(For candidates admitted from 2016-2017 onwards)

U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022.

Part IV - Electronics - Non Major Elective

## PRINCIPLES OF ELECTRONICS

Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks.

SECTION A —  $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

Answer all the questions.

- 1. Specify a colour code for the following resistor
  - (a)  $150 \text{ K} \Omega 5\%$
  - (b)  $2.7 \text{ K } \Omega 10\%$ .
- 2. What is capacitor? Give one application.
- 3. Define N- type semiconductor.
- 4. What is called potential barrier.
- 5. Draw the current symbols of a NPN and PNP transistors.
- 6. Define input characteristics of a common emitter configuration.

- 7. Define the term Ipss of a JFET.
- 8. List the advantages of FET over bipolar transistor.
- 9. Define Unidirectional thyristors.
- 10. Give any two application of DIAC.

SECTION B — 
$$(5 \times 5 = 25)$$

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Explain the linear and non-linear resistor.

Or

- (b) What is a Inductor? Give any three applications.
- 12. (a) What is meant by intrinsic semiconductor?

Or

- (b) List out any five application of PN junction diode.
- 13. (a) With the neat diagram explain the construction of PNP transistor?

Or

(b) Define the input and output characteristics of CB transistor.

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14. (a) Explain the Transfer characteristic of Enhancement-type MOSFET with the neat diagram.

Or

- (b) Give any five difference between FET and BJT.
- 15. (a) Explain the construction of TRIAC with suitable diagram.

Or

(b) List out some application of DIAC.

SECTION C — 
$$(3 \times 10 = 30)$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. What are the different types of Resistors? Explain about fixed Resistors.
- 17. What is a Zener diode? Draw the VI characteristics and explain it.
- 18. Sketch the output VI characteristics of an NPN transistors in CE operation and indicate the different regions of importance.
- 19. Explain the working of JFET.
- 20. Explain the construction and working of a UJT.