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Unit – 4

ANALOG ELECTRONICS

Diodes: Applications:

(1). Rectifiers:



DC
power
supply

(2). Filter :

(3) Voltage Regulator :

(4)* Clippers

(5)* Clampers

(6)* Peak detector

(7) Voltage Multiplier

(8) Diode as a digital logic gate. (AND gate & OR gate)

(9)* Diode is a analog gate (sampling gate)

(10). Diode as a varactor diode

(11)* Zener diode (Voltage Limiter)

(12). - Diode Resistance

(i) Static Resistance.

* (ii) Dynamic Resistance :- small s/g analysis of a diode.

(13). Diode capacitance

(i) Transition capacitance (C_T)

(ii) Diffusion capacitance (C_D)

BJT

(1). BJT device analysis

(2). BJT Biasing (DC)

(3). Small s/g Amplifiers (voltage amplifiers)

(4). Large s/g Amplifiers (power amplifiers)

(5). Feedback theory

Negative feedback theory (Amplifiers)

Low freq. Analysis

High freq. Analysis

Frequency Response

Positive feedback theory (oscillators)

Integrated theory (op amps):

(1) Multistage Amplifiers

(i) Effect of cascading on Bandwidth

(ii) Important cascading designs

(a). Cascode Amplifier (CE-CB)

(OR)

wide Band amplifier

(b) Darlington pair / high β impedance (CC-CC)

(2). Coupling techniques

(i) RC coupling

(ii) Direct coupling

(3). Differential Amplifiers

(4). Applications of OP-amp

FET / MOSFET

(1) FET device

(2) FET Biasing

(3). FET Amplifiers.

} FET

MOSFET

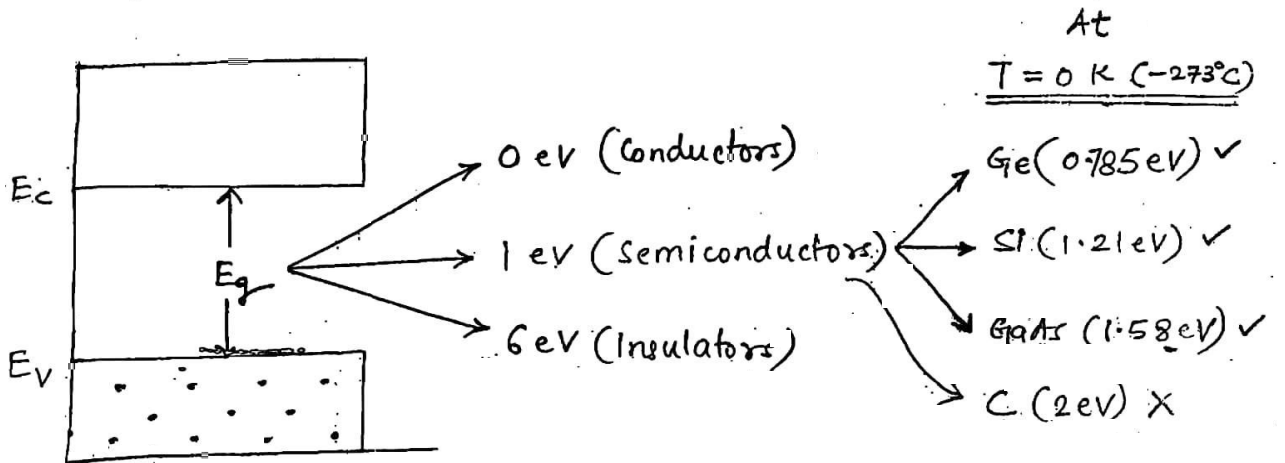
(1). MOSFET device

(2) MOSFET Biasing

(3). MOSFET Amplifiers

Introduction to Electronics:

Q. Why 'Si' and 'Ge' are generally preferred compare to GaAs ?



At room temperature, $27^\circ\text{C } (300\text{K})$:

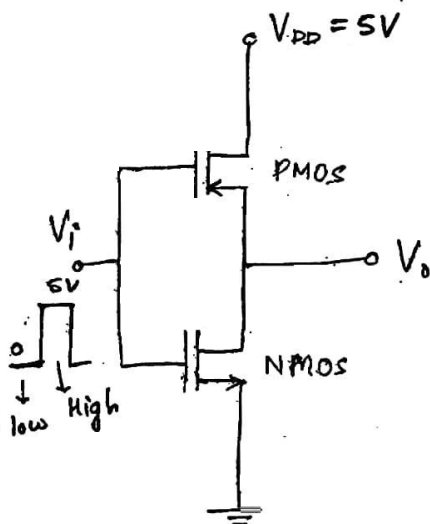
C is a bad semi-conductor.

A good semi-conductor must conduct at room temp.

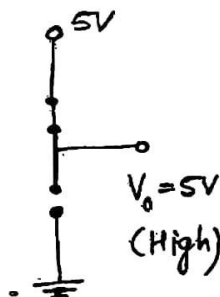
A. The energy gap value of Si and Ge are less compared to GaAs, we expect more conduction in case of Si & Ge

Q. Why GaAs is used in present CMOS Technology ?

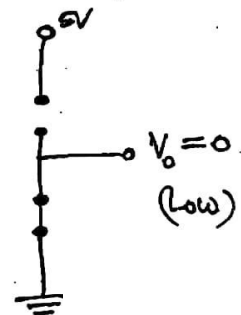
CMOS

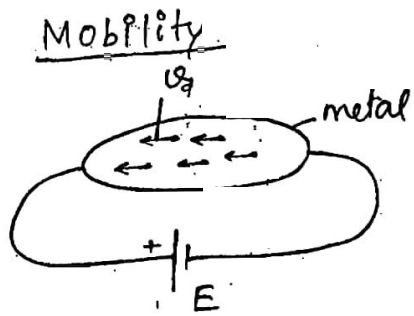


$V_i = 0$ (Low)
 PMOS \rightarrow ON
 NMOS \rightarrow OFF



$V_i = 5\text{V}$ (High)
 PMOS \rightarrow OFF
 NMOS \rightarrow ON





$$v_d \propto E$$

$$v_d = \mu E$$

$$\text{Mobility, } \mu = \frac{\text{Drift velocity}}{\text{electric field}} \quad (\text{m}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{sec})$$

Mobility of electron (μ_e): (Room temp = 27°C)

$$\mu_e (\text{Si}) = 1300 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{sec}$$

$$\mu_e (\text{Ge}) = 3800 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{sec}$$

$$\mu_e (\text{GaAs}) = 8500 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{sec} \quad \checkmark \quad (\text{High switching speed})$$

Temperature with standing capability

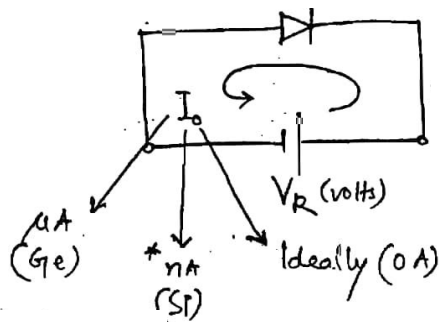
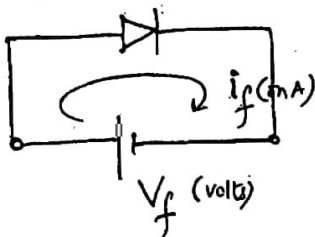
$$T (\text{Ge}) \approx 100^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T (\text{Si}) \approx 200^\circ\text{C}$$

$$* T (\text{GaAs}) \approx 200^\circ\text{C}$$

Q Why 'Si' is more important than Ge ?

(1). $I_0 \rightarrow$ Reverse Saturation (or) Leakage current :



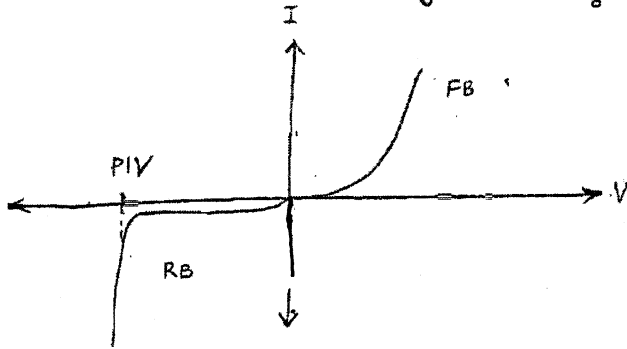
(2). Temperature with standing capability

power dissipation (Heating effect)

$$T_{\text{Ge}} \approx 100^\circ\text{C}$$

$$* T_{\text{Si}} \approx 200^\circ\text{C}$$

(3). Peak Inverse Voltage (PIV):



* $PIV (Si) \approx 1000 V$

$PIV (Ge) \approx 400 V$

Q. Give the important properties of GaAs?

(1) At high frequency applications GaAs is used (mobility of GaAs is more)

(2) $\mu_e (GaAs) \rightarrow 8,500 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$

$\mu_h (GaAs) \rightarrow 400 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$

for Si

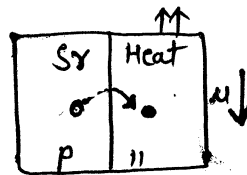
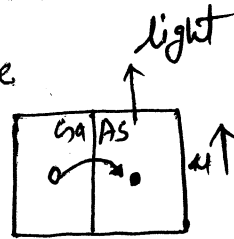
$\mu_e (Si) \rightarrow 1300 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$

$\mu_h (Si) \rightarrow 500 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$

for Ge

$\mu_e (Ge) \rightarrow 3,800 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$

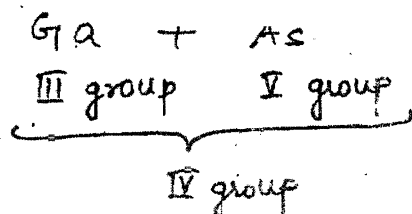
$\mu_h (Ge) \rightarrow 1,800 \text{ cm}^2/V\text{-sec}$



(3). GaAs is a best example for direct band gap.

Si & Ge are best examples for indirect band gap.

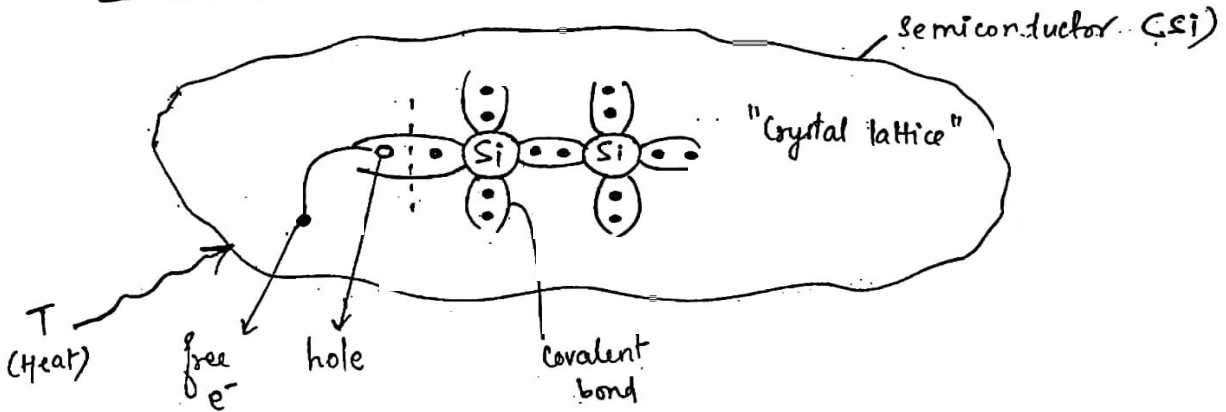
(4). GaAs is a compound semiconductor



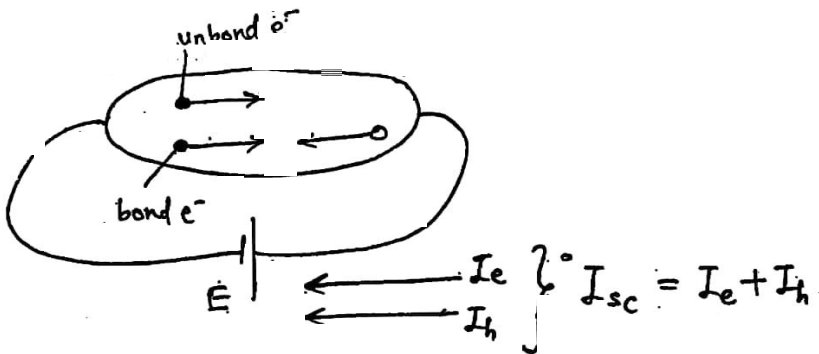
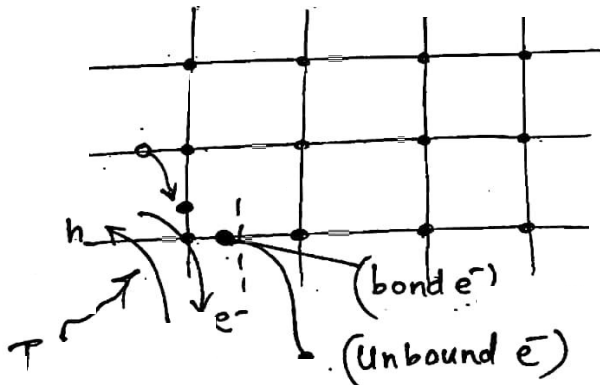
(5). GaAs is used in optoelectronics.

Q. Why mobility of $e^- >$ mobility of holes . ?

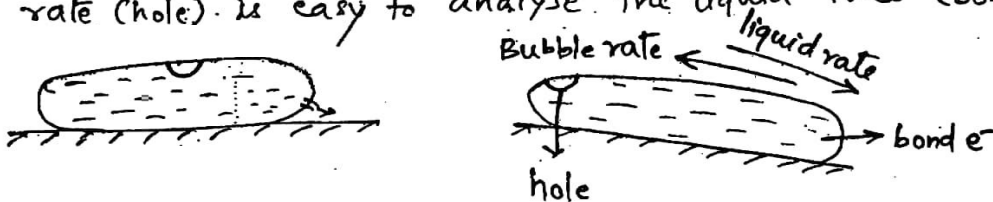
Hole concept :



Crystal Lattice

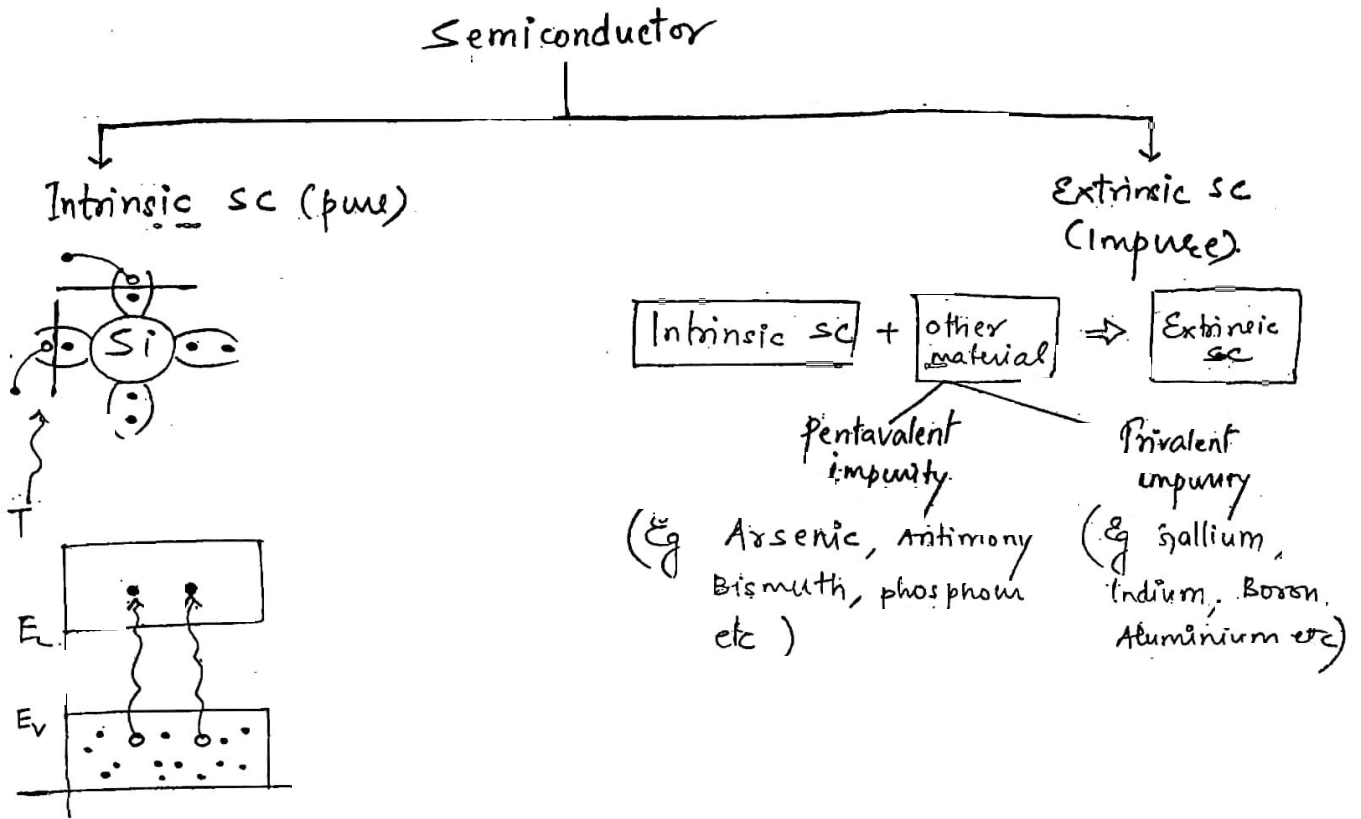


Eg: Glass-Bubble \rightarrow Liquid rate is not easy to analyse, so bubble rate (hole) is easy to analyse the liquid rate (bond e^-)



The mobility of an unbound e^- (free e^-) is always greater than ~~bond~~ e^- (valence electrons)

Q. Give the classification of semiconductor:

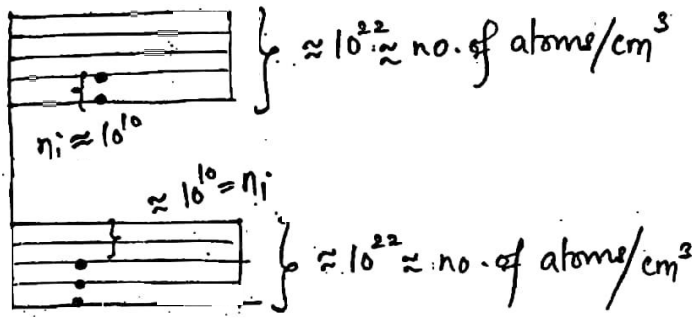


$n \rightarrow$ concentration of e^- / cm^3
 $p \rightarrow$ conc. of holes $/ \text{cm}^3$
 $n_i \rightarrow$ Intrinsic conc. (e-h) $/ \text{cm}^3$.

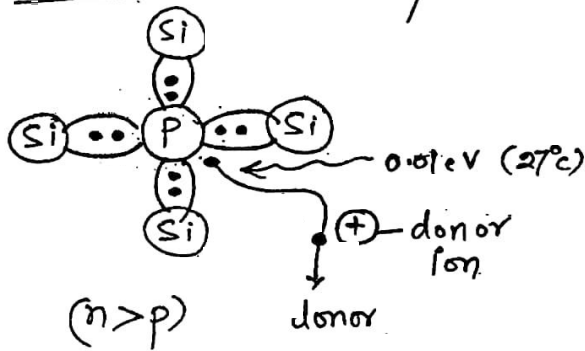
$n_i = p = n$
 $n_i \propto \text{temp}$

Si :-
 $n_i (300 \text{ K}) \rightarrow 1.5 \times 10^{10} / \text{cm}^3$
 No. of atoms $/ \text{cm}^3 \rightarrow 5.0 \times 10^{22} / \text{cm}^3$

Ge :-
 $n_i (300 \text{ K}) \rightarrow 2.5 \times 10^{13} / \text{cm}^3$ (Eg \downarrow)
 No. of atoms $/ \text{cm}^3 \rightarrow 4.4 \times 10^{22} / \text{cm}^3$ (size of Ge \uparrow)

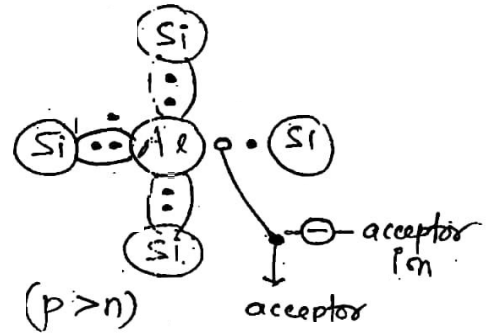


Pentavalent Impurity:



Majority carriers \rightarrow Electrons
 Minority carriers \rightarrow holes
 N-type semi-conductor

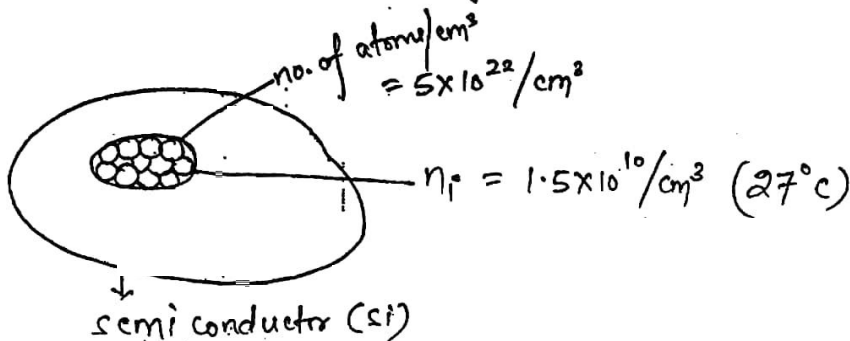
Trivalent Impurity:



Majority carriers \rightarrow Holes
 Minority carriers \rightarrow Electrons
 P-type semi-conductor

* That's why N-type device is always preferred to P-type because electron mobility is higher than hole mobility

Q. Explain about doping concept in semi conductors?



Doping : $N_D \rightarrow$ Donor atoms/cm³

(1) Ordinary p-n diodes:

10^8 s.c atoms \rightarrow 1 impurity [1 'p' pentavalent]

5×10^{22} s.c atoms $\rightarrow N_D$

$$N_D = \frac{5 \times 10^{22}}{10^8} = 5 \times 10^{14} / \text{cm}^3$$

$$N_D > N_i$$

(2) Zener Diode:

10^6 s.c atoms \rightarrow 1 impurity {1 'P'}

5×10^{22} s.c atoms $\rightarrow N_D$

$$N_D = \frac{5 \times 10^{22}}{10^6} = 5 \times 10^{16} / \text{cm}^3$$

$$N_D \gg N_i$$

(3) Tunnel diode:

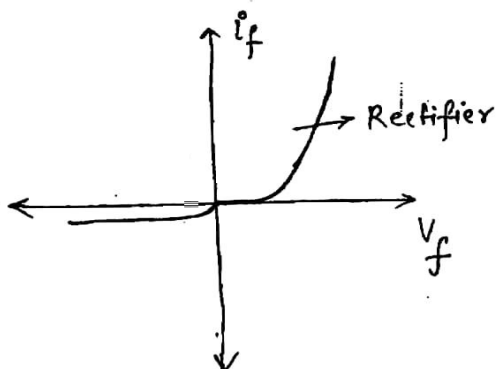
10^3 s.c atoms \rightarrow 1 impurity

5×10^{22} s.c atoms $\rightarrow N_D$

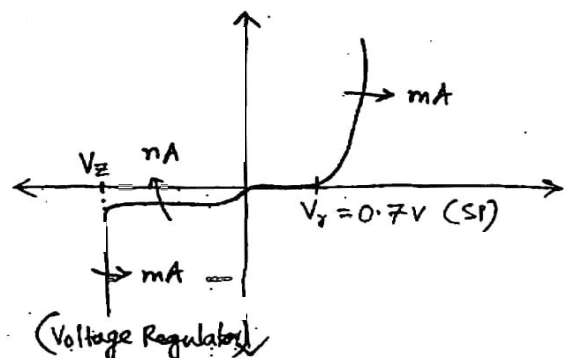
$$N_D = \frac{5 \times 10^{22}}{10^3} = 5 \times 10^{19} / \text{cm}^3$$

$$N_D \gg \gg N_i$$

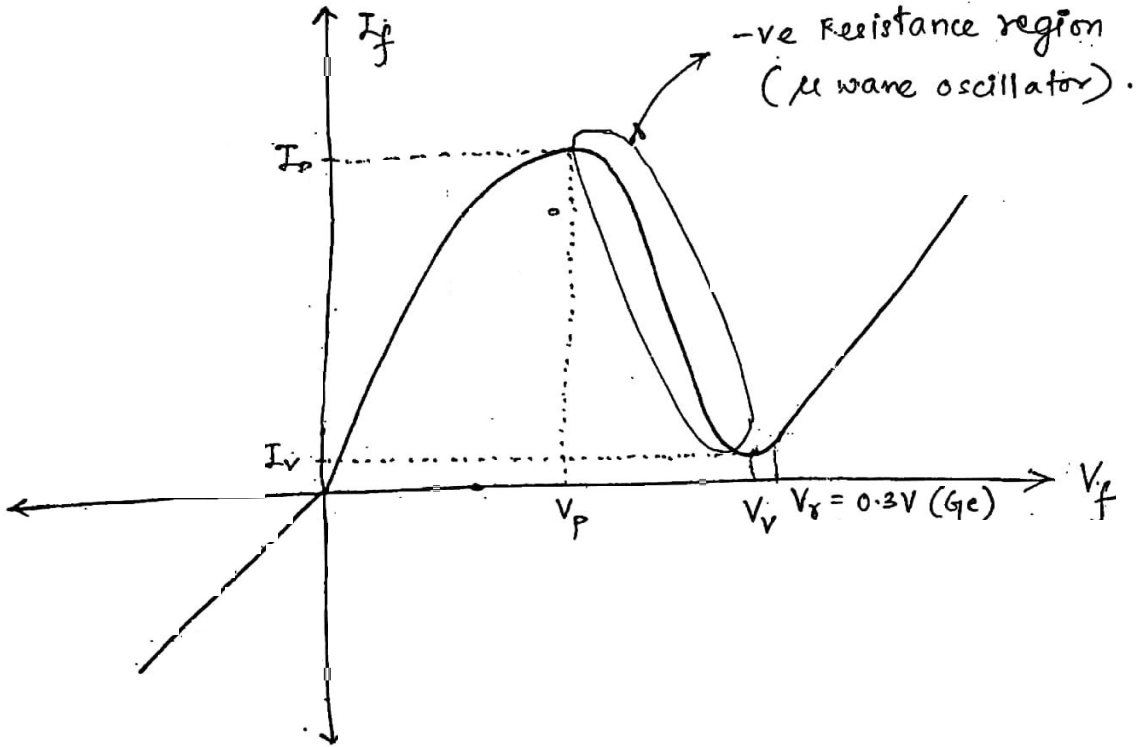
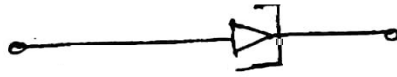
Ordinary p-n diode:



Zener diode:



Tunnel diode:

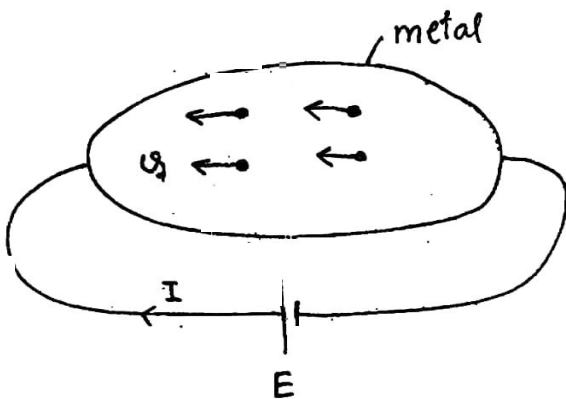


$$R = \frac{dV}{dI} = \frac{V_v - V_p}{I_v - I_p} = \dots = -ve.$$

Q Explain about drift current in Semiconductors?

Drift current

Drift → movement
(greek word)



$$U_d \propto E$$

$$U_d = \mu E$$

$$\mu = \frac{U_d}{E} \text{ m}^2/\text{V-sec}$$

Q. "The current is produced due to the drifting of free electrons is called as Drift current".

(2). The current can occur in metals & semi-conductors.

(3). Drift current mechanism can also be called as "potential gradient"

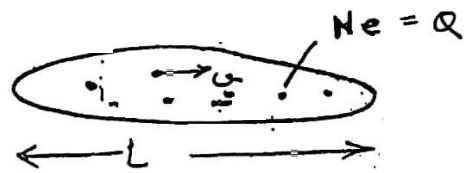
Current Density: (J)

$$J = \frac{I}{A} \quad \text{A/m}^2$$

$$I = \frac{Ne}{t}$$

$$I = \frac{Ne u_d}{L}$$

$$J = \frac{Ne u_d}{AL}$$



$$(\because n = N/AL)$$

$$(\because j \rightarrow \text{charge density})$$

$$j = ne$$

$$\boxed{J = ne u_d}$$

$$J = j u$$

Metals:

$$J = ne \mu E$$

$$(\because u_d = \mu E)$$

$$J = \sigma E$$

$$(\because \sigma = ne \mu)$$

Semi-conductors:

$$J_{sc} = J_n + J_p$$

$$J_n = nq \mu_n E$$

$$J_p = pq \mu_p E$$

$$J_{sc} = \underbrace{(n \mu_n + p \mu_p)}_{\sigma_{s.c.}} \cdot q E$$

$$\therefore \sigma_{s.c} = (n \mu_n + p \mu_p) q$$

(a) Intrinsic s.c - ($n = p = n_i$)

$$\sigma_{\text{intrinsic}} = n_i (\mu_n + \mu_p) q$$

(a) Extrinsic s.c - ($n \neq p$)

(i) N-type: ($n > p$)

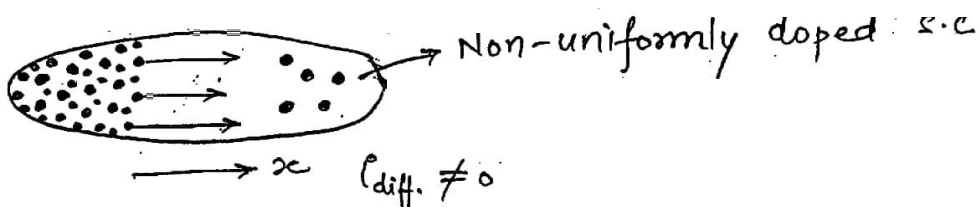
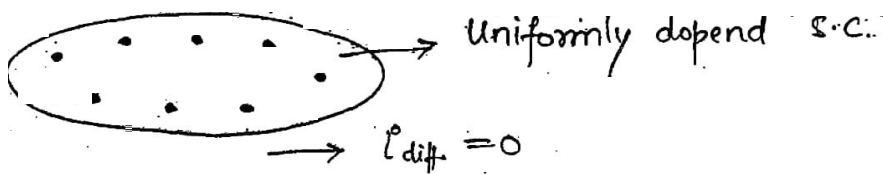
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{\text{N-type}} &= n q \mu_n \\ &\approx N_D q \mu_n \end{aligned}$$

(ii) P-type: ($p > n$)

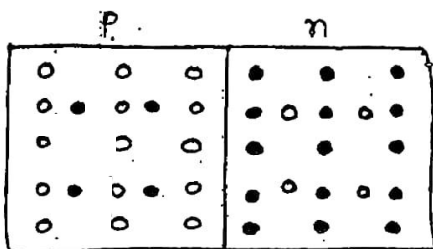
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{\text{P-type}} &= p q \mu_p \\ &\approx N_A q \mu_p \end{aligned}$$

Q. Explain about Diffusion current in semi-conductors?

Diffusion current:



eg



p-n jxn is a best example for non-uniformly doped s.c.

$$J_n \propto q \frac{dn}{dx}$$

$$J_n = D_n q \frac{dn}{dx}$$

($D_n \rightarrow$ Diffusion constant for e^-)

$$I_n = A q D_n \frac{dn}{dx}$$

$$J_p \propto q \frac{dp}{dx}$$

$$J_p = -D_p q \frac{dp}{dx}$$

($D_p \rightarrow$ Diffusion constant for holes)

$$I_p = -A q D_p \frac{dp}{dx}$$

Diffusion current - The rate of change of concentration w.r to distance x is called as diffusion current.

Diffusion current mechanism can also be called as "concentration gradient"

Analysis:

According to kinetic gas theory -

$$D \propto \mu \Rightarrow \frac{D}{\mu} = V_T = \text{constant}$$

$$D = \mu V_T$$

$V_T \Rightarrow$ Volt equivalent temp. (or) thermal voltage

$$V_T = \frac{kT}{q} \quad \text{where} \quad \begin{array}{l} k \rightarrow \text{Boltzman constant} \\ T \rightarrow \text{Temperature} \end{array}$$

In semi-conductors:

$$\frac{D_n}{\mu_n} = \frac{D_p}{\mu_p} = V_T \quad \rightarrow \text{Einstein Relation}$$

$$V_T = \frac{KT}{q}$$

$$= \frac{I}{q/k}$$

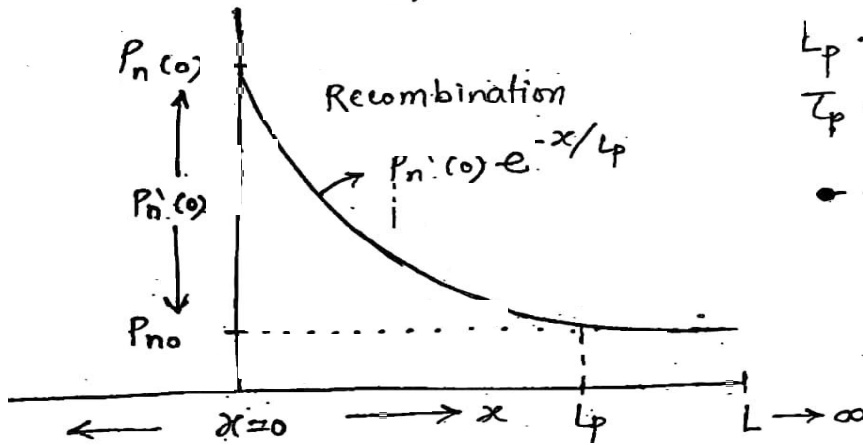
As $q = e^- = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
 $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$

$$V_T = \frac{T(K)}{11,600} \text{ volts}$$

d. -- Calculate volt equivalent temp. at room temp. ?

A. $V_T = \frac{300}{11600} = 25.86 \text{ mV} \approx 26 \text{ mV} / (25 \text{ mV})$

Graphical Analysis:



$L_p \rightarrow$ Diffusion length
 $\tau_p \rightarrow$ Carrier life time

$$L_p = \sqrt{D_p \tau_p}$$

$$L_p^2 = D_p \tau_p$$

Diffusion rate $\propto \frac{1}{\text{Recombination rate}}$

Case - (1)

$$x = 0$$

$$P = P_n(0) \cdot e^{-0/L_p}$$

$$= P_n'(0) \cdot (1)$$

$$= P_n'(0)$$

Case - (2)

$$x = L_p$$

$$P = P_n'(0) \cdot e^{-L_p/L_p}$$

$$= P_n'(0) \cdot \frac{1}{e}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e} \cdot P_n'(0)$$

Case - (3)

$$x = \infty$$

$$\therefore P = P_n'(0) \cdot e^{-\infty/L_p}$$

$$= P_n'(0) \cdot \frac{1}{e^\infty}$$

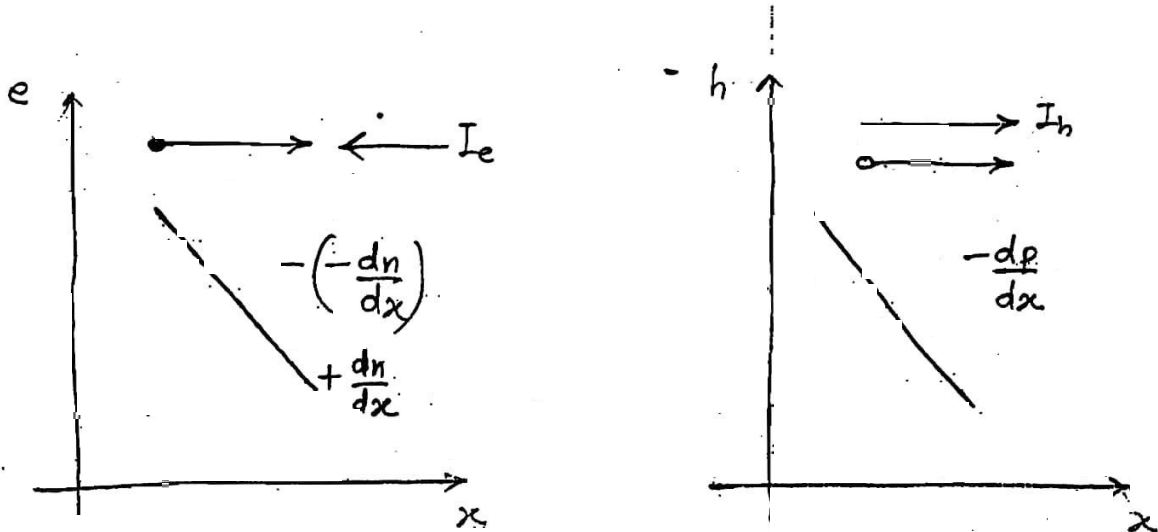
$$= 0$$

(1). When the thickness of material is more, recombination rate will be more, diffusion rate will be less

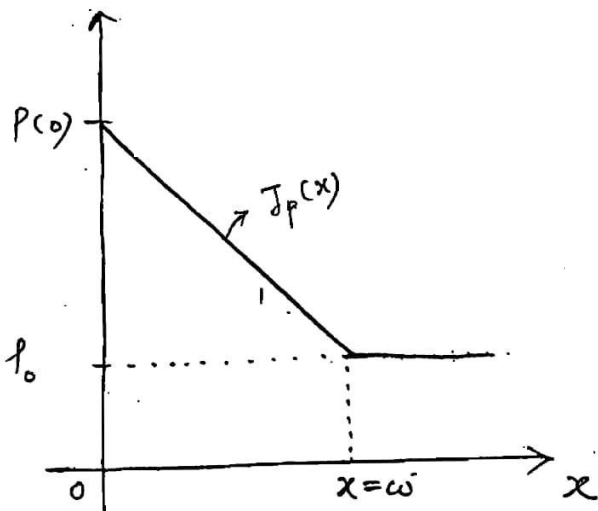
(Non-linear graph)

(2). When the thickness of material is very less, diffusion rate will increase but recombination rate will decrease

(Graph is linear)



Problems in diffusion current:



$$\begin{aligned}
 J_p(x) &= -q D_p \frac{dp(x)}{dx} \\
 &= -q D_p \frac{P_0 - P_0}{0 - w} \\
 &= \frac{q D_p [P_0 - P_0]}{w}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\left. \begin{array}{l} \longrightarrow \\ \longrightarrow \end{array} \right\} +ve \\
 &\longrightarrow I_h
 \end{aligned}$$