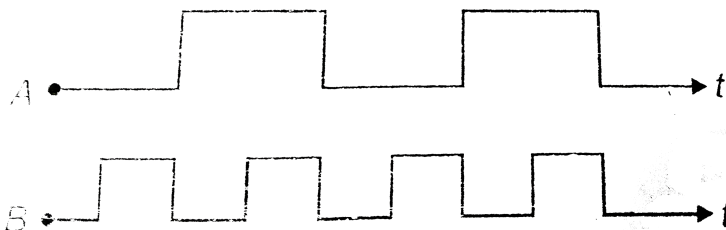
10. In the following common emitter configuration an n-p-n transistor with current

gain  $\beta = 100$  is used. What is the output voltage of the amplifier ?



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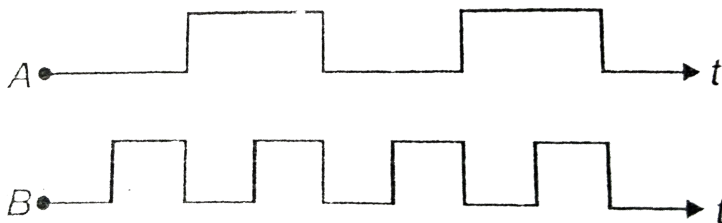
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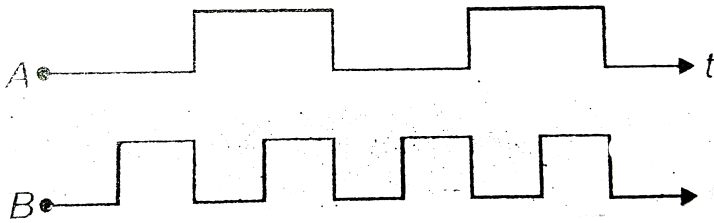
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13. Sketch the output waveform Y from a NAND gate having following inputs A and B



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## Try Your Self

1. In semiconductors at a room temperature

A. Valence band is partially empty and the conduction band is partially filled

B. Valence band is completely filled and the conduction band is partially empty

C. Valence band is completely filled

D. Conduction band is completely empty

**Answer: 1**



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2. Carbon, silicon and germanium have four valence electrons each. These are characterised by valence and conduction

bands separated by energy band gap respectively equal to  $(E_g)_C$ ,  $(E_g)_{Si}$ , and  $(E_g)_{Ge}$ . Which of the following statements is true?

A.  $(E_g)_C > (E_g)_{Si}$ ,

B.  $(E_g)_C = (E_g)_{Si}$ ,

C.  $(E_g)_C < (E_g)_{Ge}$ ,

D.  $(E_g)_C < (E_g)_{Si}$ ,

**Answer: 1**



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3. In a pure semiconductor, the number of conduction electron is  $6 \times 10^{19}$  per cubic meter. How many holes are there in a sample of size 1 cm x 2 cm x 2mm ?



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4. C, Si and Ge have same lattice structure. Why is C insulator while Si and Ge intrinsic semiconductors?



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5. A semiconductor is known to have an electron concentration of  $6 \times 10^{12}$  per cubic centimeter and a hole concentration of  $9 \times 10^{13}$  per cubic centimeter. Is this semiconductor N-type or P-type ?



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6. Suppose a pure Si-crystal has  $6 \times 10^{28}$  atoms  $m^{-3}$ . It is doped by 1 ppm

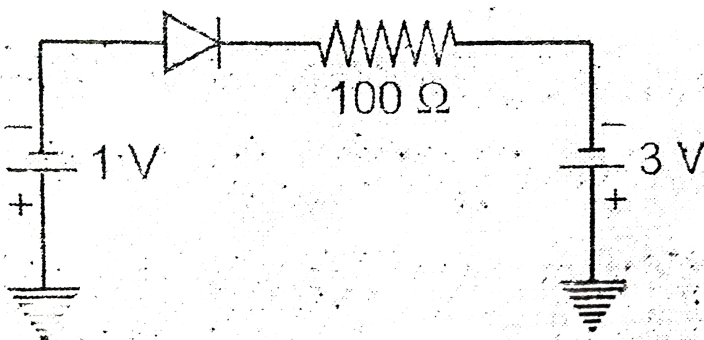
concentration of pentavalent As. Calculate the number of electrons and holes. Give that

$$n_i = 1.5 \times 10^{16} m^{-3}.$$



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7. What is the current through an ideal p-n junction diode shown in figure below ?



A. Zero

B.  $10\text{mA}$

C.  $20\text{mA}$

D.  $50\text{mA}$

**Answer: C**



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8. If in p-n junction diode a sinusoidal input signal is applied as shown Then the output signal across  $R_L$  will be



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9. In a reverse biased diode, when the applied voltage changes by  $1V$ , the current is found to change by  $0.5\mu A$ . The reverse bias resistance of the diode is

A.  $2 \times 10^5 \Omega$

B.  $2 \times 10^6 \Omega$

C.  $200 \Omega$

D.  $2 \Omega$

**Answer: B**



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**10.** Potential drop across forward junction p-n diode is 0.7 V. If a battery of 4 V is applied, calculate the resistance to be put in series, if the maximum current in the circuit is  $5\text{mA}$ .

Hint:  $R = 4 - \frac{0.7}{5} \times 10^{-3} = 660\Omega$

A.  $660\Omega$

B.  $350\Omega$

C.  $475\Omega$

D.  $500\Omega$

**Answer: A**



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**11.** Potential barrier developed in a junction diode opposes the flow of

A. Majority carrier in both regions

B. Minority carrier in both regions

C. Free electrons in the n-region

D. Holes in the p - region

**Answer: A**



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**12. A forward biased diode is**

A. 

B. 

C. 



D. 

**Answer: D**



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**13.** Application of forward bias to p-n junction

A. Increases the number of donors on the

N-side

B. Increases the electric field in the

depletion zone.

C. Increases the potential difference across the depletion zone

D. Widens the depletion zone

**Answer: A**



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**14.** In a p-n junction having depletion layer of thickness  $10^{-6}$  m the potential across it is  $0.3V$ . Then the electric field is

$$\text{Hint} = E = \frac{V}{d}$$

A.  $10^{-5} \frac{V}{m}$

B.  $3 \times 10^5 \frac{V}{m}$

C.  $10^{-6} \frac{V}{m}$

D.  $3 \times 10^7 \frac{V}{m}$

**Answer: B**



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**15.** Pickout the incorrect statement regarding reverse saturation current in the  $p - n$  junction diode.

A. Reverse saturation current is also known as leakage current

B. Current doubles of every  $100^{\circ}C$  rise in temperature

C. Current carriers are produced by thermal agitation

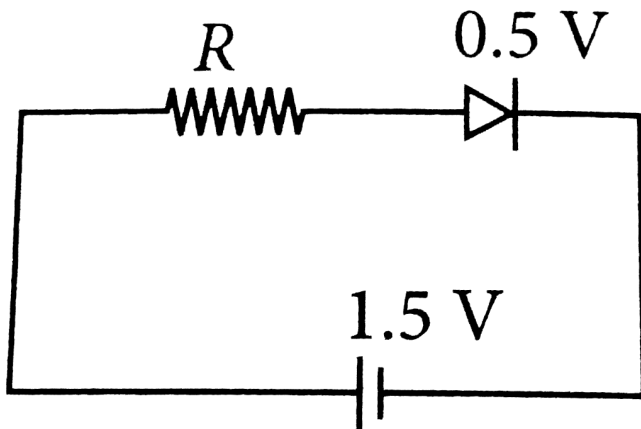
D. Current is due to minority carriers

**Answer: B**



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16. The diode used in the circuit shown in the figure has a constant voltage drop at 0.5 V at all currents and a maximum power rating of 100 mW. What should be the value of the resistor  $R$ , connected in series with diode, for obtaining maximum current ?



A.  $200\Omega$

B.  $6.67\Omega$

C.  $5\Omega$

D.  $1.5\Omega$

**Answer: C**



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**17.** With an ac input from 50 Hz power line, the ripple frequency is

A. 50 Hz

B. 100 Hz

C. 70 Hz

D. 25 Hz

**Answer: B**



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**18.** Frequency of given AC signal is 50 Hz. When it is connected to a half - wave rectifier, then what is the number of output pulses given by the rectifier within one second ?

A. 50

B. 100

C. 25

D. 150

**Answer: A**



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**19.** What is the output form of full-wave rectifier ?



A. An AC voltage

B. A DC voltage

C. Zero

D. A pulsating unidirectional voltage

**Answer: D**



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**20.** In a Zener regulated power supply a Zener diode with  $V_Z = 6.0$  V is used for regulation.

The load current is to be 4.0 mA and the

unregulated input is 10.0 V. What should be the value of series resistor  $R_S$ ?



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21. The current in the forward bias is known to be more (-mA) than the current in the reverse bias ( $-\mu A$ ). What is the reason, then, to operate the photodiode in reverse bias ?



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22. Why are Si and GaAs are preferred materials for solar cells?



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23. For a CE transistor amplifier , the audio signal voltage across the collector resistance of  $2K\Omega$  is 2V. Suppose the current amplification factor of the transistor is 100. what should be the value of  $R_B$  in series with  $V_{BB}$  supply of 2V if the dc base current has to

be 10 times the signal current. Also calculate the dc drop across the collector resistance.

(Refer to figure of CE amplifier) . Take

$$V_{BE} = 0.6V$$



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**24.** In the figure of transistor as a switch, the

$V_{BB}$  supply can be varied from 0V to 5V. The Si

transistor has  $\beta_{dc} = 250$  and

$R_B = 100k\Omega$ ,  $R_C = 1k\Omega$ ,  $V_{CC} = 5V$ . Assume

that when the transistor is saturated,

$V_{CE} = 0V$  and  $V_{BE} = 0.8V$  . calculate

(a) the minimum base current for which the transistor will reach saturation. hence.

(b) Determine  $V_i$  when the transistor is switched on

(C) Find the ranges of  $V_i$  for which the transistor is switched off and switched on'

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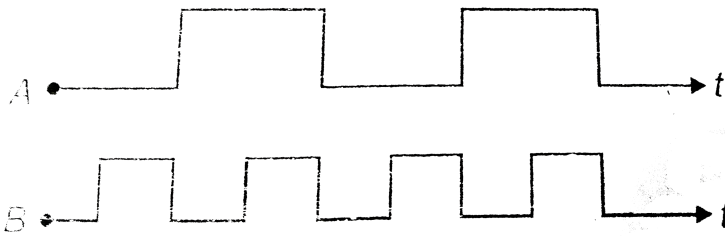
D.

**Answer:**



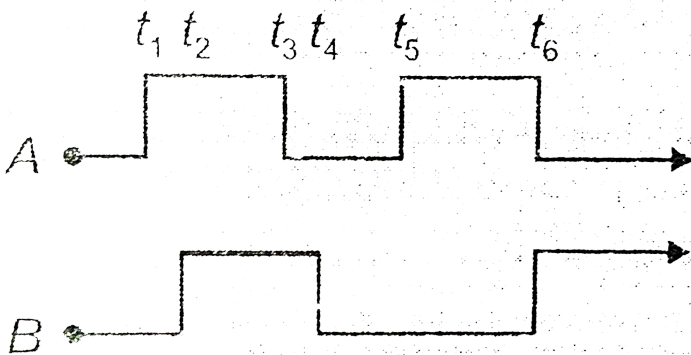
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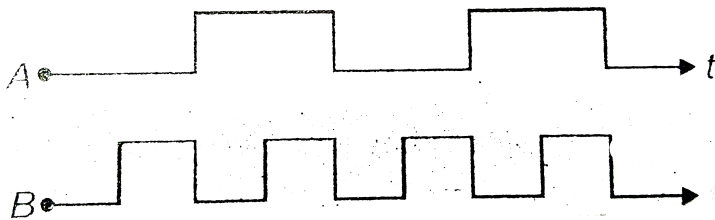
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**26.** Sketch the output waveform obtained from AND gate for the following inputs A and B.



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27. Sketch the output waveform  $Y$  from a NAND gate having following inputs  $A$  and  $B$



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**Exercise**



1. Silicon is a semiconductor . If a small amount of As is added to it, then its electrical conductivity

A. Decreases

B. Increases

C. Remains unchanged

D. Becomes zero

**Answer: B**



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2. The mobility of free electron is greater than that of free holes because

A. Carry negativ charge

B. Are light

C. Mutually collide less

D. Require low energy to continue their motion

**Answer: D**



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3. Carbon , silicon and germanium have four valence electrons each . At room temperature which one of the following statements is most appropriate ?

A. The number of free conduction electrons is negligibly small in all the three

B. The number of free electrons for conduction is significant in all the three

C. The number of free electrons for conduction is significant only in Si and Ge but small in C

D. The number of free electrons for conduction is significant in C but small in Si and Ge

**Answer: C**



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4. Which circuit will not show current in ammeter ?

A. 

B. 

C. 

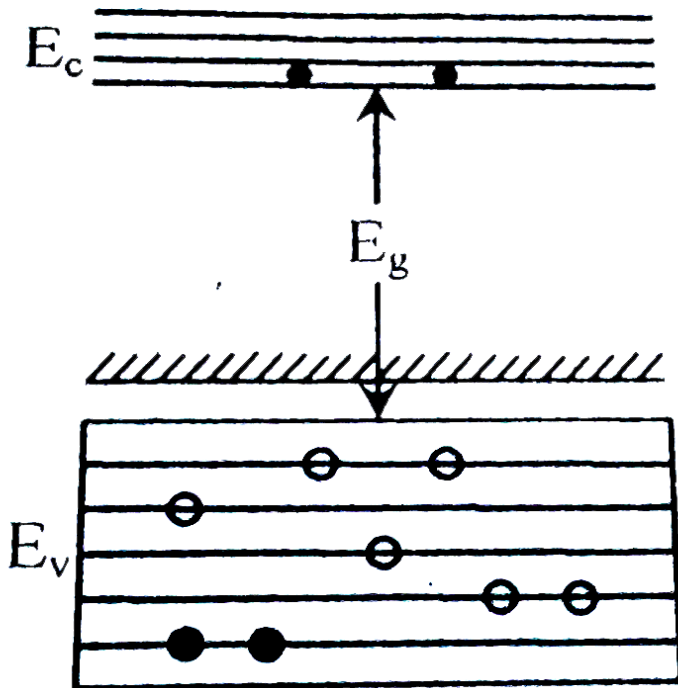
D. 

**Answer: A**



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5. In the energy band diagram of a material shown below, the open circles and filled circles denote holes and electrons respectively. The material is:-



A. A p-type semiconductor

B. An n-type semiconductor

C. An insulator

D. A metal

**Answer: A**



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6. A p-n photodiode is made of a material with a band gap of 1 e V. The minimum frequency of the radiation that can be absorbed by the material is nearly

( $hc = 1240 \text{ eV nm}$ )

A.  $1 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$

B.  $2.4 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$

C.  $1.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$

D.  $5 \times 10^{14} \text{ Hz}$

**Answer: B**



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7. Consider the junction diode is ideal. The value of current through the resistance of



200 $\Omega$  is



A. 0.001A

B. 0.1A

C. 0.01A

D. Zero

**Answer: D**



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8. A silicon specimen is made into a p-type semiconductor by doping. On an average, one indium atom per  $5 \times 10^7$  silicon atoms. If the number density of atoms in the silicon specimen is  $5 \times 10^{28} \text{ atm} / \text{m}^3$ , then the number of acceptor atoms in silicon per cubic centimeter will be

A.  $2.5 \times 10^{30}$

B.  $2.5 \times 10^{35}$

C.  $1.0 \times 10^{13}$

D.  $1.0 \times 10^{15}$

**Answer: D**



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9. A full wave rectifier circuit along with the input and output are shown in the figure. The contribution from the diode  $D_2$  is (are)

A. C

B. A, C

C. B,D

D. A,B,C,D

**Answer: C**



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**10.** In a  $p - n$  junction diode having depletion layer of thickness  $10^{-6}m$ , the potential across it is  $1V$ . The electric field produced is

A.  $10^7Vm^{-1}$

B.  $10^6 Vm^{-1}$

C.  $10^5 Vm^{-1}$

D.  $10^{-5} Vm^{-1}$

**Answer: C**



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**11.** If  $l_1, l_2, l_3$  are the lengths of the emitter, base and collector of a transistor then

A.  $l_1 = l_2 = l_3$

B.  $l_3 < l_1 < l_2$

C.  $l_3 > l_1 > l_2$

D.  $l_3 < l_2 < l_1$

**Answer: C**



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**12.** a common emitter amplifier gives an output of 3V for an input of 0.01 V. if current gain of the transistor is 100 and the input

resistance is  $10k\Omega$ . Then the collector resistance is

A.  $30k\Omega$

B.  $3k\Omega$

C.  $1k\Omega$

D.  $6k\Omega$

**Answer: A**



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13. In a common base amplifier the phase difference the input signal voltage and the output voltage is

A.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

B. Zero

C.  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

D.  $\pi$

**Answer: D**



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14. The minimum potential difference between the base and emitter required to switch a silicon transistor 'ON' is approximately

A.  $1V$

B.  $3V$

C.  $5V$

D.  $4.2V$

**Answer: A**



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15. Which of the following represents NAND gate ?

A. 

B. 

C. 

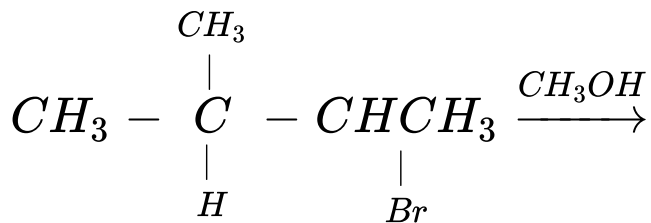
D. 

**Answer: A**



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16. The major product of the following reaction is:



A. NOR gate

B. OR gate

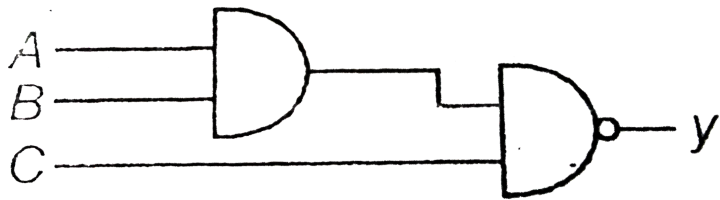
C. AND gate

D. NAND gate

**Answer: B**



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The output  $y$ , when all three inputs are first high and then low, will respectively be

A. 1, 1

B. 0, 1

C. 0, 0

D. 1, 0

**Answer: B**



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18. To which logic gate does the truth table given in the figure correspond?

A. OR gate

B. AND gate

C. NAND gate

D. NOR gate

**Answer: C**



19. Which of the following is not equal to 1 in Boolean algebra ?

A.  $A + 1$

B.  $A + \bar{A}$

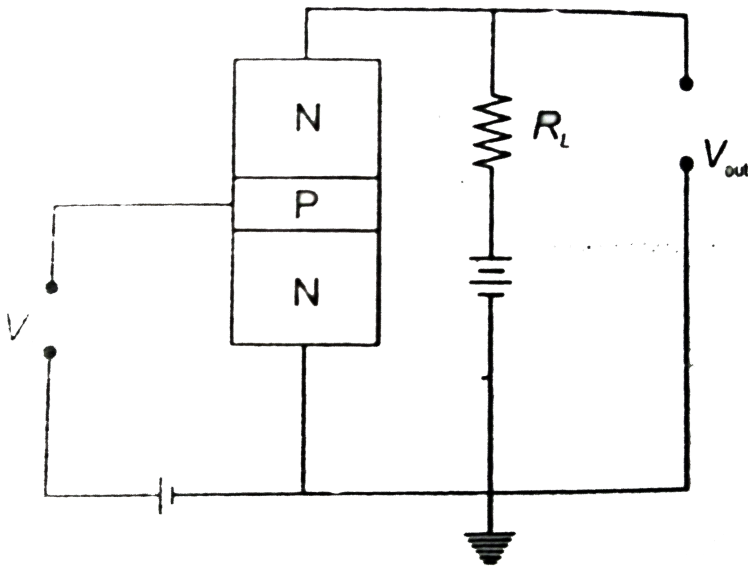
C.  $\bar{A} \cdot \bar{A}$

D.  $A \cdot \bar{A}$

**Answer: D**



20. An n-p-n transistor circuit is arranged as shown in the figure. It is a common



A. Base amplifier circuit

B. Emitter amplifier circuit

C. Collector amplifier circuit

D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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## Assignment Section A Objective Type Question

1. The semiconductor are generally

A. Monovalent



B. Divalent

C. Trivalent

D. Tetravalent

**Answer: D**



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2. The conductivity of a semiconductor depends upon

A. Size of the atom

B. The nature of atom

C. Types of bonds

D. Size and types of motion

**Answer: B**



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**3.** The impurity atoms with which pure silicon should be doped to make a p- type semiconductor are those of

A. Phosphorus

B. Antimony

C. Boron

D. Copper

**Answer: C**



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4. In semiconductors, which one of the following relations is correct at thermal equilibrium?

A.  $n_i = n_e = n_h$

B.  $n_i^2 = n_e n_h$

C.  $n_i = \frac{n_e}{n_h}$

D.  $n_i = n_e + n_h$

**Answer: B**



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**5. In a semiconductor,**

A. An infinite resistance at  $0^\circ \text{C}$

B. A finite resistance which does not depend upon temperature

C. A finite resistance which increases with temperature

D. A finite resistance which decreases with temperature

**Answer: D**



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6. The rate of recombination or generation are governed by the law(s) of

- A. Mass conservation
- B. Electrical neutrality
- C. Thermodynamics
- D. Chromodynamics

**Answer: C**



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7. An n-type semi-conductor is

A. Positive

B. Negative

C. May be positive or negative

D. Neutral

**Answer: D**



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8. Solids having highest energy level partially filled with electrons are

- A. An insulator
- B. A conductor
- C. A semiconductor
- D. None of these

**Answer: B**



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9. The energy gap for an insulator may be

A.  $1.1eV$

B.  $0.02eV$

C.  $6eV$

D.  $0.7eV$

**Answer: C**



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10. If  $N_A$  is number density of acceptor atoms added and  $N_D$  is number density of donor atoms added to a semiconductor,  $n_e$  and  $n_h$  are the number density of electrons and holes in it, then

A.  $n_e = N_D, n_h = N_A$

B.  $n_e = N_A, n_h = N_D$

C.  $n_e = N_D = n_h + N_A$

D.  $n_e + N_A = n_h + N_D$

**Answer: D**



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11. In an unbiased p-n junction which of the following is correct?

- A. p-side is at higher potential than n-side
- B. n-side is at higher potential than p-side
- C. Both p-side and n-side are at the same potential
- D. Any of the above is possible depending upon the carrier density in the two sides.

**Answer: B**



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**12.** With an ac input from 50 Hz power line, the ripple frequency is

A.  $25Hz$

B.  $50Hz$

C.  $70.7Hz$

D.  $100Hz$

**Answer: D**



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**13.** In a semiconductor diode, reverse bias current is due to drift of free electrons and holes caused by

- A. Thermal excitations only
- B. Impurity atoms only
- C. Both (1) & (2)
- D. Neither (1) nor (2)

**Answer: A**



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**14.** The value of form factor in case of half wave rectifier is

A. 1.11

B. 1.57

C. 1.27

D. 0.48

**Answer: B**



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**15.** In a semiconductor diode p-side is earthed and N-side is applied a potential of  $-2V$ , the diode shall

- A. Conduct
- B. Not conduct
- C. Conduct partially
- D. Break down

**Answer: A**

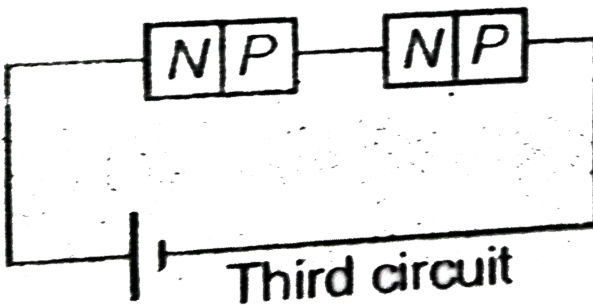
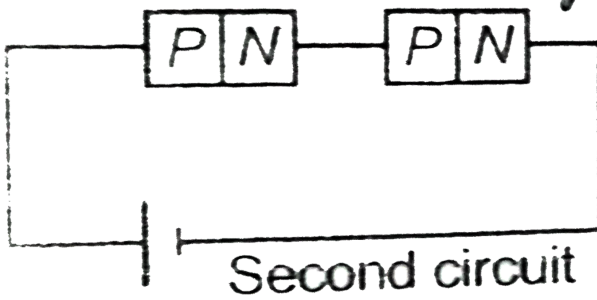
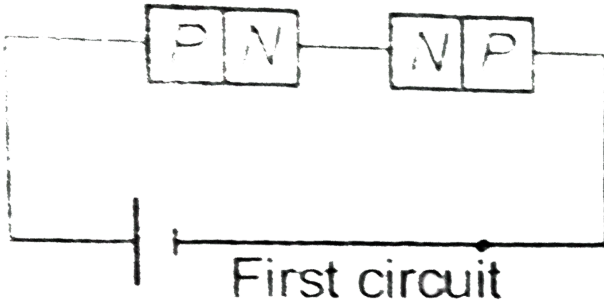


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**16.** Two identical P-N junctions, may be connected in series with a battery in three ways as shown in the adjoining figure. The potential drop across the P-N junction are



equals in



A. First and second circuits

B. Second and third circuits

C. Third and first circuits

D. All of these

**Answer: B**



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**17. Zener diode is used for:-**

A. Rectification

B. Amplification

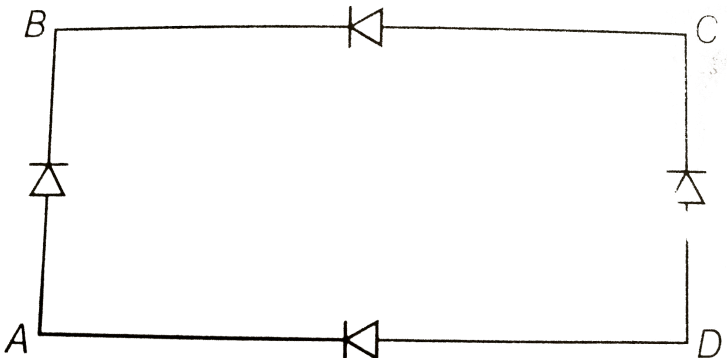
C. Stabilization

D. All of these

**Answer: C**

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**18.** In figure the input is across the terminals A and C and the output is across B and D. Then the output is



A. Zero

B. Same as input

C. Full wave rectified

D. Half wave rectified

**Answer: C**



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**19.** A junction diode, in which one of the p or n - sections is made very thin, can be used to

convert light energy into electrical energy,  
then the diode is called

- A. Light emitting diode
- B. Zener diode
- C. Solar cell
- D. Photo diode

**Answer: C**



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20. The materials suitable for making a solar cell is

A. PbS

B. GaAs

C. CdSe

D. Ge

**Answer: B**



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21. In which of the configuration of a transistor , the power gain is highest ?

- A. Common base
- B. Common emitter
- C. Common collector
- D. Same in all the three

**Answer: B**



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22. In a common base amplifier the phase difference the input signal voltage and the output voltage is

A. Zero

B.  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

C.  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

D.  $\pi$

**Answer: A**



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23. The current transfer ratio  $\beta$  of a transistor is 100. The input resistance of the transistor when used in common emitter mode is 1 kilo ohm. The peak value of the collector alternating current for an input peak voltage of 0.01 volt is

A.  $1mA$

B.  $10mA$

C.  $0.1mA$

D.  $0.01mA$

**Answer: A**



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**24.** In a common emitter transistor circuit, the base current is  $40\mu A$ , then  $V_{BE}$  is

A.  $2V$

B.  $0.2V$

C.  $0.8V$

D. Zero

**Answer: B**



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**25.** The emitter region in a PNP-junction transistor is more heavily doped than the base region, so that

A. The flow across the base region is mainly because of electrons

B. The flow across the base region is mainly because of holes

C. Recombination is decreased in the base region

D. Base current is high

**Answer: C**



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**26.** A transistor is operated in CE configuration at  $V_C = 2V$  such that a change in base current from  $100 \mu A$  to  $200 \mu A$  produces a

change in the collector current from 9mA to 16.5 mA. The value of current gain,  $\beta$  is -

A. 45

B. 50

C. 60

D. 75

**Answer: D**



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27. The input resistance of a silicon transistor is  $665\Omega$ . Its base current is changed by  $15\mu A$  which results in the change in collector current by  $2mA$ . This transistor is used as a common emitter amplifier with a load resistance of  $5k\Omega$ . What is the voltage gain of the amplifier.

A. 100

B. 1000

C. 500

D. 2000

**Answer: B**



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**28.** The relationship between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  is given by

A.  $\alpha = \beta$

B.  $\alpha = \frac{1}{\beta}$

C.  $\alpha = \frac{\beta}{1} + \beta$

$$D. \beta = \frac{\alpha}{1} + \alpha$$

**Answer: C**



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**29.** In a common base transistor circuit, the current gain is 0.98. On changing the emitter current by 1 mA, the change in collector current is

A.  $0.196\text{mA}$



B.  $2.45mA$

C.  $4.9mA$

D.  $0.98mA$

**Answer: D**



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**30.** For a transistor amplifier power gain and voltage gain are 7.5 and 2.5 respectively. The value of the current gain will be

A. 0.33

B. 0.66

C. 0.99

D. 3

**Answer: D**



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**31.** The input resistance of a common-emitter amplifier is  $2k\Omega$  and a.c. Current gain is 20. If

the load resistance used is  $5k\Omega$ , calculate the transconductance of the transistor used

A.  $0.01\Omega^{-1}$

B.  $0.03\Omega^{-1}$

C.  $0.04\Omega^{-1}$

D.  $0.07\Omega^{-1}$

**Answer: A**



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32. In a silicon transistor, a change of  $7.89\text{mA}$  in the emitter current produce a change of  $7.6\text{mA}$  in the collector current. What change in the base current is necessary to produce an equivalent change in the collector current?

A.  $29\text{mA}$

B.  $0.29\text{mA}$

C.  $0.029\text{mA}$

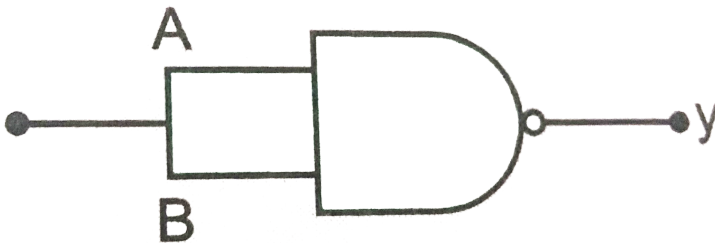
D. Zero

**Answer: B**



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33. The adjoining logic symbol is equivalent to



A. OR gate

B. AND gate

C. NOT gate

D. NAND gate

**Answer: B**



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**34.** Which of the following gates corresponds to the truth table given below?



A. NAND

B. NOR

C. XOR

D. OR

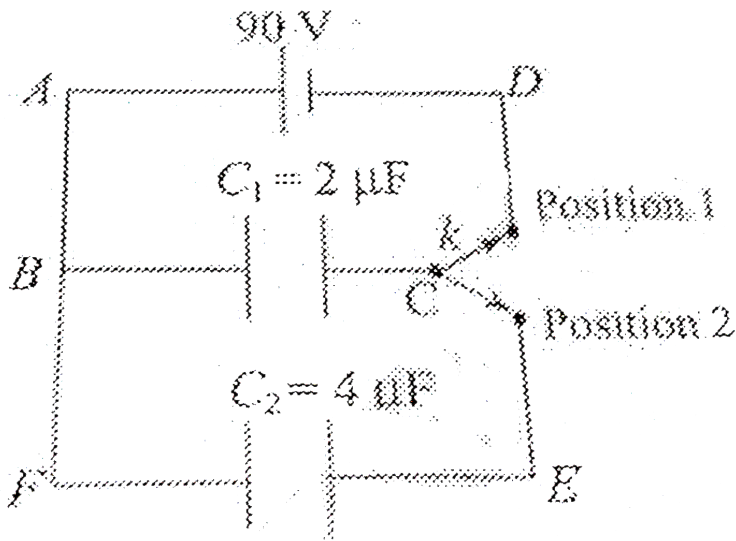
**Answer: A**



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**35.** Figure shows two capacitors of capacitance  $2\mu F$  and  $4\mu F$  and a cell of 90 V. The switch 'k' is such that when it is in position 1, the circuit ABCD is closed and when it is in position 2, the circuit BCEF is closed. The resistance of both the circuits is negligible so that the capacitor gets fully charged instantly. Initially the switch is in position 1. then it is turned in position 2

and then in position 1. Now two cycles are completed. Find the charge (in  $\mu C$ ) after two cycles.



A. NAND

B. NOR

C. XOR



D. XNOR

**Answer: A**



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**36.** The combination of gates shown in the circuit is equivalent to



A. OR

B. AND

C. NAND

D. NOR

**Answer: A**

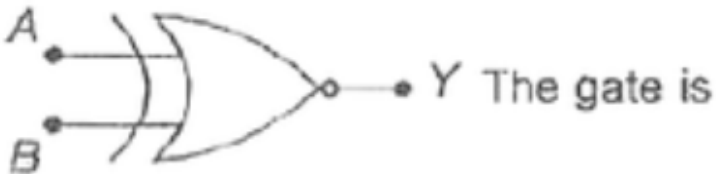


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**37.**

Find

Y



A. OR gate

B. AND gate

C. XNOR gate

D. NOR gate

**Answer: C**



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**38.** Write down the boolean experssion for output Y of a system shown in figure



A.  $\bar{A}B + \bar{A}\bar{B}$

B.  $(\bar{A} + \bar{B})(A + B)$

C.  $\bar{A}\bar{B} + AB$

D.  $AB + (\bar{A} + \bar{B})$

**Answer: C**



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**39.** Copper has face-centered cubic (fcc) lattice with interatomic spacing equal to  $2.54\text{\AA}$ . The value of lattice constant for this lattice is

A.  $0.35A$

B.  $3.5A$

C.  $7.0A$

D.  $1.5A$

**Answer: B**



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**40.** If  $a$  is the length of the side of a cube, the distance between the body centered atom and one corner atom in the cube will be.

A.  $a \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

B.  $a\sqrt{3}$

C.  $a \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

D.  $a\sqrt{2}$

**Answer: A**



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**41. Liquid crystal display monitors are made of**

A. Monocrystals

B. Single crystals

C. Liquid crystals

D. Polycrystals

**Answer: C**



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**42.** Which of the following cannot be obtained from an IC?

A. Resistor

B. Diode

C. Inductor

D. Capacitor

**Answer: C**



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**43.** Operational amplifier is a

A. Digital IC

B. Linear IC



C. OR gate

D. AND gate

**Answer: B**



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## Assignment Section B Objective Type Question

1. In a zener diode, break down occurs in reverse bias due to

- A. thin depletion region
- B. Internal field emission
- C. High doping concentration
- D. All of these

**Answer: B**



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2. A  $p - n - p$  transistor is said to be in active region of operation, When

A. both emitter junction and collector junction are forward biased

B. both emitter junction and collector junction are reverse biased

C. emitter junction is forward biased and collector junction is reverse biased

D. emitter junction is reverse biased and collector junction is forward biased

**Answer: C**



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3. In the figure given, voltage of point A is

A.  $0V$

B.  $-3V$

C.  $-2.3V$

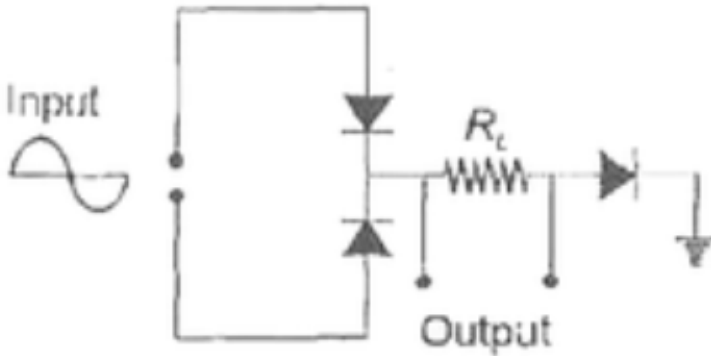
D.  $-2.7V$

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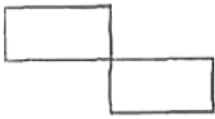


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4. In the circuit shown, the input waveform is given. Which of the following correctly gives the output waveform across  $R_L$ ?



D.



**Answer: B**



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**5. Zener breakdown takes place if**

- A. Doped impurity is low
- B. Doped impurity is high
- C. Less impurity in N-part

D. Less impurity in p - type

**Answer: B**



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**6.** In a transistor the collector current is always less than the emitter current because

A. Collector side is reverse biased and the emitter side is forward biased

B. Collector being reverse biased, attracts less electrons

C. A few electrons are lost in the base and only remaining one's reach the collector

D. Collector side is forward biased and emitter side is reverse biased

**Answer: C**



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7. In a p-n junction depletion region has a thickness of the order of

A.  $10^{-12}m$

B.  $10^{-6}m$

C.  $10^{-3}m$

D.  $10^{-2}m$

**Answer: B**



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8. Four equal resistors, each of resistance  $10\Omega$ , are connected as shown in the circuit diagram.

The equivalent resistance between A and B is

A.  $5\Omega$

B.  $10\Omega$

C.  $20\Omega$

D.  $40\Omega$

**Answer: B**



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9. A transistor cannot be used as an

A. Amplifier

B. Oscillator

C. Modulator

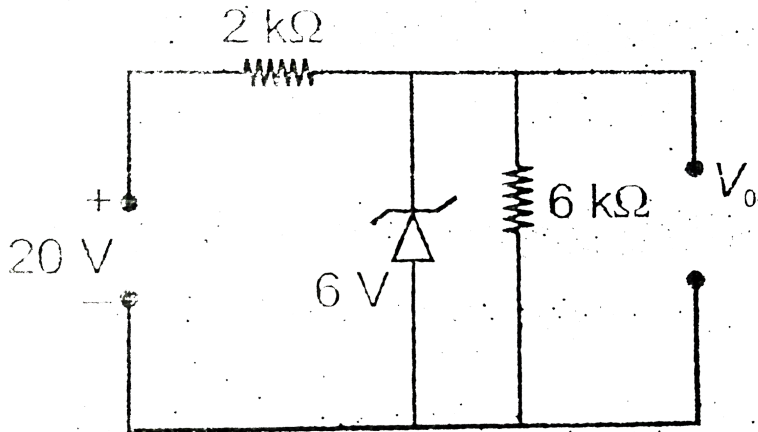
D. Rectifier

**Answer: D**



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10. What is the value of output voltage  $V_0$  in the circuit shown in the figure ?



- A. 6V
- B. 14V
- C. 20V
- D. 26V

**Answer: A**



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**11.** What is the power gain in a CE amplifier, where input resistance is  $3k\Omega$  and load resistance  $24 k\Omega$  given  $\beta = 6$  ?

A. 180

B. 288

C. 240

D. 480

**Answer: B**



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**12.** For inputs (A, B) and output(Y) of the following gate can be expressed as

A.  $A \oplus B$

B.  $A \cdot B$

C.  $A + B$

D.  $\bar{A} + \bar{B}$

**Answer: A**



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**13.** Calculate the current  $I$  in the following circuit, if all the diodes are ideal. All resistances are  $200\Omega$

A. Zero

B.  $1A$

C.  $2A$

D.  $4A$

**Answer: B**



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**14.** A transistor having  $\alpha = 0.99$  is used in a common base amplifier. If the load resistance is  $4.5k\Omega$  and the dynamic resistance of the emitter junction is  $50\Omega$  the voltage gain of the amplifier will be

A. 79.1

B. 8910



C. 78.2

D. 450

**Answer: B**



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**15.** A potential difference of  $2.5V$  is applied across the faces of a germanium crystal plate. The face area of the crystal is  $1cm^2$  and its thickness is  $1.0mm$ . The free electron concentration in germanium is  $2 \times 10^{19}m^{-3}$

and the electron and holes mobilities are  $0.33 \frac{m^2}{V \cdot s}$  and  $0.17 \frac{m^2}{V \cdot s}$  respectively. The current across the plate will be

A.  $0.2A$

B.  $0.4A$

C.  $0.6A$

D.  $0.8A$

**Answer: B**



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**16.** In the following transistor amplifier circuit

$\beta = 50$ .  $V_{ce} \rightarrow$  of the transistor is

A. 4 V

B. 6 V

C. 10 V

D. 8 V

**Answer: B**



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**17. Assertion** Wavelength of characteristic X-rays is given by

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} \propto \left( \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right)$$

in transition from  $n_2 \rightarrow n_1$ . In the above relation proportionality constant is series dependent. For different series (K-series, L-series, etc.) value of this constant will be different.

Reason For L-series value of this constant is less than the value for K-series

A. Common base connection

B. Common emitter connection

C. Common collector connection

D. All of these

**Answer: B**



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**18.** The circuit shown in the figure contains two diodes each with a forward resistance of  $50\Omega$  and with infinite backward resistance. If the battery of 6 V is connected in the circuit,

then the current through the  $100\Omega$  resistance  
is

A. Zero

B.  $0.02A$

C.  $0.03A$

D.  $0.036A$

**Answer: B**



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**19.** Three amplifiers each having voltage gain 10, are connected in series. The resultant gain would be

A. 10

B. 30

C. 1000

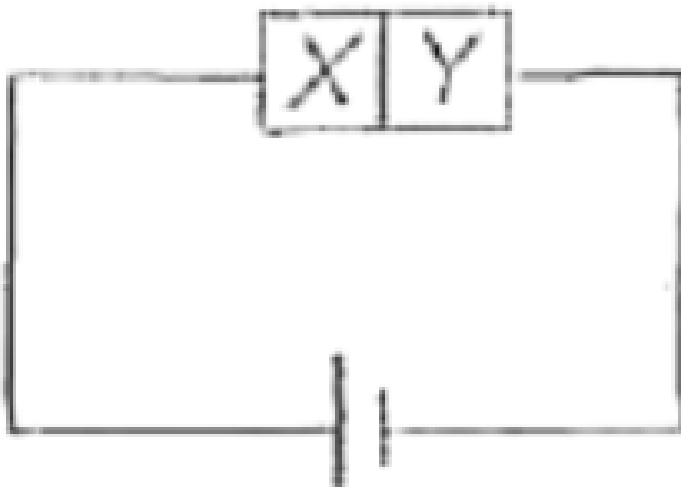
D.  $\frac{10}{3}$

**Answer: C**



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20. A semiconductor X is made by doping a germanium crystal with arsenic ( $Z = 33$ ). A second semiconductor Y is made by doping germanium with indium ( $Z = 49$ ). X and Y are used to form a junction as shown in figure and connected to a battery as shown. Which of following statement is correct?





A. X is p -type, Y is n-type and the junction is forward biased.

B. X is n-type, Y is p - type and the junction is forward biased

C. X is p-type, Y is n - type and the junction is reversed biased

D. X is n-type, Y is p - type and the junction is reverse biased

**Answer: D**



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21. The maximum efficiency of full wave rectifier is

A.  $\frac{4}{\pi^2} \times 100\%$

B.  $\frac{8}{\pi^2} \times 100\%$

C. 40%

D. 80%

**Answer: B**



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22. Logic gate realised from pn Junctions shown in figure is

A. OR gate

B. AND gate

C. NOT gate

D. NOR gate

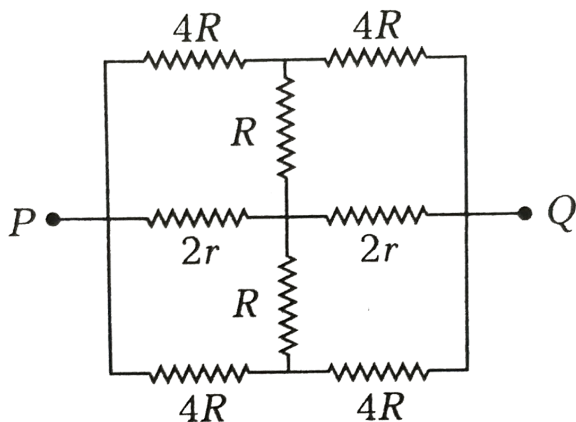
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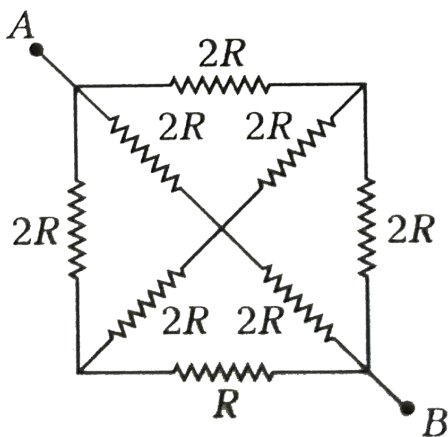
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23. Find the equivalent resistance between P and Q.

(i)



(ii)



A. Half wave rectified

B. Full wave rectified

C. Quarter rectified

D. ac

**Answer: B**



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**24.** Which of the following pn junction is not used in reverse bias?

A. LED

B. Solar cell

C. Zener diode

D. Both (1) & (2)

**Answer: D**



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**25.** Which of the following break down of pn junction is reversible?

A. Avalanche breakdown

B. Zener breakdown

C. Dielectric breakdown

D. All of these

**Answer: B**



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**26.** In the circuit shown, the average power dissipated in the resistor is (assume diode to be ideal)

A.  $\frac{E_0^2}{2}R$

B.  $\frac{E_0^2}{4}R$

C.  $\frac{E_0^2}{R}$

D. Zero

**Answer: B**



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**27.** A crystal has bcc structure and its lattice constant is  $3.6\text{Å}$ . What is the atomic radius?



A.  $3.6A$

B.  $1.8A$

C.  $1.27A$

D.  $1.56A$

**Answer: D**



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**28.** All the diodes are ideal. The current flowing in  $2\Omega$  resistor connected between the diodes  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  is

A.  $1A$

B.  $2A$

C.  $3A$

D. Zero

**Answer: A**



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**29.** In a transistor ( $B\eta = 50$ ), the voltage across  $5k\Omega$  load resistance in collector circuit is  $5V$ . The base current is

A.  $0.02mA$

B.  $0.03mA$

C.  $0.08mA$

D.  $0.09mA$

**Answer: A**



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1. Which of the following represents forward bias diode?

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: B**



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2. The given electrical network is equivalent to

A. AND gate

B. OR gate

C. NOR gate

D. NOT gate

**Answer: C**



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3. In a common emitter transistor amplifier the audio signal voltage across the collector is  $3V$ . The resistance of collector is  $3k\Omega$ . If current gain is 100 and the base resistance is  $2k\Omega$ , the voltage and power gain of the amplifier is :

A. 200 and 1000

B. 15 and 200

C. 150 and 15000

D. 20 and 2000

**Answer: C**



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4. For CE transistor amplifier, the audio signal voltage across the collector resistance of  $2k\Omega$  is 4V. If the current amplification factor of the transistor is 100 and the base resistance is  $1k\Omega$ , then the input signal voltage is

A.  $10mV$

B.  $20mV$

C.  $30mV$

D.  $15mV$

**Answer: B**



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5. The given circuit has two ideal diodes connected as shown in the figure below. The current flowing through the resistance  $R_1$  will be

A.  $2.5A$



B.  $10.0A$

C.  $1.43A$

D.  $3.13A$

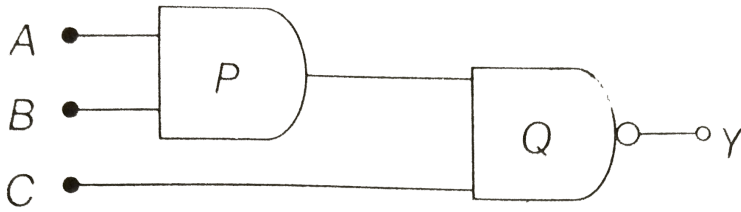
**Answer: A**



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**6.** What is the output  $Y$  in the following circuit, when all the three inputs  $A, B, C$  are first  $0$  and

then 1?



A. 0, 1

B. 0, 0

C. 1, 0

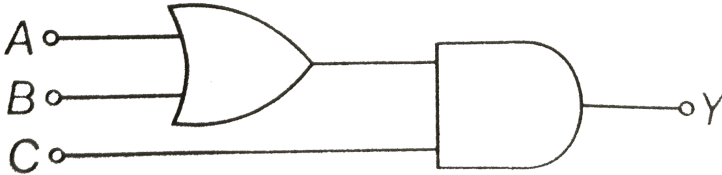
D. 1, 1

**Answer: C**



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7. To get output 1 for the following circuit, the correct choice for the input is



A.  $A = 1, B = 0, C = 1$

B.  $A = 0, B = 1, C = 0$

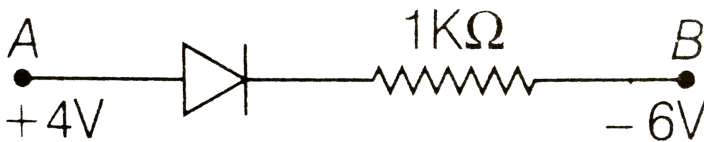
C.  $A = 1, B = 0, C = 0$

D.  $A = 1, B = 1, C = 0$

**Answer: A**



8. Consider the junction diode as ideal. The value of current flowing through AB is



A.  $10^{-3} A$

B.  $0 A$

C.  $10^{-2} A$

D.  $10^{-1} A$

**Answer: C**



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9. A n-p-n transistor is connected in common emitter configuration in a given amplifier. A load resistance of  $800\Omega$  is connected in the collector circuit and the voltage drop across it is  $0.8V$ . If the current amplification factor is  $0.96$  and the input resistance of the circuit is  $192\Omega$ , the voltage gain and the power gain of the amplifier will respectively be

A. 4, 3.69

B. 4, 3.84

C. 3.69, 3.84

D. 4, 4

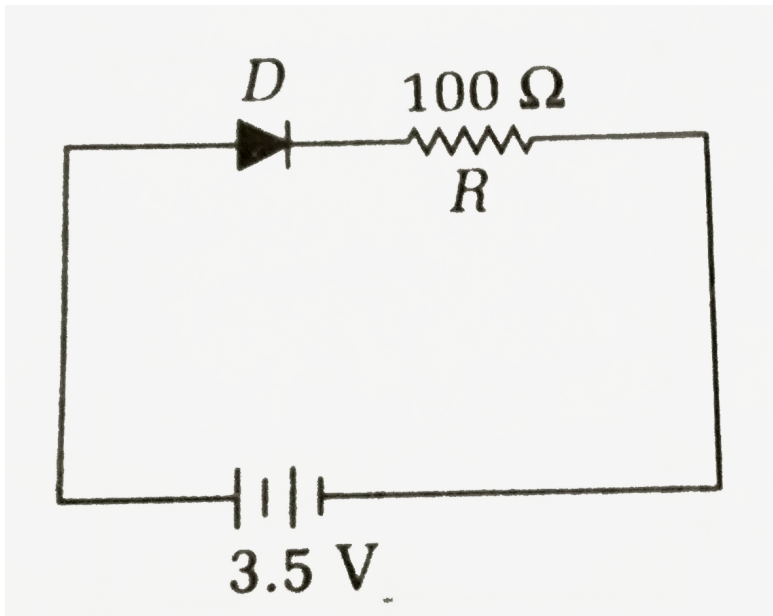
**Answer: B**



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**10.** In the given figure, a dipole D is connected to an external resistance  $R = 100\Omega$  and an e.m.f. of  $3.5V$ . If the barrier potential

developed across the dipole is  $0.5V$ , the current in the circuit will be



A.  $35\text{Ma}$

B.  $30\text{mA}$

C.  $40\text{mA}$

D.  $20\text{mA}$

**Answer: B**



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**11.** The input signal given to a CE amplifier having a voltage gain of 150 is  $V_i = 2 \cos\left(15t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . The corresponding output signal will be

A.  $300 \cos\left(15t + 4\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

B.  $300 \cos\left(15t + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

C.  $75 \cos\left(15t + 2\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

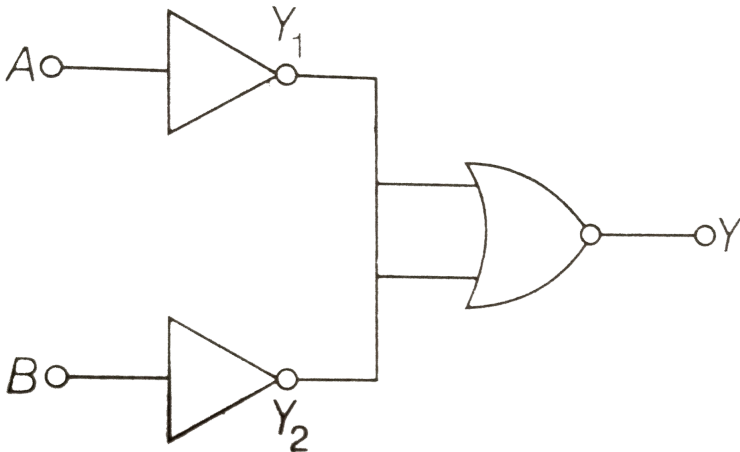


D.  $2 \cos \left( 15t + 5 \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$

**Answer: A**

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**12.** Which logic gate is represented by the following combination of logic gates?



A. NOR

B. OR

C. NAND

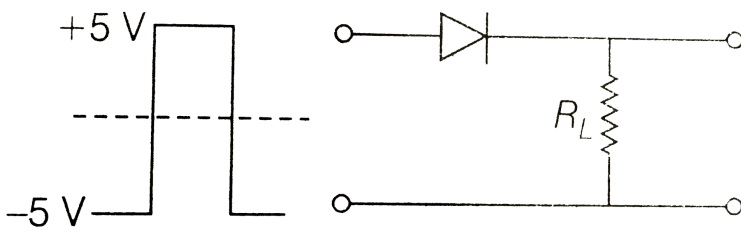
D. AND

**Answer: D**



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**13.** If in a p-n junction, a square input signal of  $10V$  is applied as shown,



then the output across  $R_L$  will be

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: A**



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14. Given

$$\frac{\underbrace{1000\dots 01}_{n \text{ zeroes}}}{\underbrace{1000\dots 01}_{(n+1) \text{ zeroes}}} < \frac{\underbrace{1000\dots 01}_{m \text{ zeroes}}}{\underbrace{1000\dots 01}_{(m+1) \text{ zeroes}}}$$

then which of the following true

- A. It is  $V - I$  characteristics for solar cell where, point A represents open circuit voltage and point B short circuit current.

B. It is for a solar cell and points A and B represent open circuit voltage and current, respectively

C. It is for photodiode and points A and B represent open circuit voltage and current, respectively.

D. It is for a LED and points A and B represent open circuit voltage and short circuit current respectively.

**Answer: A**



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**15.** The barrier potential of a p-n junction depends on

- (i) type of semiconductor material
- (ii) amount of doping
- (iii) temperature

Which one of the following is correct ?

- A. (a) and (b) only
- B. (b) only
- C. (b) and (c) only

D. (a), (b) and (c)

**Answer: D**



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**16.** In a n-type semiconductor, which of the following statement is true ?

A. Electrons are minority carriers and pentavalent atoms are dopants

B. Holes and minority carriers and pentavalent atoms are dopants

C. Holes are majority carriers and trivalent atoms are dopants

D. Electrons are majority carriers and trivalent atoms are dopants.

**Answer: B**



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17. In a common emitter (CE) amplifier having a voltage gain  $G$ , the transistor used has transconductance  $0.03 \text{ mho}$  and current gain  $25$ . If the above transistor is replaced with another one with transconductance  $0.02 \text{ mho}$  and current gain  $20$ , the voltage gain will

A.  $1.5G$

B.  $\frac{1}{3}G$

C.  $\frac{5}{4}G$

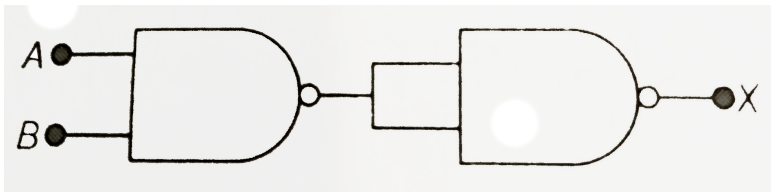
D.  $\frac{2}{3}G$

Answer: D



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18. The output (X) of the logic circuit shown in figure will be



A.  $X = \underline{A} \cdot B$

B.  $X = A \cdot B$

C.  $X = \underline{A} + B$

$$D. X = \underline{A}. B$$

**Answer: B**



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**19.** Two ideal diodes are connected to a battery as shown in the circuit. The current supplied by the battery is

A.  $0.25A$

B.  $0.5A$

C.  $0.75 \text{ A}$

D. Zero

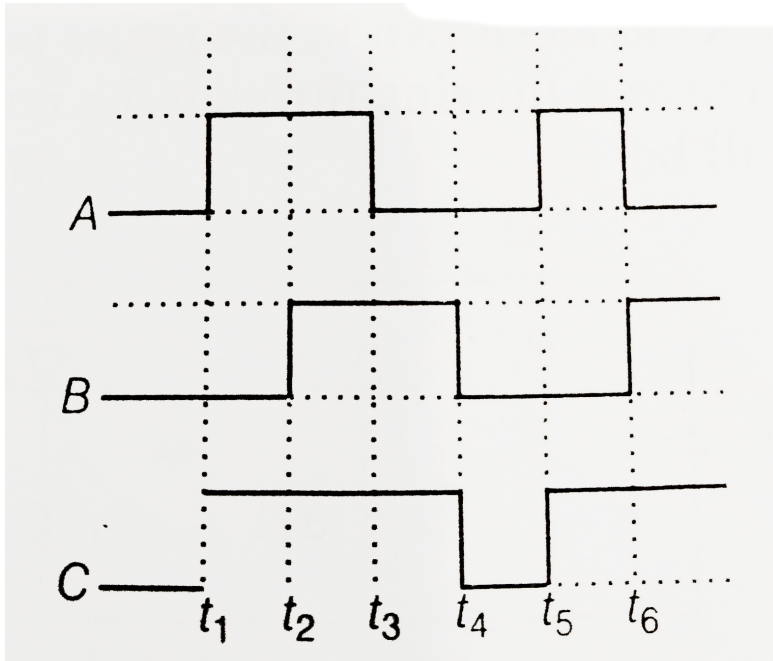
**Answer: B**



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20. The figure shows a logic circuit with two inputs A and B and the output C. The voltage wave forms across A, B and C are as given. The

logic circuit gate is



A. AND gate

B. NAND gate

C. OR gate

D. NOR gate

**Answer: C**



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**21.** In a CE transistor amplifier, the audio signal voltage across the collector resistance of  $2k\Omega$  is 2V. If the base resistance is  $1k\Omega$  and the current amplification of the transistor is 100, the input signal voltage is

A.  $1mV$

B.  $10mV$

C.  $0.1v$

D.  $1.0V$

**Answer: B**



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**22.** C and Si both have same lattice structure, having 4 bonding electrons in each. However, C is insulator whereas Si is intrinsic semiconductor. This is because

A. The four bonding electrons in the case of C lie in the second orbit, whereas in the case of Si they lie in the third.

B. The four bonding electrons in the case of C lie in the third orbit, whereas for Si they lie in the fourth orbit.

C. In case of C the valence band is not completely filled at absolute zero temperature.



D. In case of C the conduction bands is partly filled even at absolute zero temperature.

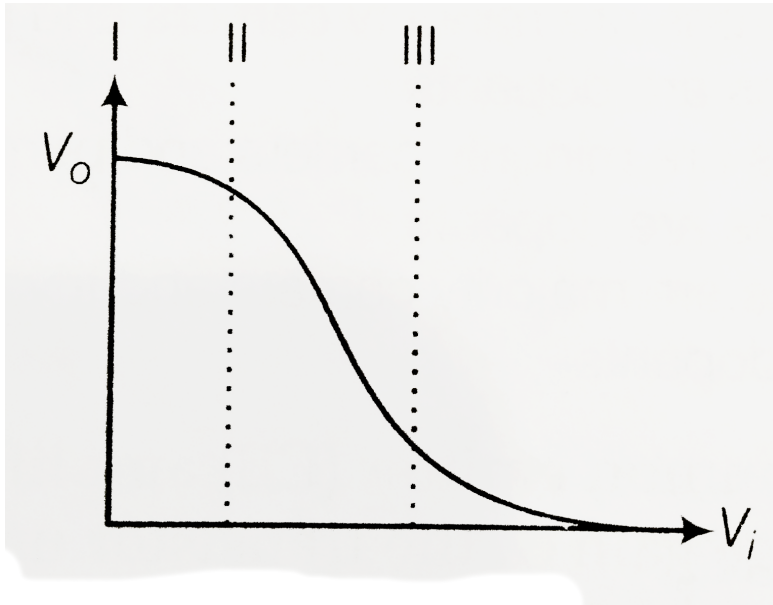
**Answer: A**



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**23.** Transfer characteristic [output voltage ( $V_0$ ) vs input voltage ( $V_i$ )] for a base biased transistor in CE configuration is as shown in the figure. For using transistor as a switch, it is

used



A. In region II

B. In region I

C. In region III

D. Both in region (I) and (III)

**Answer: D**



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24. The input resistance of a silicon transistor is  $100\Omega$ . Base current is changed by  $40\mu A$  which results in a change in collector current by 2 mA. This transistor is used as a common emitter amplifier with a load resistance of  $4K\Omega$ . The voltage gain of the amplifier is-

A. 2000

B. 3000

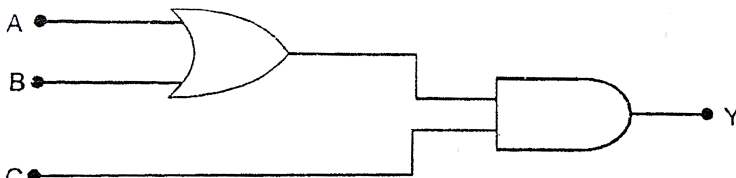
C. 4000

D. 1000

**Answer: A**



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**25.**

To get an output  $Y = 1$  in given circuit which of the following input will be correct:

A. 1,0,0

B. 1,0,1

C. 1,1,0

D. 0,1,0

**Answer: B**



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**26.** A transistor is operated in common emitter configuration at  $V_c = 2V$  such that a change in the base current from  $100\mu A$  to  $300\mu A$

produces a change in the collector current from  $10\text{mA}$  to  $20\text{mA}$ . The current gain is

A. 25

B. 50

C. 75

D. 100

**Answer: B**



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27. If a small amount of antimony is added to germanium crystal

A. Its resistance is increased

B. It becomes a p-type semiconductor

C. The antimony becomes an acceptor atom

D. There will be more free electrons than holes in the semiconductor

**Answer: D**





**28.** In forward biasing of the p-n junction

A. The positive terminal of the battery is connected to p-side and the depletion region becomes thin

B. The positive terminal of the battery is connected to p-side and the depletion region becomes thick



C. The positive terminal of the battery is connected to n-side and the depletion region becomes thin

D. The positive terminal of the battery is connected to n-side and the depletion region becomes thick

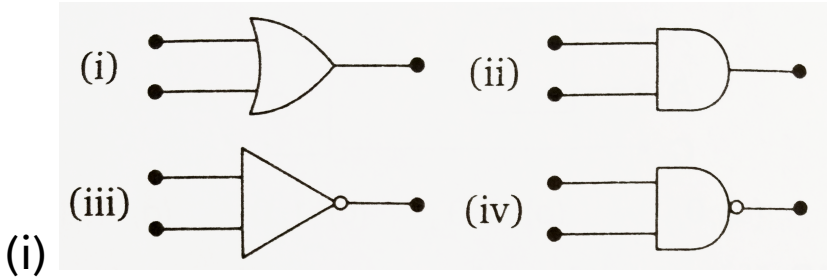
**Answer: A**



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## 29. Symbolic representation of four logic gates

are shown as



Pick out which ones are for AND, NAND and NOT gates, respectively.

A. *(ii)*, *(iv)* and *(iii)*

B. *(ii)*, *(iii)* and *(iv)*

C. *(iii)*, *(ii)* and *(i)*

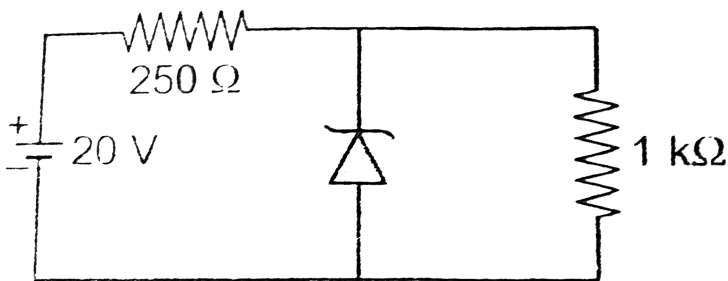
D. *(iii)*, *(ii)* and *(iv)*

**Answer: A**



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**30.** A zener diode having breakdown voltage equal to 15V, is used in a voltage regulator circuit shown in figure. Find the current through the diode.



A.  $20mA$

B.  $5mA$

C.  $10mA$

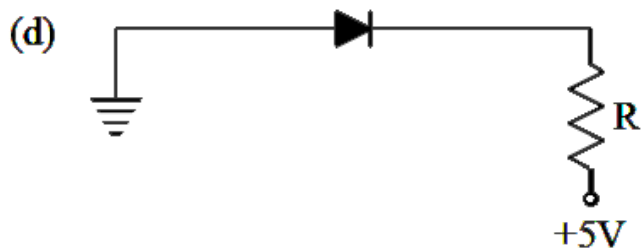
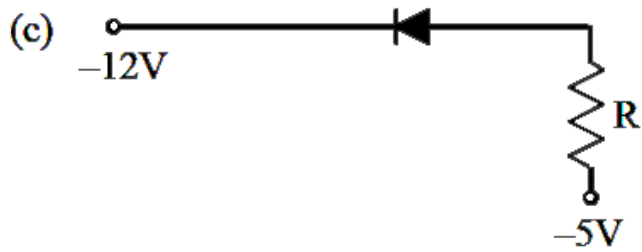
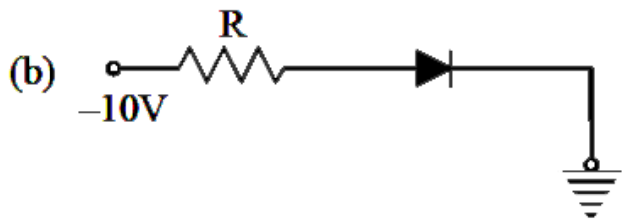
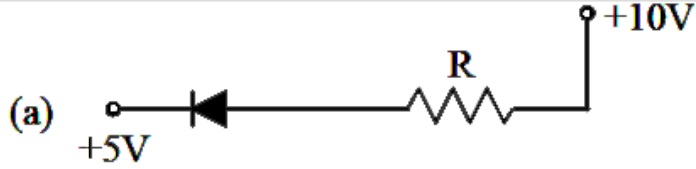
D.  $15mA$

**Answer: B**



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**31.** In the following figure, the diodes which are forwards biased are :



A. (b) and (d)

B. (a), (b) and (d)

C. (c) only

D. (c) and (a)

**Answer: D**



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**32.** Pure Si at 500 K has equal number of electron ( $n_e$ ) and hole ( $n_h$ ) concentration of  $1.5 \times 10^{16} m^{-3}$ . Doping by indium increases  $n_h$  to  $4.5 \times 10^{22} m^{-3}$ . The doped semiconductor is of :

A. n-type with electron concentration

$$n_e = 2.5 \times 10^{23} m^{-3}$$

B. p-type having electron concentrations

$$n_e = 5 \times 10^9 m^{-3}$$

C. n-type with electron concentration

$$n_e = 2.5 \times 10^{22} m^{-3}$$

D. Semi-conductor crystal

**Answer: B**



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**33.** A common emitter amplifier has a voltage gain of 50, an input impedance of  $100\Omega$  and an output impedance of  $200\Omega$ . The power gain the amplifier is

A. 50

B. 500

C. 1000

D. 1250

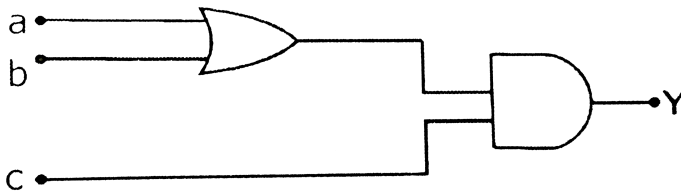
**Answer: D**



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34. To get an output 1 from the circuit shown in figure the input must be :



A. 0,1,0

B. 0,0,1

C. 1,0,1

D. 1,0,0

**Answer: C**



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**35.** The device that can act as a complete electronic circuit is

- A. Zener diode
- B. Junction diode
- C. Integrated circuit
- D. Junction transistor

**Answer: C**



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**36.** Which of the following statement is false?

A. The resistance of intrinsic semiconductor decreases with increase of temperature

B. Puri Si doped with trivalent impurities gives a p-type semiconductor

C. Majority carriers in a n-type semiconductor are holes

D. Minority carriers in a p - type semiconductor are electrons

**Answer: C**



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**37.** Which one of the following bonds produces a solid that reflects light in the light in the visible region and whose electrical

conductivity decreases with temperature and has high melting point ?

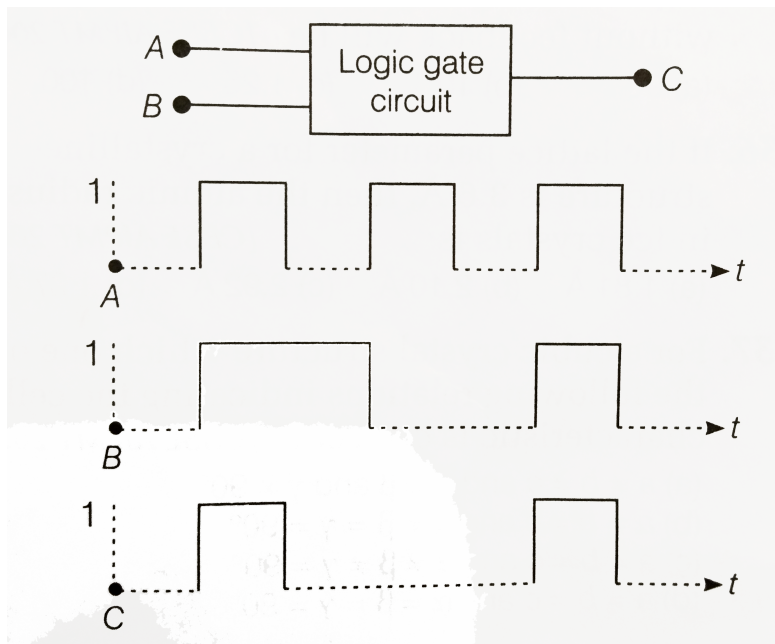
- A. Covalent bonding
- B. Metallic bonding
- C. Van der Waal's bonding
- D. Ionic bonding

**Answer: B**



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**38.** The following figure shows a logic gate circuit with two inputs A and B and the output C. The voltage waveforms of A, B and C are as shown below





The logic circuit gate is

A. NOR gate

B. OR gate

C. AND gate

D. NAND gate

**Answer: D**



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**39.** The vapour pressure of two pure liquids A and B that forms an ideal solution are 300 and 800 torr respectively at temperature T. A mixture of the vapours of A and B (for which the mole fraction of A is 0.25) is slowly compressed at temperature T. The vapour pressure of this condensate is measured to be 'P'. What is the value of 684-P ?

A. (d), (a)

B. (a), (b)

C. (b), (c)



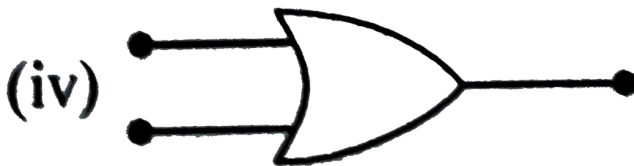
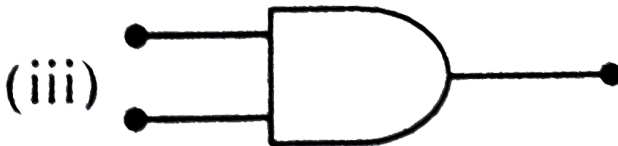
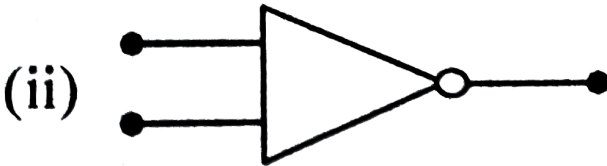
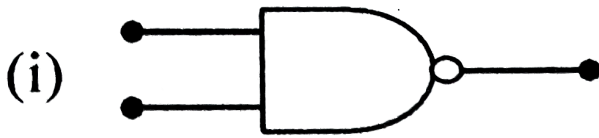
D. (c), (d)

**Answer: C**



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**40.** The symbolic representation of four logic gates are given below :



The logic symbols for OR, NOT and NAND gates are respectively :

A. (iv), (i) ,(iii)

B. (iv),(ii), (i)

C. (i), (iii), (iv)

D. (iii), (iv), (ii)

**Answer: B**



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**41.** A p-n Photodiode is fabricated from a semiconductor with a band gap of 2.5 eV. The signal wavelength is

A. 4000 nm

B. 6000 nm

C. 4000 A

D. 6000 A

**Answer: C**



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**42.** A transistor is operated in common-emitter configuration at  $V_c = 2$  volt such that a change in the base current from  $100\mu A$  to  $200\mu A$  produces a change in the collector

current from  $5\text{mA}$  to  $10\text{mA}$ . The current gain is

A. 100

B. 150

C. 50

D. 75

**Answer: C**



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43. Sodium has body centred packing. Distance between two nearest atoms is  $3.7 \text{ \AA}$ . The lattice parameter is :

A.  $4.3 \text{ \AA}$

B.  $3.0 \text{ \AA}$

C.  $8.6 \text{ \AA}$

D.  $6.8 \text{ \AA}$

**Answer: A**



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44. If the lattice parameter for a crystalline structure is  $3.6\text{\AA}$ , then the atomic radius of fcc crystals is

A.  $1.27\text{\AA}$

B.  $1.81\text{\AA}$

C.  $2.10\text{\AA}$

D.  $2.92\text{\AA}$

**Answer: A**



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45. The voltage gain of an amplifier with 9% negative feedback is 10. The voltage gain without feedback will be

A. 100

B. 90

C. 10

D. 1.25

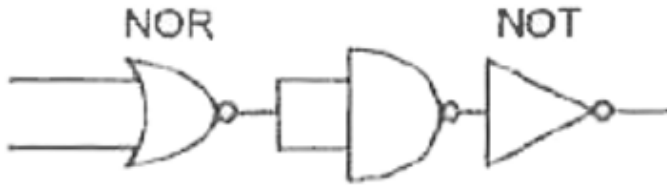
**Answer: A**



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46. The circuit



A. OR gate

B. AND gate

C. NAND gate

D. NOR gate

**Answer: D**



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47. A p-n photodiode is made of a material with a band gap of  $2.0eV$ . The minimum frequency of the radiation that can be absorbed by the material is nearly

A.  $20 \times 10^{14} Hz$

B.  $10 \times 10^{14} Hz$

C.  $5 \times 10^{14} Hz$

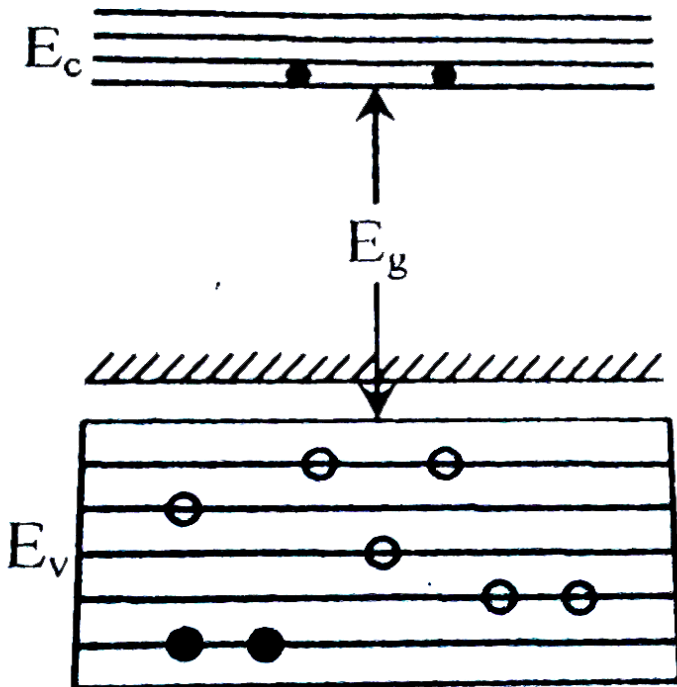
D.  $1 \times 10^{14} Hz$

**Answer: C**



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48. In the energy band diagram of a material shown below, the open circles and filled circles denote holes and electrons respectively. The material is:-



A. An n-type semiconductor

B. A p-type semiconductor

C. An insulator

D. A metal

**Answer: B**



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**49.** A common emitter amplifier has a voltage gain of 50, an input impedance of  $100\Omega$  and an

output impedance of  $200\Omega$ . The power gain  
the amplifier is

A. 100

B. 500

C. 1000

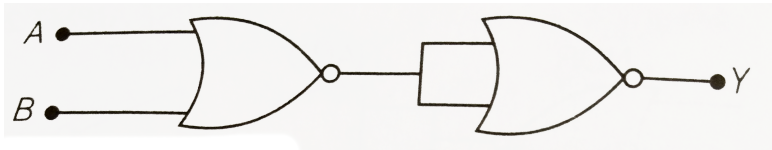
D. 1250

**Answer: D**



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50. In the following circuit, the output Y for all possible inputs A and B is expressed by the truth table



A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: C**



51. For a cubic crystal structure which one of the following relation indicating the cell characteristic is correct ?

A.  $a = b = c$  and  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$

B.  $a \neq b \neq c$  and  $\alpha \neq \beta \neq \gamma \neq 90^\circ$

C.  $a \neq b \neq c$  and  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$

D.  $a = b = c$  and  $\alpha \neq \beta \neq \gamma \neq 90^\circ$

**Answer: A**



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52. A transistor is operated in common emitter configuration at constant collector voltage  $V_c = 1.5V$  such that a change in the base current from  $100\mu A$  to  $150\mu A$  produces a change in the collector current from  $5mA$  to  $10mA$ . The current gain ( $\beta$ ) is

A. 67

B. 75

C. 100



D. 50

**Answer: C**



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**53.** A forward biased diode is

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: D**



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**54.** The following figure shows a logic gate circuit with two inputs A and B and the output C. The voltage waveforms of A, B and C are as given. The logic circuit is:

A. AND gate

B. NAND gate

C. NOR gate

D. OR gate

**Answer: A**



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**55. Application of forward bias to p-n junction**

A. Increases the number of donors on the  
n-side

B. Increases the electric field in the  
depletion zone

C. Increases the potential difference across the depletion zone

D. Widens the depletion zone

**Answer: A**



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**56.** Zener diode is used for:-

A. Producing oscillations in an oscillator

B. Amplification

C. Stabilisation

D. Rectification

**Answer: C**



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**57.** Carbon, silicon and germanium have four valence electrons each. These are characterised by valence and conduction bands separated by energy band gap respectively equal to

$(E_g)_C$ ,  $(E_g)_{Si}$ , and  $(E_g)_{Ge}$ . Which of the following statements is true?

A.  $(E_g)_C > (E_g)_{Si}$

B.  $(E_g)_C = (E_g)_{Si}$

C.  $(E_g)_C < (E_g)_{Ge}$

D.  $(E_g)_C < (E_g)_{Si}$

**Answer: A**



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**58.** Choose the false statement from the following.

A. Substances with energy gap of the order of 10 eV are insulators

B. The conductivity of a semiconductor increases with increase in temperature

C. In conductors the valence and conduction bands may overlap

D. The resistivity of a semiconductor increases with increase in temperature.

**Answer: D**



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**59.** Copper has face-centered cubic (fcc) lattice with interatomic spacing equal to  $2.54\text{\AA}$ . The value of lattice constant for this lattice is

A.  $1.27\text{\AA}$



B. 5.08A

C. 2.54A

D. 3.59A

**Answer: D**



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**60.** The cations and anions are arranged in alternate form in:

A. Metallic crystal

B. Ionic crystal

C. Covalent crystal

D. Semi-conductor crystal

**Answer: B**



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**61.** In semiconductors at a room temperature

A. The valence band is partially empty and

the conduction band is partially filled

B. The valence band is completely filled and the conduction band is partially filled

C. The valence band is completely filled

D. The conduction band is completely empty

**Answer: A**



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62. In good conductors of electricity the type of bonding that exist is

A. Metallic

B. van der Waal's

C. Ionic

D. Covalent

**Answer: A**



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**63.** In an insulator, the forbidden energy gap between the valence band and conduction band is of the order of

A.  $1\text{MeV}$

B.  $0.1\text{MeV}$

C.  $1\text{eV}$

D.  $5\text{eV}$

**Answer: D**



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64. In a p-n junction depletion region has a thickness of the order of

A.  $10^{-10}m$

B.  $10^{-8}m$

C.  $10^{-6}m$

D.  $10^{-4}m$

**Answer: C**



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65. Pure  $Si$  at 300 K has equal electron ( $n_e$ ) and hole ( $n_h$ ) concentrations of  $1.5 \times 10^{18} m^{-3}$ . Doping by indium increases  $n_h$  to  $4.5 \times 10^{22} m^{-3}$ . Calculate  $n_e$  in the doped  $Si$ .

A.  $1.5 \times 10^{16} m^{-3}$

B.  $3.0 \times 10^{22} m^{-3}$

C.  $5 \times 10^9 m^{-3}$

D.  $3 \times 10^6 m^{-3}$

**Answer: C**



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**66.** In a reverse biased p-n junction, when the applied bias voltages is equal to the breakdown voltage, then

- A. Current remains constant while voltage increase sharply
- B. Voltage remains constant while current increases sharply
- C. Current and voltage increase



D. Current and voltage decrease

**Answer: B**



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**67.** In the case of forward biasing of  $PN$ -junction, which one of the following figures correctly depicts the direction of flow of carriers?

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: B**

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**68.** When arsenic is added as an impurity to silicon, the resulting material is

A. n-type conductor

B. n-type semiconductor

C. p-type semiconductor

D. p-type conductor

**Answer: B**



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**69.** To obtain a p-type germanium semiconductor, it must be doped with

A. Indium

B. Phosphorus

C. Aresenic

D. Antimony

**Answer: A**



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**70.** The cause of the potential barrier in a p-n diode is

A. Depletion of negative charges near the junction

B. Concentration of positive charges near the junction

C. Depletion of positive charges near the junction

D. Concentration of positive and negative charges near the junction

**Answer: D**



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71. A semiconducting device is connected in a series in circuit with a battery and a resistance. A current is allowed to pass through the circuit. If the polarity of the battery is reversed, the current drops to almost zero. The device may be

- A. A p-type semi-conductor
- B. An intrinsic semi-conductor
- C. A p-n junction

D. An n-type semi-conductor

**Answer: C**



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**72.**  $p - n$  junction diode can be used as

A. Condenser

B. Oscillator

C. Amplifier

D. Rectifier

**Answer: D**



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**73.** In p-type semiconductor, the major charge carriers are:

A. Protons

B. Electrons

C. Holes are majority carriers and trivalent atoms are dopants



D. Neutrons

**Answer: C**



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**74.** In forward bias the width of depletion layer  
in a p-n junction diode

A. Remains constant

B. Decreases

C. Increases

D. First (1) then(2)

**Answer: B**



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**75. Depletion layer consists of**

A. Mobile ions

B. Protons

C. Electrons

D. Immobile ions

**Answer: D**



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**76.** In a junction diode, the holes are due to

- A. Extra electrons
- B. Neutrons
- C. Protons
- D. Missing of electrons

**Answer: D**



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77. In a PN junction : -

- A. High potential at N side and low potential at P side
- B. High potential P side and low potential at N side
- C. P and N both are at same potential
- D. Undetermined

**Answer: A**



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**78.** For the given circuit of P-N junction diode which is correct : -



- A. In forward bias the voltage across R is V
- B. In reverse bias the voltage across R is V
- C. In forward bias the voltage across R is 2V
- D. In reverse bias the voltage across R is 2V

**Answer: A**



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**79.** Reverse bias applied to a junction diode

- A. Lowers the potential barrier
- B. Raises the potential barrier
- C. Increases the majority carrier current
- D. Increases the minority carrier current

**Answer: B**



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80. Barrier potential of a p-n junction diode does not depend on -

- A. Diode design
- B. Temperature
- C. Forward bias
- D. Doping density

**Answer: A**



**81.** In a p-n junction photo cell, the value of the photo electromotive force produced by monochromatic light is proportional to: -

A. The barrier voltage at the p-n junction

B. The intensity of the light falling on the cell

C. The frequency of the light falling on the cell



D. The voltage applied at the p-n junction

**Answer: B**



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**82.** In a zener diode, break down occurs in reverse bias due to

A. thin depletion region

B. Internal field emission

C. High doping concentration

D. All of these

**Answer: B**



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**83.** In a p-n junction, depletion region contains

A. No charges at all

B. Equal number of conduction electrons  
and holes

C. Equal number of donor and acceptor ions

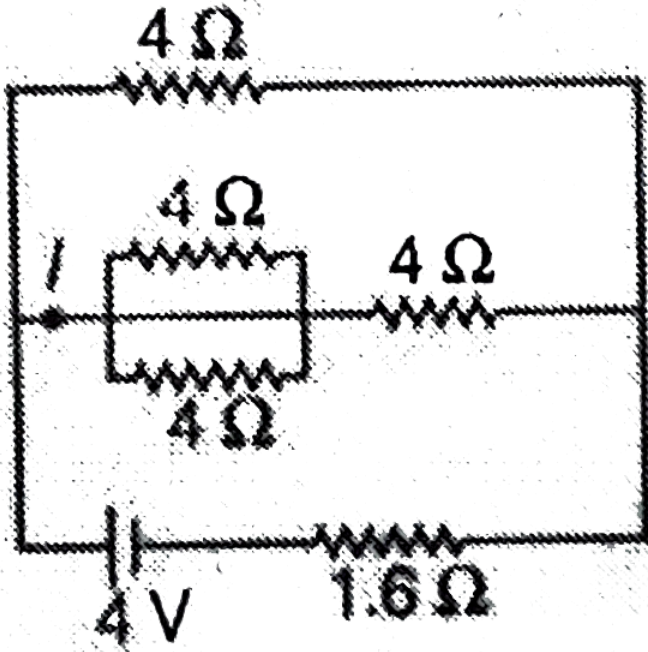
D. More conduction holes than electrons

**Answer: C**



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84. In the given circuit , the value of current is



- A. 1 ampere
- B. 0.1 ampere
- C. 0.5 ampere
- D. Zero

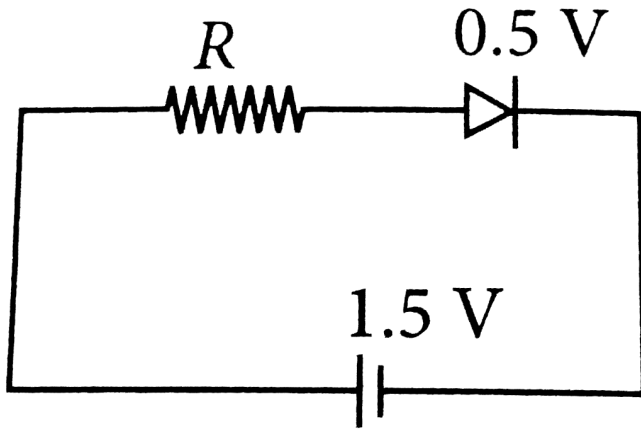
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**85.** The diode used in the circuit shown in the figure has a constant voltage drop at 0.5 V at all currents and a maximum power rating of 100 mW. What should be the value of the resistor R, connected in series with diode, for

obtaining maximum current ?



A.  $6.76\Omega$

B.  $20\Omega$

C.  $5\Omega$

D.  $5.6\Omega$

**Answer: C**





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86. The current in the circuit will be

A.  $\frac{5}{10} A$

B.  $\frac{5}{50} A$

C.  $\frac{5}{10} A$

D.  $\frac{5}{20} A$

**Answer: B**



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**87.** If a full wave rectifier circuit is operating from  $50Hz$  mains, the fundamental frequency in the ripple frequency will be

A. 25 Hz

B. 50 Hz

C.  $70.7Hz$

D. 100 Hz

**Answer: D**



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**88.** The peak voltage in the output of a half wave diode rectifier fed with a sinusoidal signal without filter is 10V. The d. c. component of the output voltage is :-

A.  $10\sqrt{2}V$

B.  $\frac{10}{\pi}V$

C.  $10V$

D.  $\frac{20}{\pi}V$

**Answer: B**



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89. When a n-p-n transistor is used as an amplifier, then

- A. Electrons move from collector to base
- B. Holes move from collector to base
- C. Holes move from base to collector
- D. Electrons move from emitter to base

**Answer: D**



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90. An oscillator is nothing but an amplifier with

- A. Positive feedback
- B. Negative feedback
- C. Voltage gain
- D. No feedback

**Answer: A**



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91. The correct relationship between the two current gains  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  in a transistor is

A.  $\alpha = \frac{\beta}{1 - \beta}$

B.  $\alpha = 1 + \frac{\beta}{\beta}$

C.  $\beta = \frac{\alpha}{1 + \alpha}$

D.  $\beta = \frac{\alpha}{1} - \alpha$

**Answer: D**



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92. The transfer ratio of a transistor is 50. The input resistance of the transistor when used in the common -emitter configuration is  $1k\Omega$ . The peak value for an *A. C.* input voltage of  $0.01V$  peak is

A.  $0.25mA$

B.  $0.01mA$

C.  $100\mu A$

D.  $500\mu A$

**Answer: D**





93. For a common emitter circuit if  $\frac{l_C}{l_E} = 0.98$  then current gain for common emitter circuit will be

A.  $49 \times 10^{-2}$

B. 98

C.  $4.9 \times 10^1$

D. 25.5

**Answer: C**



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94. In an n-p-n transistor working in active mode, the depletion region

A. Both collector and emitter are positive with respect to the base

B. Collector is positive and emitter is negative with respect to the base

C. Collector is positive and emitter is at same potential as the base

D. Both collector and emitter are negative  
with respect to the base

**Answer: B**



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**95.** A transistor -oscillator using a resonant circuit with an inductor  $L$  (of negligible resistance) and a capacitor  $C$  in series produce oscillations of frequency  $f$ . If  $L$  is doubled and  $C$  is changed to  $4C$ , the frequency will be



A.  $\frac{f}{2}$

B.  $\frac{f}{4}$

C.  $8f$

D.  $\frac{f}{2}\sqrt{2}$

**Answer: D**



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**96.** In an n-p-n transistor working in active mode, the depletion region

A. Is not formed

B. At emitter - base junction is wider than  
that at collector - base junction

C. At emitter - base junction is thinner than  
that at collector-base junction

D. At the two junctions have equals width

**Answer: C**



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97. A transistor has a current amplification factor of 60. In a CE amplifier, input resistance is  $1k\Omega$  and output voltage is  $0.01V$ . The transconductance is (in SI units)

A.  $10^{-5}$

B.  $6 \times 10^{-2}$

C.  $6 \times 10^4$

D. 10

**Answer: B**



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98. To use a transistor as an amplifier

A. Emitter - base and collector-base

junctions are forward biased

B. Emitter - base is forward biased

junctions collector-base is reverse biased

C. Emitter - base and collector-base

junctions both are reverse biased

D. Emitter - base is reverse biased collector-  
base is forward biased

**Answer: B**



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**99.** In a common emitter configuration base current is  $40\mu A$  and current gain is 100. The collector current will be

A.  $4mA$

B.  $4\mu A$

C.  $1mA$

D.  $1\mu A$

**Answer: A**



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**100.** Which of the following gates correspond to the truth table given below ?

$A$	$B$	$Y$
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

A. NAND

B. NOR

C. XOR

D. OR

**Answer: A**



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**101.** A truth table is given, which of the following has this type of truth table?

A. AND gate

B. OR gate

C. XOR gate

D. NOR gate

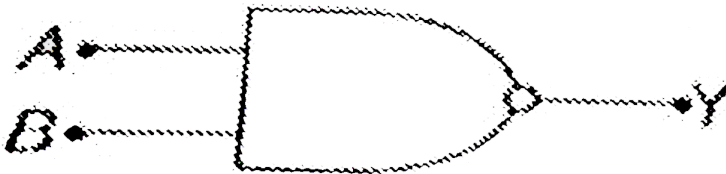


**Answer: D**



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**102.** The given symbol represents



A. AND gate

B. NOR gate

C. NAND gate

D. OR gate

**Answer: C**



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**103.** Which of the following gates will have an output of 1?

A. 

B. 

C. 

D. 

**Answer: D**

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**104.** Following diagram performs the logic function of

A. AND gate

B. NAND gate

C. OR gate

D. XOR gate

**Answer: A**



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**105.** The output of OR gate is 1 :-

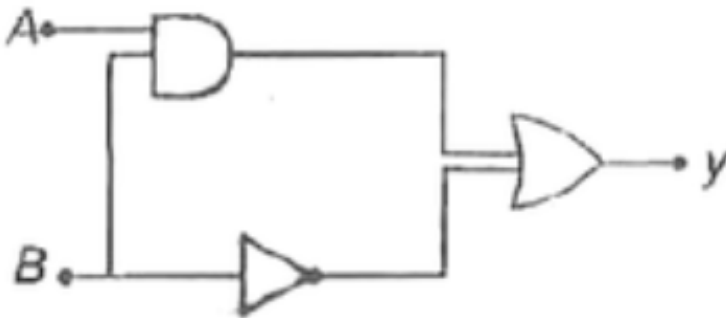
- A. If both inputs are zero
- B. If either or both inputs are 1
- C. Only if both inputs are 1
- D. If either input is zero

**Answer: B**



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**106.** In the figure shown if  $A = 1$  and  $B = 0$  then  $y$  will be



A. 0

B. 1

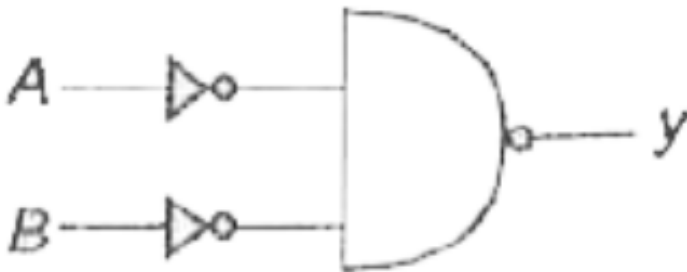
C. 2

D. Any of these

**Answer: B**

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**107.** Symbol given below represents



A. AND

B. OR

C. NAND

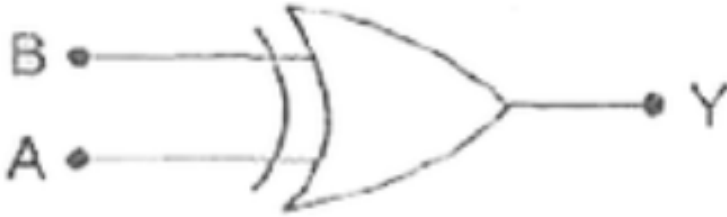
D. NOR

**Answer: B**



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108. The given symbol represents the



A. AND gate

B. NAND gate

C. NOR gate

D. XOR gate

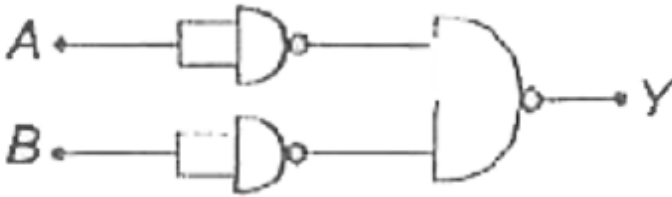
**Answer: D**



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109. Output Y of the gate shown in figure



A.  $Y = A \cdot B$

B.  $Y = A + B$

C.  $Y = A \oplus B$

D.  $Y = \underline{A} \oplus B$

**Answer: B**



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110. Which of the following is the boolean expression for XOR gate?

A.  $y = A\underline{B} + \underline{A}B$

B.  $y = \underline{A}B \cdot \underline{A}B$

C.  $y = (A + \underline{B}) \cdot (\underline{A} + B)$

D.  $y = (AB)(\underline{A}B)$

**Answer: A**



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## Assignment Section D Assertion Reason Type Question

1. Intrinsic semiconductor at absolute zero temperature is a

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark

(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: C**



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2. Assertion: When base region has large width, the collector current increases.

Reason: Electron hole combination in base result in increase of base current.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark  
(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: A**



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**3. A:** The conductivity of a pure semiconductor increases on doping

**R:** Doping causes the reduction in bond strength.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark  
(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: C**



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4. Assertion: Semiconductor do not obey Ohm's law.

Reason: Current is determined by the rate of flow of charge carriers.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark  
(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: A**



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5. A: When a pure semiconductor is doped with a pentavalent impurity, the number of conduction electrons is increased while the number of holes is decreased

R: Some of the holes get recombined with the conduction electrons as the concentration of the conduction electrons is increased.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct

explanation of the assertion , then mark

(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but

the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason

is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false

statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: A**



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6. Assertion : In transistor common emitter mode as an amplifier is preferred over common base mode.

Reason: In common emitter mode the input signal is connected in series with the voltage applied to the base emitter function.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct

explanation of the assertion , then mark

(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but

the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason

is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false

statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: B**



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7. Assertion : The energy gap between the valence band and conduction band is greater in silicon than in germanium.

Reason : Thermal energy produces fewer minority carriers in silicon than in germanium.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct

explanation of the assertion , then mark

(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but

the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason

is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false

statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: B**





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8. Assertion : Light emitting diode (LED) emits spontaneous radiation.

Reason : LED are forward biased p-n junctions.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark (1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation

of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: A**



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9. Assertion: *NAND* or *NOR* gates are called digital building blocks.

Reason: The repeated use of *NAND* (or *NOR*) gates can produce all the basic or complicated gates.

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark

(1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: A**



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**10.** A n-p-n transistor conducts when

A. If both Assertion & Reason are true and the reason is the not the correct explanation of the assertion , then mark (1)

B. if both Assertion & Reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion ,then mark (2)

C. If Assertion is true statement but reason is false, then mark (3).

D. If both Assertion and reason are false statements, then mark (4)

**Answer: B**



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