

PROBLEMS 5/1, 7, 8, 9, A, 10, 11, 2/3, 2A, 3/6, 3/3

5.1:

Given  $N_d = 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ,  $\mu_n = 1300 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ ,  $\mu_p = 450 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

a, b)  $\rho = \frac{1}{\sigma} = [e(\mu_n n + \mu_p p)]^{-1}$

hvc,  $n = N_d \Rightarrow \sigma \approx e\mu_n N_d = (1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(1300 \frac{\text{cm}^2}{\text{Vs}})(1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})$   
 $= .20826 \frac{\text{C}}{\text{V}\cdot\text{s}\cdot\text{cm}}$ ,  $\frac{\text{C}}{\text{V}\cdot\text{s}} = \frac{1}{\Omega}$

$\Rightarrow \sigma = .20826 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}$  b)

$\rho = 4.802 \Omega \text{ cm}$  a)

5.2: P-type Si.  $\sigma = 1.80 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}$ ,  $\mu_n = 1250 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ ,  $\mu_p = 380 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ .

$N_a = ?$

$\sigma = e\mu_p N_a \Rightarrow N_a = \frac{\sigma}{e\mu_p} = 2.957 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

5.6: GaAs,  $T = 300 \text{ K}$ ,  $N_d = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ,  $N_a = 0$

a)  $n_i^2 = n_0 p_0 = N_d p_0$ , from APPENDIX B:  $n_{i, \text{GaAs}} = 1.8 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$\Rightarrow p_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{N_d} = \frac{(1.8 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3})^2}{1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} = 3.24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

b)  $E = 10 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$ ,  $J_{\text{drift}} = ?$ ,  $\mu_n \approx 8500 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$  (could use fig. 3 and get  $\mu_n \approx 7000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ )  
 $\Rightarrow J_{\text{drift}} \approx 112 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{cm}^2}$

$J_{\text{drift}} = e\mu_n N_d E = 136.17 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{cm}^2}$

c)  $N_d = 0$ ,  $N_a = 1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$p_0 = N_a$ ,  $n_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{N_a} = 3.24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

(fig. 3  $\Rightarrow \mu_p \approx 300 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs} \Rightarrow J_{\text{drift}} \approx 4.8 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{cm}^2}$ )

d)  $J_{\text{drift}} = e\mu_p N_a E = 6.41 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{cm}^2}$ ,  $\mu_p = 400 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$  - APP. B

5.8: a)  $R = \frac{L}{\sigma A} = \frac{L}{(e\mu_p N_a)A}$ ,  $\mu_p = 400 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ ,  $N_a = 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$\Rightarrow R = 68.93 \Omega \Rightarrow V = IR \Rightarrow I = \frac{V}{R} = 29 \text{ mA}$

b)  $R = 3(68.93 \Omega) \Rightarrow I = 9.67 \text{ mA}$

c)  $J = eP_0 v_d$

a)  $J = 34.12 \frac{A}{cm^2} \rightsquigarrow v_d = \frac{J}{eP_0} = 1.066 \times 10^4 \frac{cm}{s}$

b)  $J = 11.38 \frac{A}{cm^2} \rightsquigarrow v_d = 3.55 \times 10^3 \frac{cm}{s}$

5.9: a)  $N_d = 2 \times 10^{15} cm^{-3}$ ,  $\mu_n = 8000 cm^2/vs$

$$R = \frac{V}{I} = 200 \Omega$$

$$\rightarrow R = \frac{L}{(e\mu_n N_d) A} \Rightarrow L = A \cdot R \cdot (e\mu_n N_d) = .0256 cm$$

b)  $J = \frac{I}{A} = e n_0 v_d \Rightarrow v_d = \frac{I}{A(e n_0)} = 1.56 \times 10^6 \frac{cm}{s}$

c)  $I = (e n_0 v_d) A = 80 mA$

5.10: a)  $E = \frac{V}{L} = 3 \frac{V}{cm} \rightarrow v_d = \mu_n E \Rightarrow \mu_n = 3333 cm^2/vs$

b)  $v_d = \mu_n E = 2.4 \times 10^3 cm/s$

5.21:

a)  $n_i^2 = N_c N_v e^{-E_g/KT} = 7.18 \times 10^{19} cm^{-6}$

$$\Rightarrow n_i = 8.47 \times 10^9 cm^{-3}$$

for  $N_d = 1 \times 10^{14} cm^{-3}$ ,  $N_d \gg n_i \Rightarrow n_0 = N_d$

$$J = \sigma E = e\mu_n N_d E = 1.6 \frac{A}{cm^2}$$

b)  $n_0 = 1.05 \times 10^{14} cm^{-3} = \frac{N_d}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{N_d}{2}\right)^2 + n_i^2}$

$$\Rightarrow 2.625 \times 10^{-12} = \left(\frac{T}{300}\right)^3 e^{-1.1/0.0259 \left(\frac{T}{300}\right)}$$

Solving graphically,  $T \approx 456 K$

5.23:

a)  $n_0 = N_d = 5 \times 10^{16} cm^{-3} \Rightarrow p_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{n_0} = \frac{(1.5 \times 10^{10} cm^{-3})^2}{5 \times 10^{16} cm^{-3}}$

$$\Rightarrow p_0 = 4.5 \times 10^3 cm^{-3}$$

$$p_0 = N_a = 2 \times 10^{16} cm^{-3} \Rightarrow n_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{p_0} = \frac{(1.5 \times 10^{10} cm^{-3})^2}{2 \times 10^{16} cm^{-3}} = 1.125 \times 10^4 cm^{-3}$$

compensated:  $n_0 = N_d - N_a = 3 \times 10^{16} cm^{-3}$

$$\Rightarrow p_0 = 7.5 \times 10^3 cm^{-3}$$

b) using fig. 5.3 : n-type :  $\mu_n = 1100 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$   
 p-type :  $\mu_p = 400 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

computed:  $\mu_n = 1000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

c) n-type :  $\sigma = e \mu_n n_0 = 9.8 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}$

p-type :  $\sigma = e \mu_p p_0 = 1.28 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}$

computed:  $\sigma = 4.8 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}$

d)  $J = \sigma E \Rightarrow E = \frac{J}{\sigma}$

n-type:  $E = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{9.8 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}} = 13.6 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$

p-type:  $E = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{1.28 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}} = 93.75 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$

computed:  $E = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{4.8 (\Omega \text{ cm})^{-1}} = 25 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$

5.29:

$$J_n = e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} = e D_n \left[ \frac{n(x+\Delta x) - n(x)}{\Delta x} \right], \quad x=0, \quad \Delta x = .01 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{J_n \Delta x}{e D_n} = n(\Delta x) - n(0) \Rightarrow n(0) = n(\Delta x) - \frac{J_n \Delta x}{e D_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow n(0) = 2.56 \times 10^{13} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

5.30:

$$J_n = e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} \rightarrow e D_n \frac{\Delta n}{\Delta x}, \quad \frac{\Delta n}{\Delta x} = \frac{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} - 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{-.012 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_n = -5.41 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

5.33: electrons:

$$J_n = e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} = e D_n \frac{d}{dx} (1 \times 10^{15} e^{-x/L_n} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = \frac{-e D_n (1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}) e^{-x/L_n}}{L_n}$$

at  $x=0$ ;  $J_n = -2 \text{ A/cm}^2$

holes:

$$J_p = -e D_p \frac{dp}{dx} = -e D_p \frac{d}{dx} (5 \times 10^{15} e^{+x/L_p} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = \frac{-e D_p (5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}) e^{x/L_p}}{L_p}$$

at  $x=0$ ;  $J_p = -16 \text{ A/cm}^2$

$$\text{total: } J = J_n + J_p = -18 \text{ A/cm}^2$$