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ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

Time Allowed : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 190

Each question carries four options namely A, B, C and D.
Choose one correct option and mark in appropriate
place in the OMR answer sheet.

SECTION - A

(1 mark each)

1. The increase in signal-to-quantization noise ratio for a uniform PCM by an extra bit is
A) 3 dB
B) 6 dB
C) 8 dB
D) 12 dB.
2. In DPCM, the input to the quantizer is quantized by a
A) uniform scalar quantizer
B) non-uniform scalar quantizer
C) uniform or non-uniform scalar quantizer
D) none of these.
3. In delta modulation, the quantizer is a
A) 2-bit quantizer
B) 4-bit quantizer
C) 1-bit quantizer
D) none of these.

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15. If the gain of the open-loop system is doubled, the gain margin
- A) is not affected
 - B) gets doubled
 - C) becomes half
 - D) becomes one fourth.
16. None of the poles of a linear control system lie in the right half of S -plane. For bounded input, the output of this system
- A) is always bounded
 - B) could be unbounded
 - C) always tends to zero
 - D) none of these.
17. For a gain constant K , the phase-lead compensator
- A) reduces the slope of the magnitude curve in the entire range of frequency domain
 - B) decreases the gain cross-over frequency
 - C) reduces the phase margin
 - D) reduces the resonance peak M_p .
18. Which of the following is an example of an open loop system ?
- A) Household refrigerator
 - B) Respiratory system of an animal
 - C) Stabilization of air pressure entering into a mask
 - D) execution of a program by a computer.
19. The phase lead compensation is used to
- A) increase the rise time and decrease the overshoot
 - B) decrease both rise time and overshoot
 - C) increase both rise time and overshoot
 - D) decrease rise time and increase overshoot.

33. The diffusion potential across a $p-n$ junction
- A) decreases with increasing doping concentration
 - B) increases with decreasing band gap
 - C) does not depend on doping concentrations
 - D) increases with increasing doping concentrations.
34. A Zener diode works on the principle of
- A) tunnelling of charge carriers across the junction
 - B) thermionic emission
 - C) diffusion of charge carriers across the junction
 - D) hopping of charge carriers across the junction.
35. In a differential amplifier, CMRR can be improved by using an increased
- A) emitter resistance
 - B) collector resistance
 - C) power supply voltages
 - D) source resistance.
36. A switched mode power supply operating at 20 kHz to 100 kHz range used as the main switching element is
- A) Thyristor
 - B) MOSFET
 - C) Triac
 - D) UJT.
37. In a pnp transistor operating in the active region, the main stream of current in the base region is
- A) drift of holes
 - B) diffusion of holes
 - C) drift of electrons
 - D) diffusion of electrons.
38. Tunnel diode is a pn diode with
- A) very high doping in p region
 - B) very high doping in n region
 - C) very high doping in both p and n regions
 - D) low doping in both p and n regions.

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39. Avalanche breakdown results basically due to
- A) impact ionization
 - B) strong electric field across the junction
 - C) emission of electrons
 - D) rise in temperature.
40. Which one of the following is not LED material ?
- A) GaAs
 - B) GaP
 - C) SiC
 - D) SiO₂.
41. The eigenvectors of a real symmetric matrix corresponding to different eigenvalues are
- A) orthogonal
 - B) singular
 - C) non-singular
 - D) none of these.
42. The matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ is
- A) orthogonal matrix
 - B) reciprocal matrix
 - C) transposed matrix
 - D) none of these.
43. A matrix is singular if and only if it has
- A) one eigenvalue
 - B) two eigenvalues
 - C) zero eigenvalue
 - D) none of these.
44. If $y = \log \sin x$, then $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is
- A) $\frac{1}{\sin x} \cos x$
 - B) $\tan x$
 - C) $\frac{1}{\sin x}$
 - D) $\log \cos x$.
45. A system of equations is said to be inconsistent if
- A) they have one solution
 - B) they have no solution
 - C) they have one or more solution
 - D) none of these.

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58. The degenerate modes in a waveguide are characterized by
- A) same cut-off frequency but different field distributions
 - B) same cut-off frequency and same field distribution
 - C) different cut-off frequencies but same field distribution
 - D) different cut-off frequencies and different field distributions.
59. A vertical wire of 1 m length carries a current of 1 A at 10 MHz. The total radiated power is nearly
- A) 0.43 W
 - B) 0.88 W
 - C) 7.3 W
 - D) 73 W.
60. Radiation resistance of a Hertzian dipole of length dl is
- A) $80 \pi \left(\frac{dl}{\lambda} \right)^2$ ohms
 - B) $80 \pi \left(\frac{dl}{\lambda} \right)$ ohms
 - C) $80 \left(\frac{dl}{\pi} \right)$ ohms
 - D) $80 \pi \left(\frac{\pi dl}{\lambda} \right)^2$ ohms.
61. The threshold effect in demodulators is
- A) exhibited by all demodulators when the input signal to noise ratio is low
 - B) rapid fall on output signal to noise ratio when the input signal to noise ratio falls below a particular value
 - C) properly exhibited by correlation receivers
 - D) properly exhibited by all AM suppressed carrier coherent demodulators.
62. In a DSB-SC system with 100 % modulation, the power swing is
- A) 50 %
 - B) 66 %
 - C) 75 %
 - D) 100 %.
63. In the generation of modulated signal, a varactor diode can be used for
- A) FM generation only
 - B) AM generation only
 - C) PM generation only
 - D) both (B) and (C).

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64. If modulation index of an AM wave is changed from 0 to 1, the transmitted
- A) increases by 50 %
 - B) increases by 75 %
 - C) increases by 100 %
 - D) remains unaffected.
65. The envelope detector is
- A) synchronous detector
 - B) asynchronous detector
 - C) product demodulator
 - D) coherent detector.
66. Quadrature multiplexing is
- A) same as FDM
 - B) same as TDM
 - C) combination of FDM and TDM
 - D) scheme where same carrier frequency is used for two different signals.
67. If transmitter bandwidth is doubled in FM, then SNR is
- A) also doubled
 - B) improved four fold
 - C) decreased by one fourth
 - D) unaffected.
68. The function of an amplitude limiter in an FM receiver is to
- A) eliminate any change in amplitude of receiver FM signal
 - B) reduce the amplitude of the signal to suit IF amplifier.
 - C) amplify low frequency signals
 - D) none of these.
69. Which of the following statements is *not* true of FM ?
- A) Carrier never becomes zero
 - B) J -coefficient occasionally are negative
 - C) Total power remains constant with respect to modulation index
 - D) None of these.

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70. In the phase shift SSB method to get upper side band
- A) make two L SBs 180° out of phase
 - B) make two L SBs in phase
 - C) reduce the effect of noise pulses
 - D) limit the noise bandwidth.
71. The instruction DAA in 8085
- A) converts binary to BCD
 - B) converts BCD to binary
 - C) adds contents of accumulator to accumulator
 - D) decrements accumulator.
72. Double integration of a unit step function would lead to
- A) an impulse
 - B) a parabola
 - C) a ramp
 - D) a doublet.
73. Laplace transform of $\sin h(at)$ is
- A) $\frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}$
 - B) $\frac{s}{s^2 - a^2}$
 - C) $\frac{s}{s^2 + a^2}$
 - D) $\frac{a}{s^2 + a^2}$
74. Fourier series of an odd periodic function contains only
- A) odd harmonics
 - B) even harmonics
 - C) cosine terms
 - D) sine terms.
75. A system has 3-stage cascaded amplifier, each stage having a power gain of 10 dB and noise figure of 6 dB. The overall noise figure is
- A) 1.38
 - B) 6.8
 - C) 4.33
 - D) 10.43.

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76. Fourier transform of a function $f(at)$ is given by
- A) $f(at) = a F(\omega)$ B) $f(at) = \frac{2}{a} F(\omega)$
C) $f(at) = \frac{1}{a} F\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right)$ D) None of these.
77. The region of convergence of the Z-transform of a unit step function is
- A) $|Z| > 1$ B) $|Z| < 1$
C) $|\text{Real part of } Z| > 0$ D) $|\text{Real part of } Z| < 0$.
78. The transfer function of a system is given by $H(z) = \frac{z(3z-2)}{z^2-z-\frac{1}{4}}$. The system is
- A) causal and stable
B) causal, stable and minimum phase
C) minimum phase
D) none of these.
79. A low-pass filter circuit is basically
- A) differentiating circuit with low time constant
B) differentiating circuit with larger time constant
C) an integrating circuit with low time constant
D) an integrating circuit with larger time constant.
80. The discrete time system described by $y(n) = x(n^2)$ is
- A) causal, linear and time varying
B) causal, non-linear and time varying
C) non-causal, linear and time-invariant
D) non-causal, non-linear and time-variant.

D

81. A junction FET can be used as a voltage variable resistor
- A) at pinch-off condition B) beyond pinch-off voltage
C) well below pinch-off condition D) for any value of V_{DS} .
82. The MOSFET switch in its ON-state may be considered equivalent to
- A) resistor B) inductor
C) capacitor D) battery.
83. Thermal runaway is not possible in FET because as the temperature increases
- A) mobility decreases B) transconductance increases
C) drain current increases D) none of these.
84. The RMS value of a half-way rectified symmetrical square wave current of 2A is
- A) $\sqrt{2}$ A B) 1 A
C) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ A D) $\sqrt{3}$ A.
85. Class AB operation is often used in power amplifiers in order to
- A) get maximum efficiency B) remove even harmonics
C) overcome a cross-over distortion D) reduce collector dissipation.
86. A differential amplifier is invariably used in the input stage of all OP-AMPS. This is done basically to provide OP-AMPS with a very high
- A) CMRR B) bandwidth
C) slew rate D) open-loop gain.
87. Neutralizing capacitors are normally used in
- A) Audio amplifiers B) Video amplifiers
C) RF and IF amplifiers D) Operational amplifiers.

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88. Consider the following :

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| I. Oscillator | II. Emitter follower |
| III. Cascaded amplifier | IV. Power amplifier |

Which of the following use feedback amplifiers ?

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| A) I and II | B) I and III |
| C) II and IV | D) III and IV. |

89. Which one of the following circuits is used for converting a sine wave into a square wave ?

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| A) Astable multivibrator | B) Monostable multivibrator |
| C) Bistable multivibrator | D) Schmitt trigger. |

90. Which one of the following oscillators is well suited for the generation of wide range audio frequency sine waves ?

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| A) RC phase shift oscillator | B) Wien-bridge oscillator |
| C) Colpitts oscillator | D) Hartley oscillator. |

91. The charge when $C = 0.001 \mu\text{F}$ and $V = 1 \text{ kV}$ is

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| A) 0.001 C | B) $1 \mu\text{C}$ |
| C) 1 C | D) None of these. |

92. A 330Ω resistor is in series with the parallel combination of four $1 \text{ k}\Omega$ resistors. A 100 V source is connected to the circuit. Which resistor has the most current through it ?

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| A) 330Ω resistor |
| B) Parallel combination of three $1 \text{ k}\Omega$ resistors |
| C) Parallel combination of two $1 \text{ k}\Omega$ resistors |
| D) $1 \text{ k}\Omega$ resistor. |

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93. A network has 10 nodes and 17 branches. The number of different node pair voltages would be
- A) 7
B) 9
C) 45
D) 10.
94. The cut-set schedule gives the relation between
- A) branch currents and link currents
B) branch voltages and tree branch voltages
C) branch voltages and link voltages
D) branch current and tree currents.
95. A network has seven nodes and five independent loops. The number of branches in the network is
- A) 13
B) 12
C) 11
D) 10.
96. Three equal resistances of 5Ω are connected in delta. What is the resistance in one of the arms of the equivalent star circuit ?
- A) 5Ω
B) 1.33Ω
C) 15Ω
D) 10Ω .
97. Superposition theorem is not valid for
- A) voltage responses
B) current responses
C) power responses
D) all of these.
98. Maximum power is transferred when the load impedance is
- A) equal to source resistance
B) equal to half of the source resistance
C) equal to zero
D) none of these.

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106. Green India Programme is the National Action plan on
- A) Pollution
 - B) Climate change
 - C) Rainfall
 - D) Environment.
107. What is zero hour ?
- A) When matters of utmost importance are raised
 - B) When money bill is introduced in the Lok Sabha
 - C) When proposals of opposition are considered
 - D) Interval between morning and evening sessions.
108. Which of the following is a direct tax ?
- A) Excise duty
 - B) Sales tax
 - C) Income tax
 - D) Both (B) & (C).
109. Which work is known as an encyclopaedia of social life in the Eleventh Century ?
- A) Dasakumaracharita by Dandin
 - B) Kathasaritsagara by Somadeva
 - C) Karpuramanjari by Rajasekhara
 - D) Rajatarangini by Kalhana.
110. Who led the French forces during the battle of Waterloo ?
- A) Duke of Wellington
 - B) Duke of Cornwall
 - C) Napoleon Bonaparte
 - D) Duke of Scotland.

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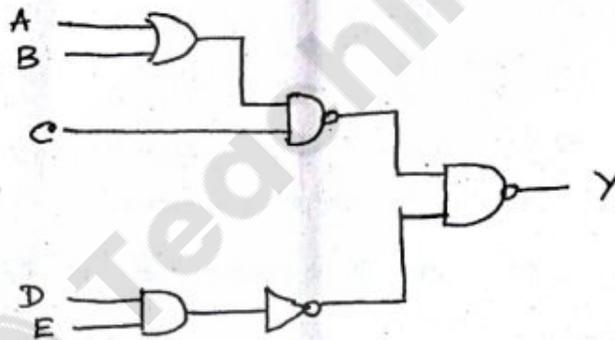
115. An n -channel JFET has $I_{DSS} = 1 \text{ mA}$ and $V_p = -5\text{V}$. Its maximum transconductance is

- A) 0.1 millimho
 B) 0.4 millimho
 C) 1.0 millimho
 D) 4.0 millimho.

116. An op-amp having a slew rate of 62.8 V/m sec is connected in a voltage follower configuration. If the maximum amplitude of the input sinusoidal is 10V , then the minimum frequency at which the slew rate limited distortion would set in at the output is

- A) 1.0 MHz
 B) 6.28 MHz
 C) 10.0 MHz
 D) 62.8 MHz.

117. For the logic circuit shown in the figure, the output Y is given by



- A) $(A \cdot B + C) DE$
 B) $(A + B) C + DE$
 C) $AB + C(D + E)$
 D) $(A + B) C + D + E$

118. The number of comparators in a parallel conversion type 8-bit A/D converter is

- A) 8
 B) 16
 C) 255
 D) 256.

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136. The value of the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} 9 & 25 & 6 \\ 7 & 13 & 5 \\ 9 & 23 & 6 \end{vmatrix} \text{ is}$$

- A) 6
B) 16
C) 19
D) 25.

137. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ then $(A - 2I)(A - 3I)$ is

- A) A
B) I
C) 0
D) $5I$

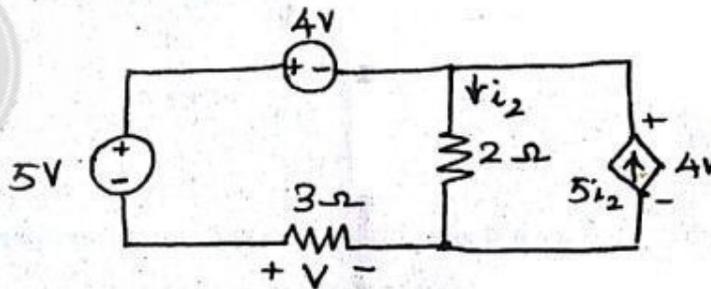
138. If $y = \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x}$ then

- A) $y'(0) = 1$
B) $y'(0) = \frac{1}{2}$
C) $y'(0) = 0$
D) $y'(0)$ does not exist.

139. If the probability of a defective bolt is 0.1, then the mean and standard deviation for the distribution of bolts in a total of 400 are

- A) 30, 3
B) 40, 5
C) 30, 4
D) 40.6.

140. The voltage V in the figure shown below is equal to



- A) 3 V
B) -3 V
C) 5 V
D) none of these.

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141. The output of a linear system to unit step input $u(t)$ is $t^2 e^{2t}$. The system function $H(s)$ is

A) $\frac{2}{s^2(s+2)}$

B) $\frac{2}{(s+2)^2}$

C) $\frac{2}{(s+2)^3}$

D) $\frac{2s}{(s+2)^3}$

142. The period of the function $\cos \frac{\pi}{4}(t-1)$ is

A) $\frac{1}{8}$ s

B) 8 s

C) 4 s

D) $\frac{1}{4}$ s

143. Given $f(t) = 3e^{-4t}u(t)$, Its Fourier transform $F(\omega)$ at $\omega = 4$ is

A) $\frac{1}{1+j}$

B) $\frac{3}{1+j}$

C) $\frac{1}{1+\frac{4}{3}j}$

D) $\frac{4}{1+\frac{4}{3}j}$

144. The transfer function of a system is given by $H(s) = \frac{1}{s^2(s-2)}$. The impulse

response of the system is

A) $(t^2 * e^{-2t})u(t)$

B) $(t * e^{2t})u(t)$

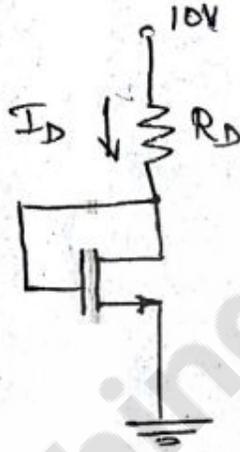
C) $(t^2 e^{-2t})u(t)$

D) $(t e^{2t})u(t)$

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149. For the n-channel enhancement MOSFET shown in the given figure, the threshold voltage $V_{TH} = 2V$. The drain current I_D of the MOSFET is 4 mA when the drain resistance R_D is 1 k Ω . If the value of R_D is increased to 4 k Ω , drain current I_D will become



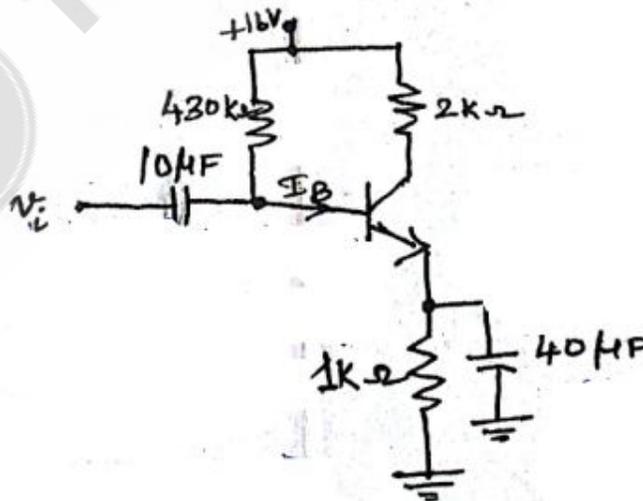
A) 2.8 mA

B) 2.0 mA

C) 1.4 mA

D) 1.0 mA.

150. For the circuit of figure shown below the value of I_B is



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