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MASTER'S DEGREE (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2024 ADMISSIONS REGULAR SEMESTER I - CORE COURSE PH1C04TM20 - Electronics

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight.

(8x1=8)

- 1. Draw the block diagrams of four types of feedback amplifier configurations.
- 2. How a voltage follower can be constructed from a non inverting amplifier?
- 3. What is error voltage in the op amp? How can it be reduced?
- 4. Explain the difference between inverting and differential summing amplifiers.
- 5. How does the high frequency model of an op-amp differ from the equivalent circuit of an op-amp? How do we account for the change?
- 6. Distinguish between a triangular wave and a saw tooth wave.
- 7. What are all pass filters? Where and why is it needed?
- 8. Give the limitations of op-amps as comparators.
- 9. Name and then briefly describe one application of V/F and F/V converters.
- 10. What is Amplitude modulation?

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. How voltage series feedback affect the voltage gain and input resistance of an op amp.
- 12. Compare the positive and negative feedback in op amps. Why negative feedback is desirable in amplifier applications.
- 13. Find the maximum possible output offset voltage VOO due to Vio for the LM307 op amp with Vio= 10mV dc , RF=10 k Ω and R1=1 k Ω .
- 14. For transducer bridge type instrumentation amplifier R1= $1k\Omega$, RF= $4.7k\Omega$, RA=RB=RC= $100k\Omega$, Vdc= +5V and supply voltages = \pm 15V. The transducer is a thermistor with the specifications, RT= $100k\Omega$ at reference temperature 25oC, temperature coefficient of resistance = $-1k\Omega$ /Co. Determine the output voltage at0Co and 1000C0.
- 15. Discuss the high frequency equivalent circuit of an op-amp and using that draw the frequency response of IC 741.
- 16. Calculate the frequency of the triangular wave generated with R2= $1.2k\Omega$, R3= $6.8k\Omega$, R1= $120k\Omega$ and C1= 0.01μ F and draw its circuit diagram.
- 17. Draw the schematic diagram of a peak detector and explain its operation.
- 18. Discuss a sample and hold circuit and briefly explain its operations.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

- 19. What are the two differential amplifier configurations? Compare and contrast these Configurations.
- 20. Explain the input bias current and design of offset minimizing resistor.
- 21. Derive the open loop voltage gain of an op-amp as a function of frequency.

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22. Explain the working of an AM diode detector with automatic gain control.