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SECTION "A"
[20 Q × 1 = 20 marks]

Choose the most appropriate answer. Symbols have their usual meaning.

1. When R_L is _____, the output voltage in the circuit of Figure 1 is maximum.
[a] 0 [b] R_o [c] R_s [d] ∞

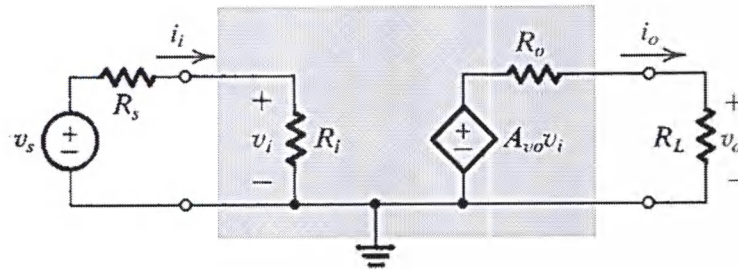


Figure: 1

2. Voltage gain of an amplifier is expressed in dB using _____ of the voltage ratio.
[a] $10\log$ [b] $20\log$ [c] $30\log$ [d] $40\log$
3. The output resistance of the amplifier shown in Figure 2 is _____, assuming ideal current source.
[a] g_m [b] r_o [c] V_{DD}/I [d] 0

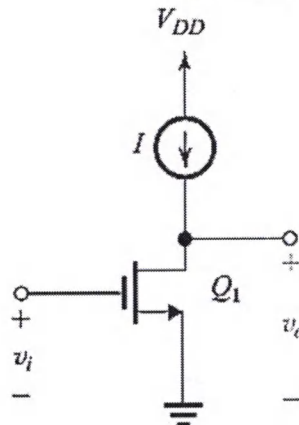


Figure: 2

4. Power gain of an amplifier must be _____.
 [a] 0 [b] 1 [c] greater than 1 [d] less than 1
5. From large signal prospect, diode is _____ device.
 [a] exponential [b] hyperbolic [c] linear [d] parabolic
6. The _____ voltage transfer function is shown in Figure 3, where v_s is the source voltage and v_o the output voltage.
 [a] amplifier [b] half wave rectifier
 [c] full wave rectifier [d] differential amplifier

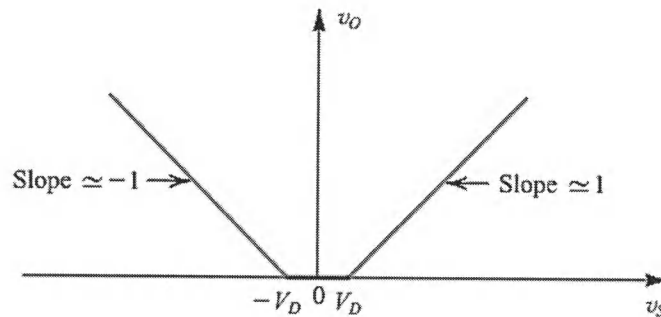


Figure: 3

7. A transistor has β_{DC} of 250 and a base current I_B of $20\mu A$. The collector current I_C equals _____.
 [a] 5mA [b] $500\mu A$ [c] 50mA [d] 5A
8. When transistors are used in digital circuits, they usually operate in the _____.
 [a] active region [b] breakdown region
 [c] linear region [d] saturation and cut-off region
9. In the circuit of Figure 4, the base current is _____.
 [a] V_{CC}/R_B [b] $0.7/R_B$ [c] I_E/β [d] V_{EE}/R_E

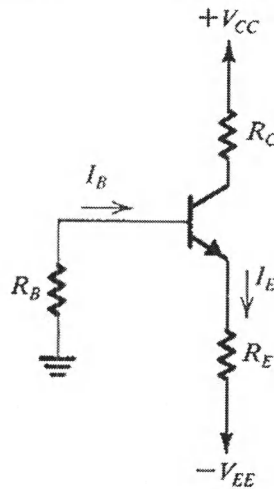


Figure: 4

10. In the active region of operation of a BJT, emitter diode is _____ biased and collector diode is _____ biased.
 [a] forward, forward [b] forward, reverse
 [c] reverse, forward [d] reverse, reverse
11. If early voltage (V_A) = 0 Volts in a Bipolar Junction Transistor, the value of r_o is _____.
 [a] 0Ω [b] ∞ [c] 26Ω [d] $1 \text{ k}\Omega$
12. MOSFET is _____ control device.
 [a] current [b] voltage
 [c] both current and voltage [d] neither current and nor voltage
13. In a NMOS Field Effect Transistor operating in the active region, overdrive voltage is _____.
 [a] $V_{GS} + V_t$ [b] $V_{GS} - V_t$ [c] $V_{SG} + V_t$ [d] $V_{SG} - V_t$
14. g_m of a Field Effect Transistor is _____.
 [a] a bias current independent function [b] a large signal parameter function
 [c] a linear function of bias current [d] a small signal parameter function
15. The maximum efficiency of class B amplifier is _____.
 [a] 25 [b] 50 [c] 78 [d] 80
16. Cross over distortion is typical problem of _____ amplifier.
 [a] class A [b] class B [c] class C [d] class D
17. The circuit shown in Figure 5 is _____.
 [a] an amplifier [b] a operational amplifier
 [c] a differential amplifier [d] a rectifier

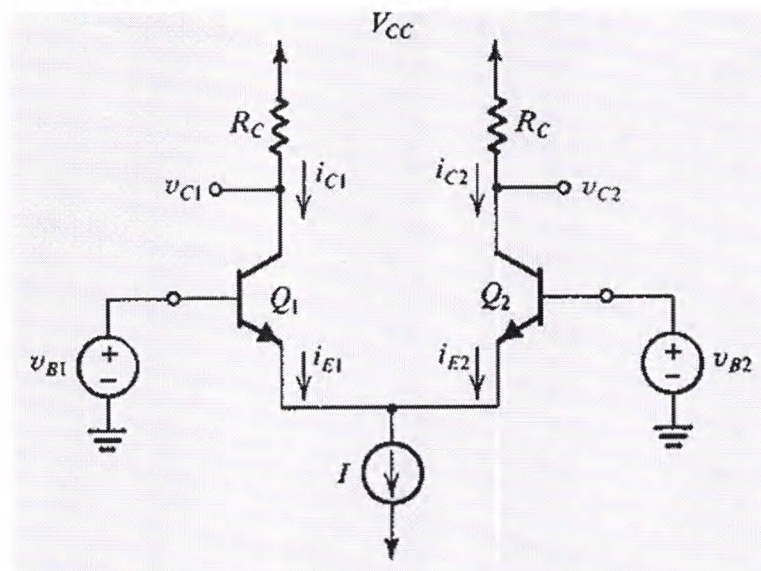


Figure: 5

18. V_O for the circuit in Figure 6 is _____.
- [a] V_t [b] $V_{GS3} - V_t + V_{DD}$ [c] V_{SG3} [d] $V_{DD} - V_{SG3}$

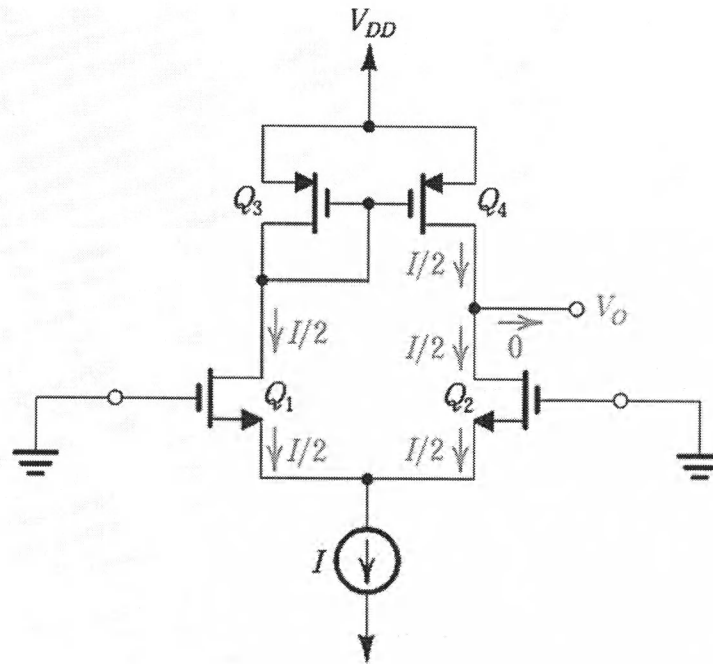


Figure: 6

19. Frequency response of an amplifier is due to the effect of _____.
- [a] diode [b] resistor [c] capacitor [d] inductor
20. When a sine wave of 1 volt peak amplitude is passed through an operational amplifier of very high gain, it converts into _____.
- [a] cosine wave [b] square wave [c] random wave [d] triangular wave

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SECTION "B"

[5 Q. \times 11 = 55 marks]

Attempt *ANY FIVE* questions. Assume suitable data if necessary. Symbol has their usual meaning.

1.

- a. Find the branch current and the potential differences across the diode and the resistor in the circuit of Figure 1. [5]

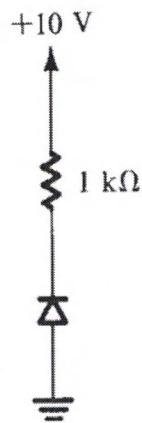


Figure: 1

- b. With explanation, sketch the output for the circuit in Figure 2 when the input is a sine wave with peak to peak variation of 1V. Assume ideal diode. [6]

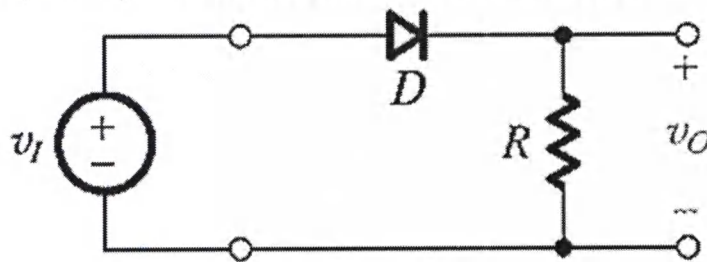


Figure: 2

2.

- a. With explanation, draw emitter current (i_E) versus base to emitter potential difference (v_{BE}) and collector current (i_C) versus collector to emitter potential difference (v_{CE}) for a NPN type Bipolar Junction Transistor operating in the active region. [5]

- b. Find the collector current and the emitter potential in the circuit shown in Figure 3. Assume base emitter drop as 0.7 V and $\beta = 100$. [6]

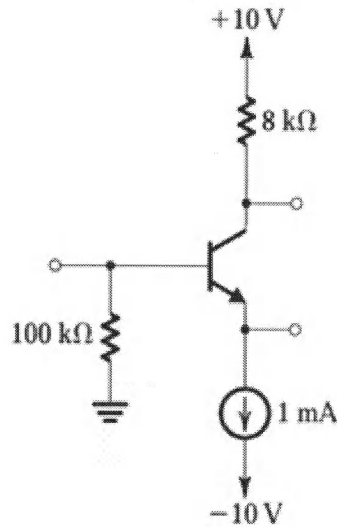


Figure: 3

3.

- a. The PMOS in the circuit of Figure 4 has absolute threshold voltage of 1V, $k = 0.5 \text{ mA/V}^2$, $I_D = 0.5 \text{ mA}$, and $V_D = 3V$. Find maximum drain potential that will maintain saturation region operation. [5]

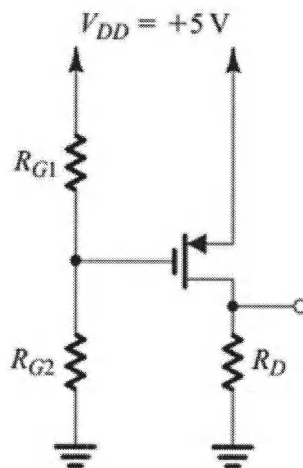


Figure: 4

- b. With necessary diagram, explain cut-off region, saturation region, and triode region of a MOSFET. [6]

4.

- a. Draw the small signal equivalent circuit of the MOS structure shown in Figure 5, and find the output resistance. Assume both the transistors are operating in the active region. Assume g_m and r_o of Q_1 and Q_2 as g_{m1} , r_{o1} , g_{m2} , and r_{o2} respectively. [5]

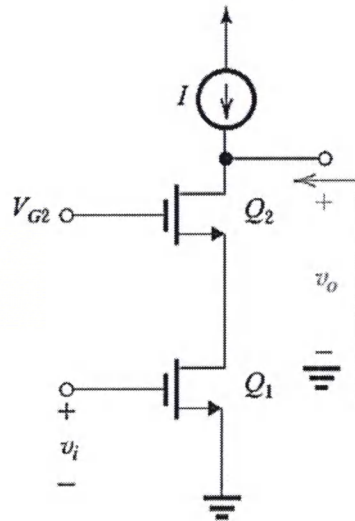


Figure: 5

- b. What is frequency response of an amplifier? Explain with suitable diagram. [6]

5.

- a. Draw typical circuit of class A and class B amplifiers. Show how the linearity performance of an amplifier varies with biasing. [5]
- b. Derive an expression for efficiency of a class B amplifier. Also find maximum efficiency that can be achieved by class B amplifiers? [6]

6.

- a. Draw a circuit of a differential amplifier using MOSFET and explain its working. [5]
- b. For the operational amplifier circuit in Figure 6, find the current through R_1 , current through R_2 , and the output voltage (v_o) in terms of input voltage (v_i). [6]

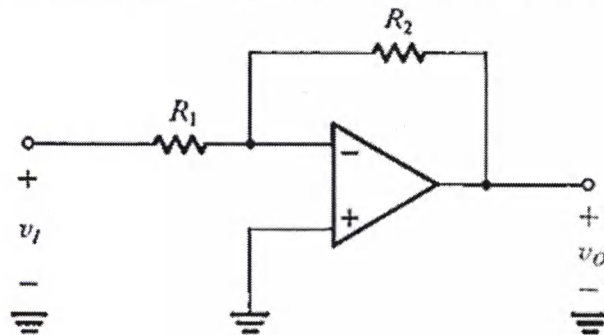


Figure: 6

