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HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT #1 SOLUTION

3.1

$$\phi_j = V_T \ln \frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} = (0.025V) \ln \frac{(10^{19} \cdot \text{cm}^{-3})(10^{18} \cdot \text{cm}^{-3})}{10^{20} \cdot \text{cm}^{-6}} = 0.979V$$

$$w_{do} = \sqrt{\frac{2\epsilon_s}{q} \left(\frac{1}{N_A} + \frac{1}{N_D} \right) \phi_j} = \sqrt{\frac{2(11.7 \cdot 8.854 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F} \cdot \text{cm}^{-1})}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}} \left(\frac{1}{10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}} + \frac{1}{10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right) (0.979V)}$$

$$w_{do} = 3.73 \times 10^{-6} \text{ cm} = 0.0373 \mu\text{m}$$

$$x_n = \frac{w_{do}}{1 + \frac{N_D}{N_A}} = \frac{0.0373 \mu\text{m}}{1 + \frac{10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}}} = 0.0339 \mu\text{m} \quad | \quad x_p = \frac{w_{do}}{1 + \frac{N_A}{N_D}} = \frac{0.0373 \mu\text{m}}{1 + \frac{10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}}} = 3.39 \times 10^{-3} \mu\text{m}$$

$$E_{\text{MAX}} = \frac{qN_A x_p}{\epsilon_s} = \frac{(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3})(3.39 \times 10^{-7} \text{ cm})}{11.7 \cdot 8.854 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm}} = 5.24 \times 10^5 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$$

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$$w_d = w_{do} \sqrt{1 + \frac{V_R}{\phi_j}} \quad | \quad (\text{a}) \quad w_d = 2w_{do} \text{ requires } V_R = 3\phi_j = 2.55 \text{ V} \quad | \quad w_d = 0.4 \mu\text{m} \sqrt{1 + \frac{5}{0.85}} = 1.05 \mu\text{m}$$

3.12

$$j_p = q\mu_p pE - qD_p \frac{dp}{dx} = 0 \rightarrow E = -\left(\frac{D_p}{\mu_p}\right) \frac{1}{p} \frac{dp}{dx} = -\left(\frac{kT}{q}\right) \frac{1}{p} \frac{dp}{dx}$$

$$p(x) = N_o \exp\left(-\frac{x}{L}\right) \quad | \quad \frac{1}{p} \frac{dp}{dx} = -\frac{1}{L} \quad | \quad E = -\frac{V_T}{L} = -\frac{0.025V}{10^{-4} \text{ cm}} = -250 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}}$$

The exponential doping results in a constant electric field.

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$$j_p = qD_n \frac{dn}{dx} = q\mu_n V_T \frac{dn}{dx} \quad \Big| \quad \frac{dn}{dx} = \frac{2000 \text{ A/cm}^2}{(1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(500 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V-s})(0.025 \text{ V})} = \frac{1.00 \times 10^{21}}{\text{cm}^4}$$

3.34

$$\frac{dv_D}{dT} = \frac{v_D - V_G - 3V_T}{T} = \frac{0.7 - 1.21 - 3(0.0259)}{300} = -1.96 \frac{\text{mV}}{\text{K}}$$

3.37

$$\phi_j = V_T \ln \frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} = (0.025 \text{ V}) \ln \frac{(10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})(10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{10^{20} \text{ cm}^{-6}} = 0.633 \text{ V}$$

$$w_{do} = \sqrt{\frac{2\epsilon_s}{q} \left(\frac{1}{N_A} + \frac{1}{N_D} \right) \phi_j} = \sqrt{\frac{2(11.7 \cdot 8.854 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F} \cdot \text{cm}^{-1})}{1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}} \left(\frac{1}{10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} + \frac{1}{10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right) (0.633 \text{ V})}$$

$$w_{do} = 0.949 \mu\text{m} \quad \Big| \quad w_d = w_{do} \sqrt{1 + \frac{V_R}{\phi_j}}$$

$$w_d = 0.949 \mu\text{m} \sqrt{1 + \frac{10 \text{ V}}{0.633 \text{ V}}} = 3.89 \mu\text{m} \quad \Big| \quad w_d = 0.949 \mu\text{m} \sqrt{1 + \frac{100 \text{ V}}{0.633 \text{ V}}} = 12.0 \mu\text{m}$$

3.39

$$E_{\text{max}} = \frac{2(\phi_j + V_R)}{w_d} = \frac{2(\phi_j + V_R)}{w_{do} \sqrt{1 + \frac{V_R}{\phi_j}}} = \frac{2\phi_j}{w_{do}} \sqrt{1 + \frac{V_R}{\phi_j}}$$

$$3 \times 10^5 \frac{\text{V}}{\text{cm}} = \frac{2(0.6 \text{ V})}{10^{-4} \text{ cm}} \sqrt{1 + \frac{V_R}{0.6}} \rightarrow V_R = 374 \text{ V}$$