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SECOND SEMESTER M.TECH (E & C) DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION

MAY / JUNE 2016

SUBJECT: NANO-ELECTRONICS (ECE - 566)

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to candidates

- Answer **ANY FIVE** full questions.
- Missing data may be suitably assumed.

- 1A. Explain the operation of SEM with a neat diagram.
- 1B. Derive the relationship between the atomic radius and the lattice parameter in SC, BCC, and FCC structures when one atom located at each lattice point.
- 1C. Explain how the surface of PDMS can be made hydrophobic and hydrophilic?
(5+3+2)
- 2A. Derive the Bragg's law.
- 2B. Calculate the probability of an electron tunneling through a potential barrier. Consider an electron with an energy of 2 eV impinging on a potential barrier with $V_0 = 20$ eV and a width of 3 Å.
- 2C. Explain the M-H curve of a ferrimagnet.
(5+3+2)
- 3A. Consider the final structure the shown in **Figure 3A**. Explain the fabrication step to obtain the structure using E-beam lithography.
- 3B. Explain the operation of Datta-Das spin transistor.
- 3C. Within a cubic unit cell, sketch the following directions (i) $[-1\ 1\ 0]$ (ii) $[-1\ -2\ 1]$.
(5+3+2)
- 4A. In a x-ray diffraction experiment of α -iron taken using a diffractometer and monochromatic x-radiation having a wavelength of 0.1542 nm; each diffraction peak on the pattern has been indexed at 45° , 65.1° and 82.8° .
i) Compute the interplanar spacing for each set of planes indexed;
ii) Determine the lattice parameter of Fe for each of the peaks.
- 4B. Explain the fabrication of Quantum Wells.
- 4C. Explain the basic principle of Biosensor.
(5+3+2)
- 5A. Explain the processes involve in CVD. Also explain the CVD growth of graphene.
- 5B. Explain the fabrication of Silicon Nanowires using VLS technique.
- 5C. Determine the density of BCC iron, which has a lattice parameter of 0.2866 nm. Given Atomic mass= 55.847 g/mol.
(5+3+2)

- 6A. With ne diagram, explain the concept of micro contact printing of Proteins with neat diagrams.
- 6B. Explain the basic principle of UV-NIL process.

(5+5)



Figure 3A.