

**Sixth Semester Examination – 2008**  
**ADVANCED ELECTRONICS CIRCUITS**

Full Marks – 70

Time : 3 Hours

*Answer Question No. 1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.*

1. Answer the following questions : 2 x 10
- (a) What are the two requirements for oscillation ?
  - (b) What are Pass band and Stop bands for a filter ?
  - (c) Define Notch-out frequency.
  - (d) Give any two applications of Astable Multivibrator.

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- (e) Draw the output waveform for Collector-coupled monostable multi.
  - (f) Define Transition time of commutating capacitors.
  - (g) Define Transient response and Steady state response.
  - (h) Draw the Characteristic waveform of UJT.
  - (i) Define sweep-speed error. Give an expression.
  - (j) Name any four methods for generating a time-base waveform.
2. (a) Explain Voltage controlled oscillator with a neat sketch of circuit and output waveforms. 5
- (b) For a typical connection diagram of VCO with parameters : 5  
 $+V=12V$ ,  $R_2=1.5\text{ K}\Omega$ ,  $R_1 \rightarrow R_3=10\text{ K}\Omega$   
 and  $C_1=0.001\text{ }\mu\text{F}$
- (i) Determine the nominal frequency of the output waveforms.
  - (ii) Compute the modulation in the output frequencies if  $V_C$  is varied between 9.5V and 11.5V.

3. (a) Draw frequency response curves for high-pass filter and derive expression for cut-off frequency. 5
- (b) Design a high-pass filter at a cut-off frequency of 1 KHz with a pass band gain of 2. 5
4. (a) Explain with a neat sketch the operating principle of Schmitt Trigger circuit. 5
- (b) Explain in detail any two applications of Schmitt Trigger circuit with necessary circuit diagrams and waveforms if necessary. 5
5. (a) Explain with a neat sketch the operation principle of Emitter-coupled monostable multi with waveforms. 5
- (b) For a emitter-coupled monostable multi circuit with parameters :
- $V_{CC} = 18V$ ,  $R_{C1} = 6K$ ,  $R_{C2} = 5K$ ,  $R_E = 4K$ ,  
 $R = 100K$ . Calculate the voltage levels at  $t = 0^+$  only. Assume germanium transistors  $h_{FE} = 50$  and  $r_{cb} = 200 \text{ ohm}$ . 5

6. Explain in detail with circuit diagrams and equations the Shunt compensation of a transistor stage in a cascade with identical poles. 10
7. (a) Explain Principle and characteristics of Tunnel diode with neat sketch. 6  
(b) Explain in detail with a neat sketch the Astable circuit using Tunnel diode. 4
8. (a) Explain the IC555 Timer Monostable operation with waveforms. Provide a neat sketch for this. 7  
(b) In a IC555 monostable operation,  $R_A = 10 \text{ K}\Omega$ , the output pulse width  $t_p = 10 \text{ ms}$ . Determine the Value of C. 3