

EE321 – Fall 2002
Tentative Syllabus

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Text: Microelectronic Circuits, 4th Edition, A.S. Sedra and K.C. Smith, Oxford University Press

We will cover most of Chapters 1 through 5. If time permits we will cover some topics from Chapter 6.

1. Brief Review of Circuit Theory
 - (a) Amplifier Models
 - (b) Analysis of Amplifier Models
 - (c) Frequency Response of Simple Amplifiers
2. Operational Amplifiers
 - (a) The Ideal Op-Amp (review)
 - (b) Analysis of Ideal Op-Amp Circuits (review)
 - (c) Basic Op-Amp Circuits (review)
 - (d) Non-Ideal Op-Amp Effects
 - i. Finite Open-Loop Gain
 - ii. Finite Bandwidth
 - iii. DC Imperfections
 - **Exam 1**
3. Diodes
 - (a) Simple Diode Theory
 - (b) I-V Relationship of Diodes
 - (c) Analysis of Diode Circuits
 - (d) Small-Signal Model of Diodes
 - (e) Diode Circuits
 - i. Zener Diodes
 - ii. Rectifiers
 - iii. Limiting Circuits
 - **Exam 2**

4. Bipolar Junction Transistors

- (a) Simple BJT Theory
- (b) DC Analysis of BJTs
- (c) Small-Signal Analysis of BJTs
- (d) Biasing of BJTs
- (e) Analysis and Design of BJT Amplifier Circuits
- (f) BJTs in Saturated Mode — The BJT Switch

- **Exam 3**

5. Field-Effect Transistors (FETs)

- (a) Simple FET Theory
- (b) Metal Oxide Substrate FETs (MOSFETs)
 - i. MOSFET Models
 - ii. Biasing MOSFETs
 - iii. MOSFET Amplifiers
 - iv. MOSFET Switches
- (c) Junction FETs (JFETs)
 - i. JFET Amplifiers
 - ii. JFET Switches

6. Differential Transistor Amplifiers

7. Multistage Transistor Amplifiers

- **Exam 4**