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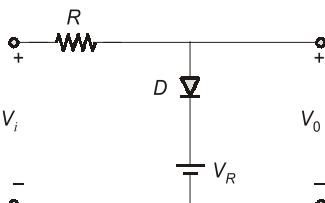
CHAPTER

Basics of Semiconductor Diodes

MCQ and NAT Questions

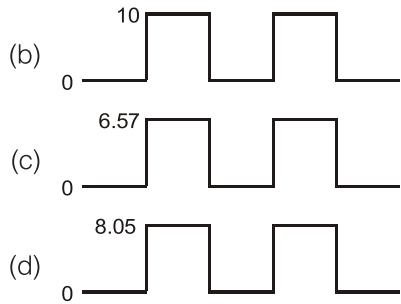
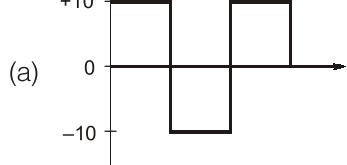
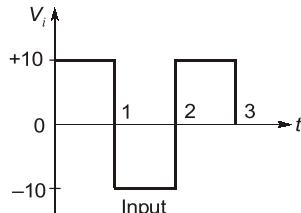
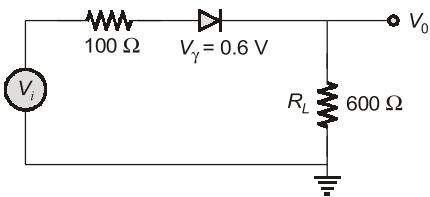
- Q.1** A diode whose terminal characteristics are related as $i_D = I_s e^{V/V_T}$, where I_s is the reverse saturation current and V_T is thermal voltage ($V_T = 25 \text{ mV}$), is biased at $I_D = 4 \text{ mA}$. Its dynamic resistance is
 (a) 12.5Ω (b) 50Ω
 (c) 6.25Ω (d) 25Ω

- Q.2** In the circuit shown below the input V_i has positive and negative swings. V_o is the output.

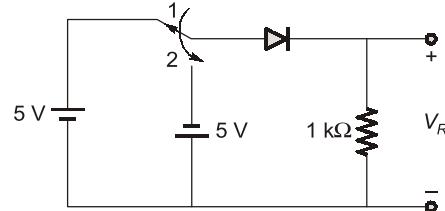


- (a) $V_o = 0$ for negative V_i
 (b) $V_o = V_R$ for positive V_i
 (c) $V_o = V_R$ for $V_i > V_R$
 (d) $V_o = V_R$ for all V_i

- Q.3** In the circuit shown below, if the input voltage V_i is as shown below then the corresponding output waveform will be

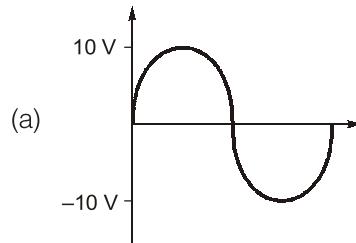
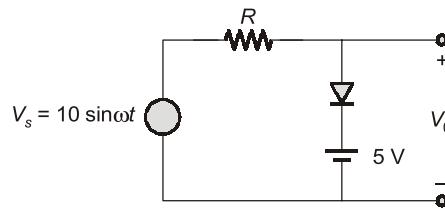


- Q.4** In the circuit shown below, the switch was connected to position 1 at $t < 0$ and at $t = 0$, it is changed to position 2. Assume that the diode has zero voltage drop and a storage time t_s . For $0 < t \leq t_s$, V_R is given by (all in Volts)



- (a) $V_R = -5$ (b) $V_R = 0$
 (c) $0 \leq V_R < 5$ (d) $-5 < V_R < 0$

- Q.5** For the circuit shown below assuming ideal diode, the output waveform V_o is



Answers**Basics of Semiconductor Diodes**

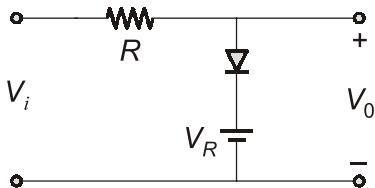
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| 1. (c) | 2. (c) | 3. (d) | 4. (a) | 5. (d) | 6. (c) | 7. (b) | 8. (b) |
| 9. (a) | 10. (c) | 11. (d) | 12. (4) | 13. (0) | 14. (d) | 15. (a) | 16. (a) |
| 17. (c) | 18. (c) | 19. (a) | 20. (c) | 21. (d) | 22. (c) | 23. (b) | 24. (b) |
| 25. (a) | 26. (d) | 27. (c) | 28. (a) | 29. (c) | 30. (c) | 31. (d) | 32. (d) |
| 33. (b) | 34. (b) | 35. (d) | 36. (c) | 37. (a) | 38. (b) | 39. (a) | 40. (c) |
| 41. (d) | 42. (b) | 43. (d) | 44. (b) | 45. (d) | 46. (b) | 47. (a) | 48. (d) |
| 49. (b) | 50. (d) | 51. (b) | 52. (c) | 53. (d) | 54. (b) | 55. (a) | 56. (a) |
| 57. (b) | 58. (d) | 59. (b) | 60. (b) | 61. (c) | 62. (c) | 63. (c) | 64. (500) |
| 65. (1.048) | 66. (b) | 67. (d) | 68. (b) | 69. (b) | 70. (c) | 71. (d) | 72. (b) |
| 73. (a) | 74. (c) | 75. (b) | 76. (b) | 77. (d) | 78. (d) | 79. (a) | 80. (d) |
| 81. (b) | 82. (b) | 83. (c) | 84. (d) | 85. (c) | 86. (c) | 87. (b) | 88. (a) |
| 89. (b) | 90. (d) | 91. (c) | 92. (d) | 93. (b) | 94. (c) | 95. (b) | 96. (c) |
| 97. (a) | 98. (b) | 99. (c) | 100. (a) | 101. (b) | 102. (a) | 103. (a) | 104. (c) |
| 105. (0.12) | 106. (40) | 107. (10) | 108. (b) | 109. (c,d) | 110. (a,b,c,d) | 111. (a,b,c,d) | 112. (a,d) |

Explanations**Basics of Semiconductor Diodes****1. (c)**

$$\frac{1}{r_d} = \frac{\partial I_D}{\partial V} = \frac{I_D}{V_T}$$

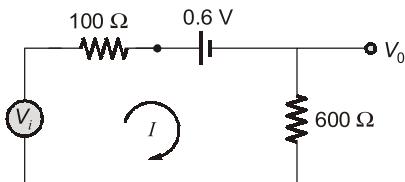
 r_d : dynamic resistance.

$$\therefore r_d = \frac{V_T}{I_D} = \frac{25}{4} = 6.25 \Omega$$

2. (c)**Considering ideal diode :**for $V_i < V_R$, diode is OFF hence there is no current through R and $V_0 = V_i$.For $V_i > V_R$, diode is ON hence

$$V_0 = V_R$$

(as diode will act as short circuit)

3. (d)For $0 \leq t \leq 1$, diode is ON

$$I = \frac{V_i - 0.6}{100 + 600} = \frac{10 - 0.6}{700}$$

$$= 0.01343 \text{ A}$$

$$\therefore V_0 = 600 \times 0.01343 = 8.058 \text{ V}$$

For $1 < t < 2$, diode is OFF, there will be no current in the circuit and hence

$$V_0 = 0 \text{ V}$$

Hence output waveform can be given as shown below:

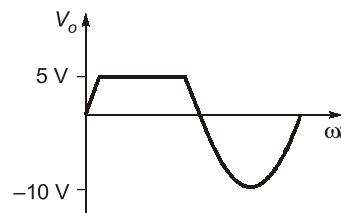
**4. (a)**For $0 < t < t_s$ diode will remain ON and hence

$$V_R + 5 = 0$$

$$\therefore V_R = -5 \text{ V}$$

5. (d)For $0 \leq V_i < V_R$ = diode is OFF $\Rightarrow V_0 = V_i$ For $V_R \leq V_i \Rightarrow$ diode is ON $\Rightarrow V_0 = 5 \text{ V}$

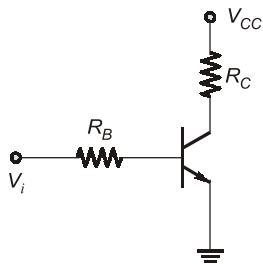
Hence output waveform can be as shown below



Bipolar Junction Transistors and Characteristics

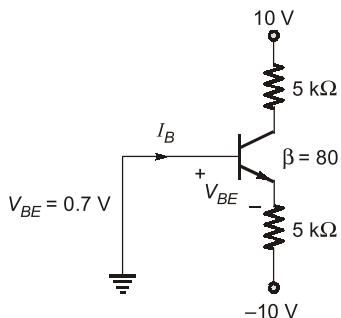
MCQ and NAT Questions

- Q.1** In the transistor circuit shown, give the reason for collector to ground voltage to be V_{CC} .



- (a) Collector emitter terminals shorted
- (b) Collector resistance open circuit
- (c) Input voltage V_i is negative
- (d) Collector base terminal shorted.

- Q.2** Find the value of base current in the circuit _____ μA .



- Q.3 Assertion (A):** A self-biased BJT circuit is more stable as compared to a fixed biased one.

Reason (R): A self-biased BJT circuit uses more components as compared to a fixed biased one.

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true

- Q.4 Assertion (A):** In a transistor switching circuit, it is desirable that the transistor should not be driven into hard saturation for fast switching applications.

Reason (R): When a transistor is under saturation on state, both its emitter-base and collector-base junctions remain under forward bias.

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

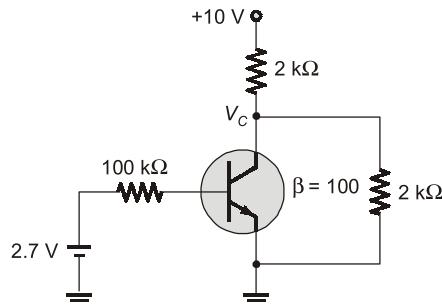
- (b) Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

- (c) A is true but R is false
- (d) A is false but R is true

- Q.5** A transistor has $I_B = 100 \mu\text{A}$ and $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}$. If I_B changes by $25 \mu\text{A}$ and I_C changes by 0.6 mA , the change in the value of β would be

- (a) $3/2$
- (b) $5/4$
- (c) $1/4$
- (d) $4/5$

- Q.6** The value of V_C for the transistor shown in figure below is



- (a) 3 volt
- (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ volt
- (c) 2 volt
- (d) none of these

- Q.7** A BJT biased in active region with $B-E$ junction forward biased $V_{BE} = 0.7 \text{ V}$. The ' β ' of transistor to

be 49. Assuming limiting case of $V_{CE} \leq \frac{V_{CC}}{2}$, find

$$\frac{R_B}{R} = \text{_____}.$$

