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SECOND SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020

(CBCSS—UG)

Electronics

ELE 2C 02—ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS

(2019 Admissions)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Section A

Answer all questions.
2 marks for each question.

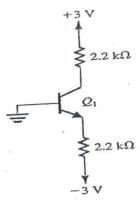
- 1. What is Q-point?
- 2. What is the purpose of biasing a transistor?
- 3. What is Zener breakdown?
- 4. Define negative feedback.
- 5. Define sensitivity.
- 6. What are barkhausen conditions for oscillation?
- 7. What is ripple factor of a rectifier?
- 8. Differentiate between a stable and monostable multivibrator.
- 9. What are the applications of rectifier?
- 10. What is class A power amplifier?
- 11. When the regulation by a Zener diode is with a varying input voltage, what happens to the voltage drop across the resistance? Justify.
- 12. A transistor has an I_C of 100mA and I_B of 0.5mA. What is the value of α_{dc} ?

Section B

Answer all questions.
5 marks for each question.

- 13. Draw the block diagram and explain the principle and working of SMPS.
- 14. Explain the working of bridge rectifier with necessary diagrams.

15. Find the emitter, base and collector voltages and currents for the given circuit. Use β = 50 and V_{BE} = 0.8V, independent of current.



- 16. What is a feedback amplifier? What are the two types of feedbacks to an amplifier? Explain with suitable diagrams.
- With suitable diagram explain the working of a crystal oscillator.
- Write a short note on RC Phase shift Oscillator.
- What is the use of filter circuits? Give a brief description on the basic types of RC filters.

Section C

Answer any one question. 10 marks for each question.

- 20. Explain in brief different biasing circuits of BJT with necessary diagrams and equations.
- 21. List out some important features of 555 Timer. Briefly explain the operation of 555 timer as Astabl and Monostable multivibrator with relevant diagrams.