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**B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL / MAY 2024**

Third Semester

**Computer Science and Engineering (IoT)**

**20ESCI301 - BASIC ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING**

Regulations - 2020

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

**PART - A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

- |   | Marks | K-Level | CO  |
|---|-------|---------|-----|
| 1. State Kirchoff's Voltage law.                                  | 2     | K1      | CO1 |
| 2. State Thevenin's theorem.                                      | 2     | K1      | CO1 |
| 3. Distinguish Avalanche breakdown and Zener breakdown.           | 2     | K2      | CO2 |
| 4. Explain the ideal characteristics of op-amp.                   | 2     | K2      | CO2 |
| 5. Define source coding. State the significance of source coding. | 2     | K1      | CO3 |
| 6. Identify the properties of entropy.                            | 2     | K2      | CO3 |
| 7. Compare AM and FM.   | 2     | K2      | CO4 |
| 8. List the advantages of PPM.                                    | 2     | K1      | CO4 |
| 9. Define Nyquist rate.   | 2     | K1      | CO5 |
| 10. Explain the Sampling theorem.                                 | 2     | K2      | CO5 |

**PART - B (5 × 13 = 65 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

11. a) Determine the currents  $I_1$ ,  $I_2$ ,  $I_3$ , and the voltages  $V_a$  and  $V_b$  of the network shown below (Fig.11.a.) by using the appropriate method. 13 K2 CO1

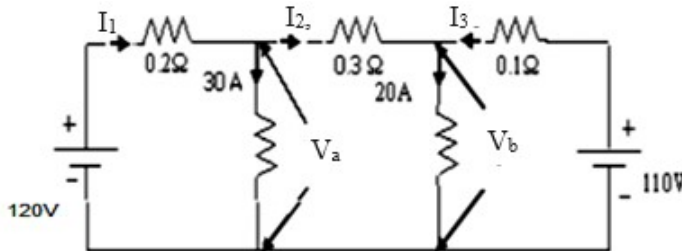


Fig.11.a

**OR**

- b) Using Norton's theorem, determine current through 6-ohm resistance shown in Figure 11. b. 13 K2 CO1

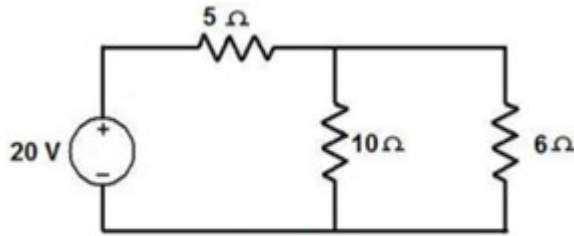


Fig.11.b

12. a) Explain the characteristics of a PN diode with necessary waveforms and equations. 13 K2 CO2

**OR**

- b) Explain the internal block diagram of the operational amplifier with a neat sketch. 13 K2 CO2

13. a) Summarize: 13 K2 CO3  
 (i). Mutual information and its properties.  
 (ii). Channel capacity and its equation.

**OR**

- b) Illustrate the following with equations 13 K2 CO3  
 (i). Average Information  
 (ii). Properties of Entropy  
 (iii). Calculate entropy when  $P_k = 0$  and when  $P_k = 1$ .

14. a) Illustrate the concept of amplitude modulation with necessary equations. 13 K2 CO4

**OR**

- b) Explain Armstrong method of FM generation in Detail. 13 K2 CO4

15. a) Explain the transmitter and receiver block diagram of PCM. 13 K2 CO5

**OR**

- b) i) What is Sampling? Give its types along with the necessary waveforms. 10 K2 CO5  
 ii) Define Aliasing. 3 K2 CO5

**PART - C (1 × 15 = 15 Marks)**

16. a) With neat diagram, explain in detail about multiple access techniques. 15 K2 CO6

**OR**

- b) Discuss the working of Cellular wireless networks with a neat block diagram. 15 K2 CO6