

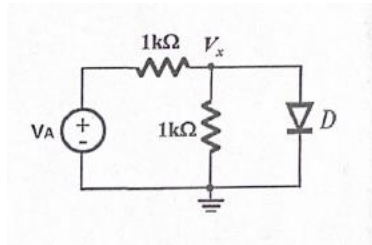
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**PHYS 308 (Term 211)**

**Final Exam (02 hours, 25/25)**  
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**Clearly circle only the correct answer. Unclear or multiple answers will be considered as wrong.**

**Problem 1. (2.5/25)**

For the following circuit, assuming a constant 0.7 V drop model, determine the value of the diode current when  $V_A = 10$  V?

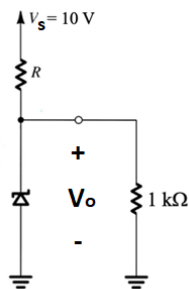


- a) 8.6 mA
- b) 9.3 mA
- c) 0.7 mA
- d) 5 mA
- e) 0 mA

**Problem 2. (2.5/25)**

The following circuit shows a voltage regulator with a zener diode ( $V_{Z0} = 5$  V and  $r_z = 50 \Omega$ ), a resistor  $R$  of  $500 \Omega$ , and a load resistor  $R_L$  of  $1$  k $\Omega$ .

Find the variation in output voltage  $V_O$  if the source voltage  $V_S$  varies by  $\pm 500$  mV.



- a)  $\pm 12.6$  mV
- b)  $\pm 23.4$  mV
- c)  $\pm 43.5$  mV
- d)  $\pm 14.3$  mV
- e)  $\pm 10.7$  mV

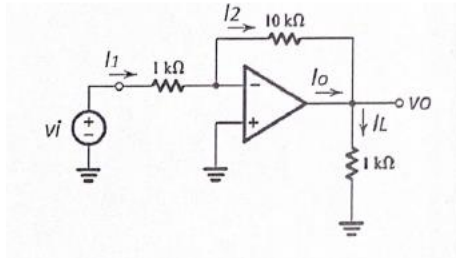
**Problem 3. (2.5/25)**

In a full-wave bridge rectifier circuit with filter, the ripple voltage  $V_r$  is equal to:

- a)  $V_r = (V_S - V_D)/(fRC)$
- b)  $V_r = (V_S - 2V_D)/(2fRC)$
- c)  $V_r = V_S/(fRC)$
- d)  $V_r = (V_S - V_D)/(2fRC)$
- e)  $V_r = (V_S - 2V_D)/(fRC)$

**Problem 4. (2.5/25)**

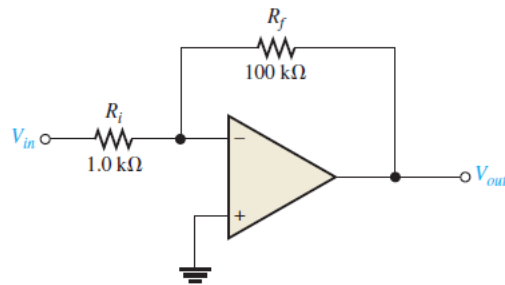
For the following circuit, assuming the op-amp is ideal, determine the current  $I_1$  when  $V_i = 2$  V.



- a) 0.2 mA
- b) 1.0 mA
- c) 2.2 mA
- d) 0 mA
- e) 2.0 mA

**Problem 5. (2.5/25)**

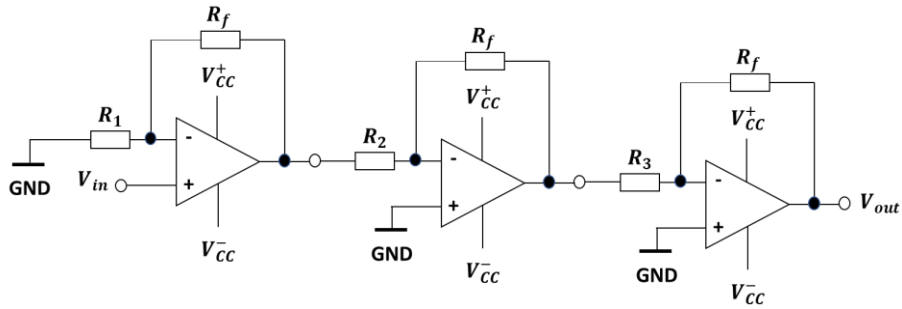
The op-amp has the following parameters:  $A_{OL} = 50,000$ ;  $Z_{in} = 4$  M $\Omega$ ; and  $Z_{out} = 50$   $\Omega$ . Find the value of the output impedance.



- a) 380 m $\Omega$
- b) 620 m $\Omega$
- c) 160 m $\Omega$
- d) 720 m $\Omega$
- e) 980 m $\Omega$

**Problem 6. (2.5/25)**

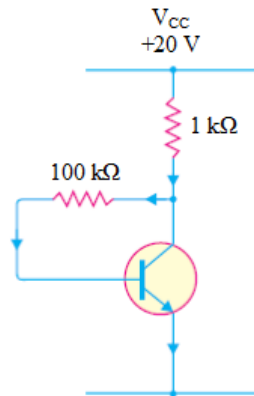
The resistor values are  $R_f = 470 \text{ k}\Omega$ ;  $R_1 = 4.3 \text{ k}\Omega$ ;  $R_2 = 33 \text{ k}\Omega$  and  $R_3 = 33 \text{ k}\Omega$ . Find the output voltage for an input of  $80 \text{ }\mu\text{V}$ .



- a) 2.4 V
- b) 5.6 V
- c) 3.3 V
- d) 1.3 V
- e) 1.8 V

**Problem 7. (2.5/25)**

Determine the voltage  $V_{CE}$  in the circuit below. Take  $\beta = 100$ .



- a) 10.4 V
- b) 12.8 V
- c) 9.50 V
- d) 8.20 V
- e) 11.3 V

**Problem 8. (2.5/25)**

To ensure active mode operation in a NPN BJT transistor, which of the following conditions is true?

- a)  $V_C < V_E$
- b)  $V_B < V_E$
- c)  $V_C > (V_B - 0.4 \text{ V})$
- d)  $V_C < (V_E + 0.3 \text{ V})$
- e)  $V_C > (V_E - 0.7 \text{ V})$

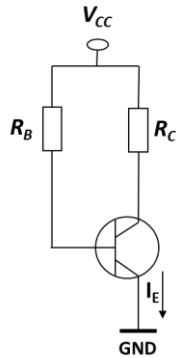
**Problem 9. (2.5/25)**

Which of the following statements is **NOT TRUE**?

- a) Common emitter amplifier can be used as a voltage amplifier
- b) Common collector amplifier has very high output resistance
- c) Adding a resistor in the emitter of common emitter amplifier will reduce the gain
- d) Coupling capacitors are used to keep the DC bias point unchanged when connecting the load and the source

**Problem 10. (2.5/25)**

In the circuit shown below,  $V_{CC} = 5 \text{ V}$ ,  $\beta = 80$ ,  $R_C = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$  and  $I_C = 2.5 \text{ mA}$ , the value of  $R_B$  is



- a)  $137.6 \text{ k}\Omega$
- b)  $160.5 \text{ k}\Omega$
- c)  $100 \text{ k}\Omega$
- d)  $10 \text{ k}\Omega$
- e)  $5 \text{ k}\Omega$