

ECE 321 L (2015) HW5 Solution.

2.11.  $N_D(\text{eff}) = 10^{18} - 10^{16} = 9.9 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} \Rightarrow n_0 p_0 = n_i^2$

$\Rightarrow 9.9 \times 10^{17} \times p_0 = (1.062 \times 10^{10})^2, \therefore \underline{p_0 = 114 \text{ cm}^{-3}}$

2.13.  $p_0 = 4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ cm}^{-3}, N_D - N_A = 4.99 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$\therefore p_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{N_D - N_A}, \therefore n_i = \sqrt{p_0 \cdot (N_D - N_A)} = \sqrt{4 \times 10^{-6} \times 4.99 \times 10^{18}}$   
 $= 4.468 \times 10^{12} \frac{\text{carriers}}{\text{cm}^3}$

Further,  $n_i = B T^{\frac{3}{2}} e^{\frac{-E_g}{2KT}}$

From textbook,  $B = 5.23 \times 10^{15} (\text{cm}^3) \text{K}^{\frac{3}{2}}, E_g = 1.12 \text{ eV}, K = 86.17 \frac{\text{meV}}{\text{K}}$

$\therefore 4.468 \times 10^{12} = 5.23 \times 10^{15} \cdot T^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot e^{\left(\frac{-1.12}{2 \cdot 86.17 \cdot T}\right)}$

Solve T by MATLAB or case testing, get  $T = 404.43 \text{ K}$

2.15 a)  $\mathcal{E} = \frac{V}{d} = \frac{1V}{20 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} = \underline{500 \text{ V/cm}}$

b)  $n_0 p_0 = n_i^2; n_i = B T^{\frac{3}{2}} e^{\frac{-E_g}{2KT}}$

$\therefore n_i = 5.23 \times 10^{15} \cdot (280)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot e^{\left(\frac{-1.12}{2 \times 86.17 \times 280}\right)} = 2.04 \times 10^9 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$n_0 \times 10^{18} = (2.04 \times 10^9)^2 \Rightarrow \underline{\cancel{n_0 = 2.04 \times 10^9 \text{ cm}^{-3}}}$

$\Rightarrow \underline{n_0 = 4.16 \text{ cm}^{-3}}$

Continue

Continue 2-15

$$c). J = M_n q E n_0 + M_p q E p_0$$

$$= 1500 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 500 \times 2.04 \times 10^9 + 500 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 500 \times 10^8$$

$$= \underline{40050 \text{ A/cm}^2}$$

$$D) J = \cancel{40050} 40050 \text{ A/cm}^2 \times (10^{-4} \text{ cm/\mu})^2$$

$$= \underline{400.5 \text{ MA/\mu m}^2}$$

2.20 From question,  $D_n = 35 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$ ,  $D_p = 12 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$ ,  $J = 15 \text{ mA/cm}^2$

From textbk,  $J_{n \text{ diff}} = q D_n \frac{dn_0}{dx}$ ,  $J_{p \text{ diff}} = q D_p \frac{dp_0}{dx}$

$$J = J_{n \text{ diff}} + J_{p \text{ diff}} = q D_n \frac{dn_0}{dx} + q D_p \frac{dp_0}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dn_0}{dx} = 3 \frac{dp_0}{dx}$$

$$J = q D_n \cdot 3 \frac{dp_0}{dx} + q D_p \frac{dp_0}{dx} = q D_n \frac{dn_0}{dx} + q D_p \frac{1}{3} \frac{dn_0}{dx}$$

$$\therefore 15 \text{ mA/cm}^2 = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 35 \times 3 \frac{dp_0}{dx} + 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \cdot 12 \times \frac{dp_0}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \underline{\frac{dp_0}{dx} = 8.013 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-1}}$$

$$15 \text{ mA/cm}^2 = 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 35 \times \frac{dn_0}{dx} + 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 12 \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{dn_0}{dx}$$

$$\therefore \underline{\frac{dn_0}{dx} = 2.404 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-1}}$$

2.24. From question,  $N_D = 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ,  $N_A = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$$(a) \quad V_{bi} = \frac{KT}{q} \ln \left( \frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} \right) \quad \text{when } T = 300 \text{ K,}$$

$$\therefore V_{bi} = \frac{1.38066 \times 10^{-23} \times 300}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} \ln \left( \frac{10^{16} \cdot 10^{18}}{(1.062 \times 10^{10})^2} \right)$$

$$= \underline{0.831 \text{ mV}}$$

(b)  $T = 400 \text{ K}$

$$V_{bi} = \frac{KT}{q} \ln \left( \frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} \right), \quad \text{here } n_i = BT^{3/2} e^{-\frac{E_g}{2KT}}$$

$$\therefore V_{bi} = \frac{1.38066 \times 10^{-23} \times 400}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} \ln \left( \frac{10^{16} \cdot 10^{18}}{(3.678 \times 10^{12})^2} \right) = 5.23 \times 10^{15} \cdot (400^{3/2}) \cdot e^{-\frac{1.12}{2 \times 8.617 \times 10^{-5} \times 400}}$$

$$= 3.678 \times 10^{12}$$

$$= \underline{0.705 \text{ V}}$$

2.28, From question,  $I_s = 10 \text{ pA}$ ,  $T = 300 \text{ K}$ ,  $V_D = 0.625 \text{ V}$ .

$$I_b = I_s \left( e^{\frac{qV_D}{KT}} - 1 \right)$$

$$= 10 \text{ pA} \cdot \left( e^{\frac{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 0.625}{1.38066 \times 10^{-23}}} - 1 \right) = \underline{275 \text{ mA}}$$

$$2.30 \quad I_D = I_S \left( e^{\frac{V_p}{V_{th}}} + 1 \right) \approx I_S \cdot e^{\frac{V_p}{V_{th}}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{I_{D1}}{I_{D2}} = e^{\frac{V_{D1} - V_{D2}}{V_{th}}} = e^{\frac{\Delta V}{V_{th}}}$$

$$\therefore \Delta V = V_{th} \cdot \ln\left(\frac{I_{D1}}{I_{D2}}\right) \Rightarrow \Delta V = 25.9^{\text{mV}} \cdot \ln(100)$$

$$\therefore \underline{\Delta V = 0.119 \text{ V}}$$