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Programme: B.E

Semester: I / II

Branch: Common to all Branches

Duration: 3 hrs.

Course Code: 21EC1ESBEC / 21EC2ESBEC

Max Marks: 100

Course: Basic Electronics and Communication Engineering

Instructions: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

UNIT - I

1 a) What is Regulated power supply? Explain with block diagram. **06**

b) An amplifier has a power gain of 13.79dB and identical input and output resistances of $600\ \Omega$. Determine the input voltage required to produce an output of 10 V. **04**

c) Define the following with respect to Op-Amp **06**
 I. Input offset voltage
 II. Full Power Bandwidth
 III. Slew Rate

d) An inverting operational amplifier is to operate according to the following specification: **04**
 Voltage gain = 100
 Input resistance (at mid-band) = $10\ k\Omega$
 Lower cut-off frequency = 250 Hz
 Upper cut-off frequency = 15 kHz
 Devise a circuit to satisfy the above specification using an operational amplifier.

OR

2 a) List the advantages and disadvantages of half-wave and Bridge rectifier **06**

b) Determine the frequency of oscillation of a three-stage ladder network oscillator in which $C = 10\ nF$ and $R = 10\ k\Omega$. Design the circuit for a frequency of 5kHz **04**

c) The following data were obtained during a load test carried out on a d.c. power supply:
 Output voltage (no-load) = 8.5 V
 Output voltage (800 mA load) = 8.1 V
 Determine the output resistance of the power supply and estimate the output voltage at a load current of 400 mA.
 Output voltage (a.c. input: 230 V) = 15 V
 Output voltage (a.c. input: 190 V) = 14.6 V
 Determine the regulation of the power supply and estimate the output voltage when the input voltage is 245 V.

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

d) Explain the two basic configurations of operational voltage amplifiers. **04**

UNIT - II

3 a) Discuss the clocked operation of D-type bistable with the state table and necessary timing diagram. **06**

b) Implement Full adder using Half adder **04**

c) Analyze the output of different modes of operation of a 4-bit shift-register if the serial input is “1011” with the rightmost bit (LSB) fed first serially. **10**

UNIT - III

4 a) Compare and comment on Von Neumann versus Harvard Architectures with relevant figures. **06**

b) Briefly describe the following actuators – LED and Piezo-buzzer. **04**

c) What letters related to hexadecimal representation can be display on a 7-segment LED display? Explain the same using a common Anode configuration. **06**

d) Differentiate between the two types of communication interfaces with examples. **04**

OR

5 a) Describe the differences between RISC & CISC architecture. **06**

b) Broadly classify transducers with examples. **04**

c) Explain the interfacing of matrix keypad to 8051 microcontroller **06**

d) Explain USB concept with a neat diagram. **04**

UNIT - IV

6 a) Explain GSM System Architecture with neat diagram? **10**

b) Assume a Scenario where an Airtel Subscirber ‘A’ makes a Call to an another Airtel Subscriber ‘B’. List the steps performed by the mobile transmitter ‘A’ and mobile receiver ‘B’ **06**

c) The noise factor of a radio receiver is 15:1, calculate its noise figure. Determine the output S/N ratio when the input S/N ratio to the receiver is 35dB. **04**

UNIT - V

7 a) How WSN are classified? Explain each with an example. **10**

b) Explain closed loop control of a personal lighting system. **06**

c) Explain the role of WSN in Health care. Mention few applications. **04**
