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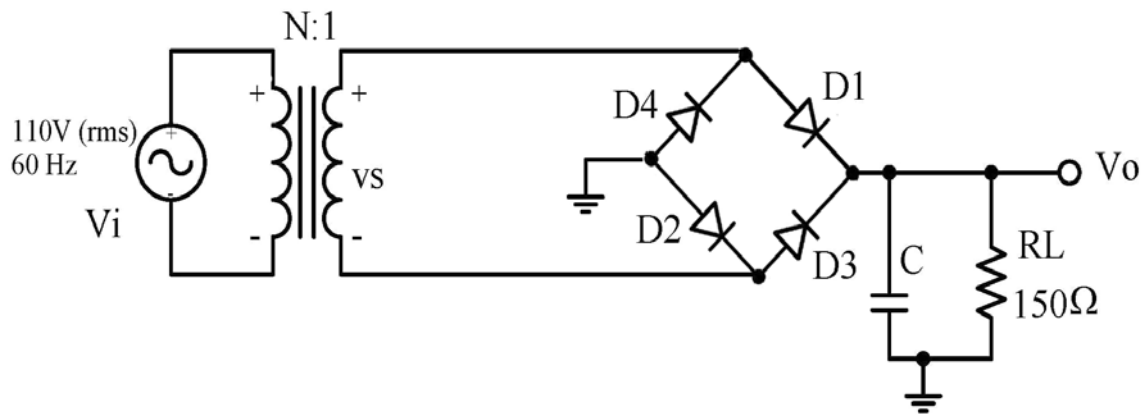
- Solve all problems.
- Total exam time is 90 minutes.

Problem	Grade
1 (35 points)	
2 (30 points)	
3 (35 points)	
Total (100 points)	

Problem (1)

It is required to use a bridge peak-rectifier (as shown below) to design a dc power supply that provides an average dc output voltage of 10V on which a maximum of $\pm 0.6V$ ripple is allowed. The diodes available have 0.7V drop when conducting.

- Find the peak value of the transformer secondary output **(10 points)**
- Find the transformer turns ratio to provide the necessary secondary voltage **(10 points)**
- Find the required value of the filter capacitor. **(10 points)**
- Find the maximum reverse voltage that will appear across each diode. **(5 points)**



a)

$$V_{o(av)} = 10V$$

$$V_r = 1.2V$$

$$V_{o(peak)} = V_{o(av)} + 0.5 V_r = 10.6V$$

$$V_{S(peak)} = V_{o(peak)} + 2V_D = 12V$$

$$b) V_{S(rms)} = \frac{V_{s(peak)}}{\sqrt{2}} = 8.48V$$

$$N = \frac{V_{i(rms)}}{V_{s(rms)}} = 13$$

c)

$$C = \frac{V_{o(peak)}}{2fRV_r} = \frac{10.6}{2 * 60 * 150 * 1.2} = 490\mu F$$

d)

The maximum reverse voltage appears across the diode = PIV

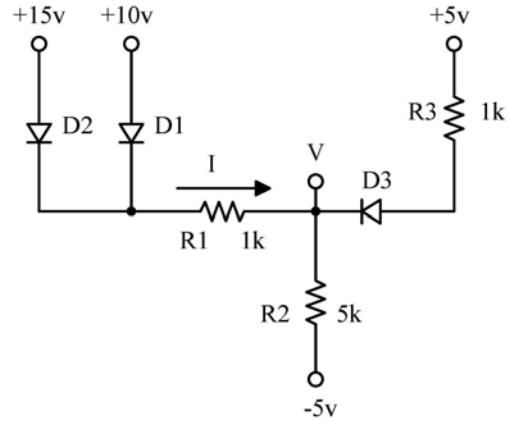
$$PIV_{D1} = PIV_{D2} = PIV_{D3} = PIV_{D4} = V_{S(peak)} - V_D = (12) - 0.7 = 11.3V$$

Problem (2)

A:

For the shown circuit, assuming that the conducting diode has a constant voltage drop $V_D = 0.7V$,

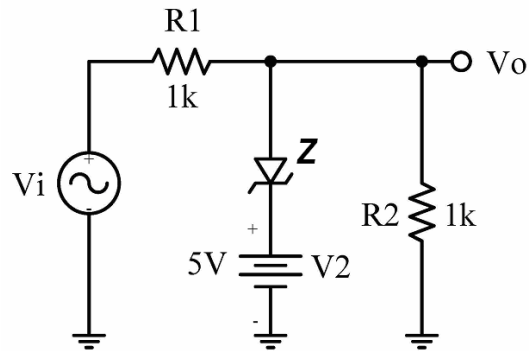
- a) Find I_D for all the diodes. **(10 points)**
- b) Determine the values of I and V . **(5 points)**



B:

For the shown diode circuit, assuming that Z has $V_z=3.3 V$, $r_z=0 \Omega$, and a forward drop voltage of $0.7V$.

- a) Draw the voltage transfer characteristics (V_o versus V_i) to cover the input range $\pm 15V$. **(8points)**
- b) If V_i is a sinusoidal waveform with peak value of $15 V$, sketch V_o versus time for one period. Label all the critical voltage levels. **(7 points)**



1-a)

Since D_1 & D_2 share the same cathode node \Rightarrow
 D_1 is off as it has less anode voltage.

Assume both diodes (D_2 & D_3) ON

Using nodal at V

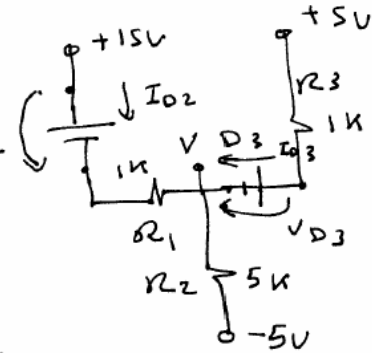
$$\therefore \frac{14.3-V}{1} + \frac{4.3-V}{1} + \frac{-5-V}{5} = 0$$

$$\therefore V = 8.91V$$

check

$$\therefore I_{D2} = \frac{15 - 8.91 - 0.7}{R_1} > 0$$

$$I_{D3} = \frac{5 - 0.7 - 8.91}{R_3} < 0 \Rightarrow \text{Wrong Assumption}$$

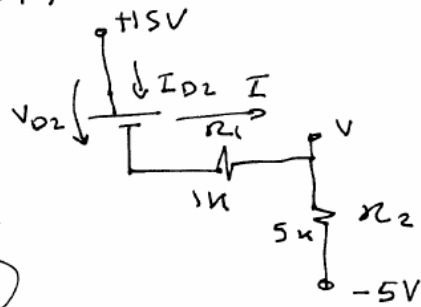


Then D_2 is ON & D_3 is OFF

$$I = \frac{15 - 0.7 - (-5)}{R_1 + R_2}$$

$$= 3.22 \text{ mA}$$

$$V = -5 + IR_2 = 11.1V$$



check:

$$I_{D2} = +3.22 \text{ mA} > 0, V_{D3} = -6.1V < 0, V_{D1} = -4.36V$$

Diode	Status	Q-Point (I_D, V_D)
D_1	OFF	(0, -4.34)
D_2	ON	(3.22 mA, 0.7V)
D_3	OFF	(0, -6.1V)

2-13:

$$V_Z = 3.3V, r_Z = 0, V_{D(on)} = 0.7V$$

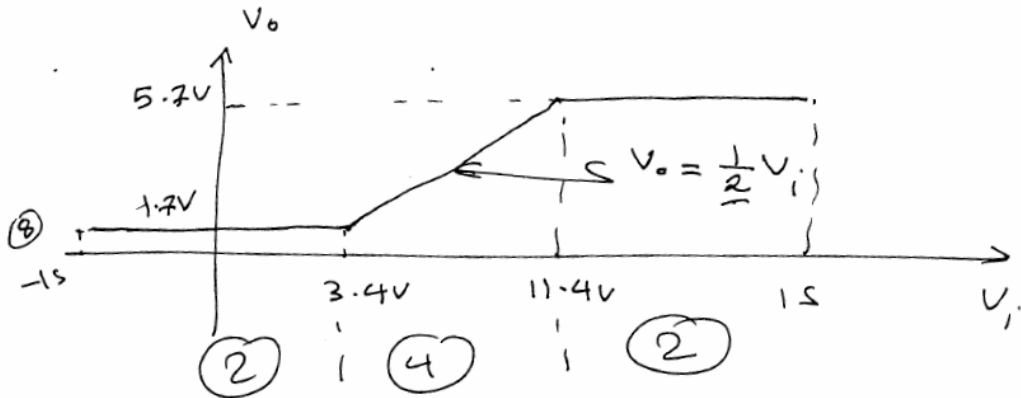
a)

Zener is off if $3.4V < V_i < 11.4V$

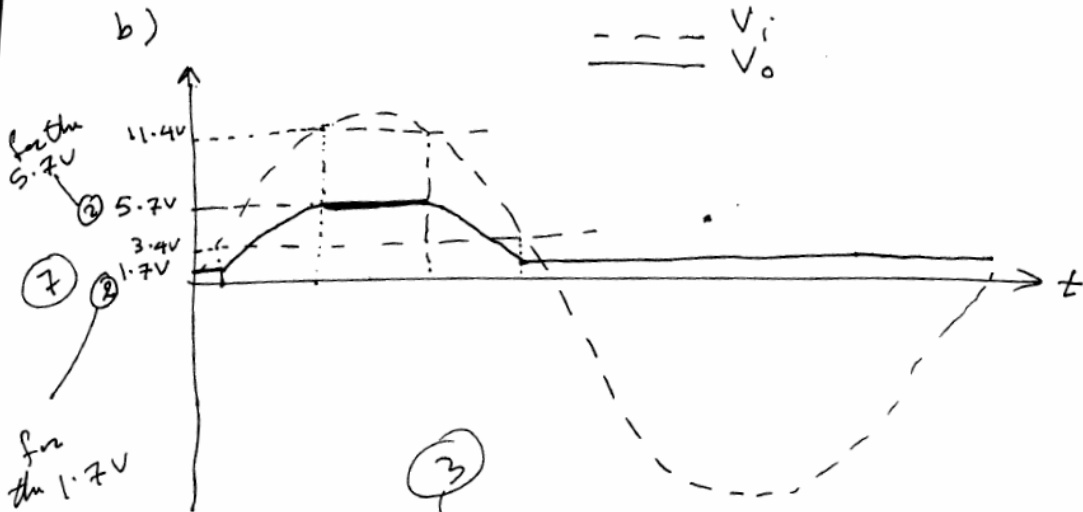
$$\Rightarrow V_o = \frac{1}{2} V_i$$

Zener is forward if $V_i \geq 11.4V \Rightarrow V_o = 5.7V$

" " in Zener region if $V_i \leq 3.4V \Rightarrow V_o = 1.7V$



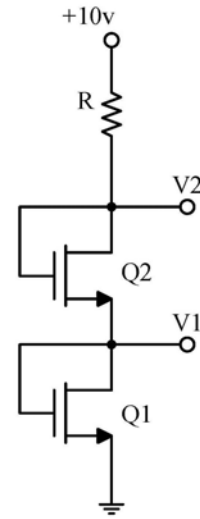
b)



for Draw.

Problem (3)

For the MOS circuit shown in the figure, $\lambda=0$, $|V_t|=1\text{ V}$, and $\mu C_{ox}(W/L) = 1\text{ mA/V}^2$.



- 1) If the voltage at V_1 is measured to be 2 volts, what is the voltage at V_2 ? **(10 points)**
- 2) According to part (1), what is the value of R ? **(10 points)**
- 3) What is the range of R values that will cutoff the transistors? **(5 points)**
- 4) If R was completely removed (short circuit), how much will the current in the circuit increase? Is it safe? **(10 points)**

1) $I_{D1} = I_{D2}$; Both transistors in saturation
because $V_{GS} = V_{DS}$
 $\rightarrow V_{DS} > V_{GS} - V_t$
 $K_1 = K_2$
 $V_{t1} = V_{t2}$
 $(V_{GS1} - V_{t1})^2 = (V_{GS2} - V_{t2})^2$; $V_{S2} = V_{D1} = V_{G1}$
 $\rightarrow V_{G2} = 2V_{G1}$

$$V_2 = V_{G2} = 2V_{G1} = 2V_1 = 4\text{ V}$$

2) $I_{D1} = I_{D2} = 0.5\text{ m} (2-1)^2 = 0.5\text{ mA}$
 $R = (10-4)/0.5\text{ m} = 12\text{ k}\Omega$

3,4) NO values of R can cutoff transistors.

5) with R removed : $V_{G2} = 10\text{ V}$, $V_{G1} = 5\text{ V}$.

$$I_D = 0.5\text{ m} (5-1)^2 = 8\text{ mA}$$

Reasonable current, but on the high side.