
ELEC 547 – Electronic Devices: II

Term – Spring 2018 (201801)

Instructor

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Office Hours

Days: Thursdays
Time: 16:00-17:00
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Course Objectives

This course deals with the principle of operation and design issues related to modern electronic devices. The advancement of electronics has been primarily due to the invention of new devices and it is desirable for practicing engineers to have an updated perspective and understanding on state-of-the-art electronic devices and the future trends.

Learning Outcomes

LO-1: Study the operation of advanced bipolar and field-effect transistors

SLO-1.1: Examine the state-of-the-art of advanced transistors, their performance and operation in the context of Very-Large Scale Integration Circuits

LO-2: Study the operation of novel photonic and opto-electronic devices

LO-3: Study the operation of non-conventional semiconductor devices and their future trends

LO-4: Study the principles, construction and design of semiconductor lasers and related applications

LO-5: Study the operation of state-of-the-art display devices; thin-film devices; imaging devices; energy conversion devices; transducers; and micro-machines and their interfacing

Syllabus

- Topics to cover:

- a. Operation of bipolar and field-effect devices in VLSI design
- b. Photonic and optoelectronic devices
- c. Organic semiconductor devices and their upcoming trends
- d. Principles, construction and design of lasers and related light sources
- e. Display devices, thin-film devices, imaging devices, transducers and micro-machines
- f. Interfacing, sensor arrays and related system-level design

A-Section(s): A01 / CRN 21144

Days: MT

Time: 10:00-11:20

Location: Clearihue D131

Required Text

Title: Electronic Materials

Author: H. Kwok

Publisher: Trans Tech Publishing

Year: 2010

Optional Text

Title: Physics of Semiconductor Devices

Author: M. Shur

Publisher: Prentice-Hall

Year: 1990

References:

Title: Semiconductor Devices, Physics and Technology

Author: S.M. Sze

Publisher: J. Wiley

Year: 1985

Assessment:

Assignments: 20%

Due Dates: To be announced

Mid-term 30%

Date: Mar 1 (Thurs)

Final Exam 50%

Note: Students are required to submit a 10 page report on a selected topic to pass the course.

The final grade obtained from the above marking scheme for the purpose of GPA calculation will be based on the percentage-to-grade point conversion table as listed in the current Undergraduate Calendar.

<https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-01/undergrad/info/regulations/grading.html>

There will be no supplemental examination for this course.

Assignment of E grade and supplemental examination for this course will be at the discretion of the Course Instructor. The rules for supplemental examinations can be found in the current Undergraduate Calendar.

<https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-01/undergrad/info/regulations/exams.html#>

Note to students: Students who have issues with the conduct of the course should discuss them with the instructor first. If these discussions do not resolve the issue, then students should feel free to contact the Chair of the Department by email or the Chair's Assistant to set up an appointment.

Accommodation of Religious Observance:

<https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-01/undergrad/info/regulations/religious-observanc.html>

Policy on Inclusivity and Diversity:

<https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-01/general/policies.html>

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<https://www.uvic.ca/engineering/assets/docs/professional-behaviour.pdf>

Cheating, plagiarism and other forms of academic fraud are taken very seriously by both the University and the Department. You should consult the entry in the current Undergraduate Calendar for the UVic policy on academic integrity.

<https://web.uvic.ca/calendar2018-01/undergrad/info/regulations/academic-integrity.html>

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Course Lecture Notes: Unless otherwise noted, all course materials supplied to students in this course have been prepared by the instructor and are intended for use in this course only. These materials are NOT to be re-circulated digitally, whether by email or by uploading or copying to websites, or to others not enrolled in this course. Violation of this policy may in some cases constitute a breach of academic integrity as defined in the UVic Calendar.