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Semiconductor Characteristics Formulas

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List of 13 Semiconductor Characteristics Formulas

Semiconductor Characteristics ↗

1) Conductivity in Semiconductors ↗

fx $\sigma = (\rho_e \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot \mu_n) + (\rho_h \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot \mu_p)$

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ex

$$0.868062 \text{ S/m} = (3.01e10 \text{ kg/cm}^3 \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot 180 \text{ m}^2/\text{V*s}) + (100000.345 \text{ kg/cm}^3 \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot 150 \text{ m}^2/\text{V*s})$$

2) Conductivity of Extrinsic Semiconductor for P-Type ↗

fx $\sigma_p = N_a \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot \mu_p$

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ex $0.240326 \text{ S/m} = 1e16/\text{m}^3 \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot 150 \text{ m}^2/\text{V*s}$

3) Conductivity of Extrinsic Semiconductors for N-type ↗

fx $\sigma_n = N_d \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot \mu_n$

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ex $5.767836 \text{ S/m} = 2e17/\text{m}^3 \cdot [\text{Charge-e}] \cdot 180 \text{ m}^2/\text{V*s}$

4) Drift Current Density ↗

fx $J_{\text{drift}} = J_p + J_n$

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ex $49.79 \text{ A/m}^2 = 17.79 \text{ A/m}^2 + 32 \text{ A/m}^2$

5) Electric Field due to Hall Voltage ↗

fx $E_H = \frac{V_h}{d}$

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ex $1.888889 \text{ V/m} = \frac{0.85 \text{ V}}{0.45 \text{ m}}$

6) Electron Diffusion Length ↗

fx $L_n = \sqrt{D_n \cdot \tau_n}$

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ex $44.99123 \text{ cm} = \sqrt{44982.46 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} \cdot 45000 \mu\text{s}}$



7) Energy Band Gap ↗

$$fx \quad E_g = E_{G0} - (T \cdot \beta_k)$$

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$$ex \quad 0.765601\text{eV} = 0.87\text{eV} - (290\text{K} \cdot 5.7678\text{e-}23\text{J/K})$$

8) Fermi Dirac Distribution Function ↗

$$fx \quad f_E = \frac{1}{1 + e^{\frac{E_f - E}{[BoltZ] \cdot T}}}$$

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$$ex \quad 0.5 = \frac{1}{1 + e^{\frac{52\text{eV} - 52\text{eV}}{[BoltZ] \cdot 290\text{K}}}}$$

9) Fermi Level of Intrinsic Semiconductors ↗

$$fx \quad E_{Fi} = \frac{E_c + E_v}{2}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.63\text{eV} = \frac{0.56\text{eV} + 4.7\text{eV}}{2}$$

10) Majority Carrier Concentration in Semiconductor ↗

$$fx \quad n_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{p_0}$$

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$$ex \quad 1.6E^8/\text{m}^3 = \frac{(1.2\text{e}8/\text{m}^3)^2}{9.1\text{e}7/\text{m}^3}$$

11) Majority Carrier Concentration in Semiconductor for p-type ↗

$$fx \quad n_0 = \frac{n_i^2}{p_0}$$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

$$ex \quad 1.6E^8/\text{m}^3 = \frac{(1.2\text{e}8/\text{m}^3)^2}{9.1\text{e}7/\text{m}^3}$$

12) Mobility of Charge Carriers ↗

$$fx \quad \mu = \frac{V_d}{E_I}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.987165\text{m}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s} = \frac{10.24\text{m/s}}{3.428\text{V/m}}$$



13) Saturation Voltage using Threshold Voltage 

fx $V_{ds} = V_{gs} - V_{th}$

Open Calculator 

ex $0.55V = 1.25V - 0.7V$



Variables Used

- d Conductor Width (*Meter*)
- D_n Electron Diffusion Constant (*Square Centimeter Per Second*)
- E_c Conduction Band Energy (*Electron-Volt*)
- E_f Fermi Level Energy (*Electron-Volt*)
- E_{Fi} Fermi Level Intrinsic Semiconductor (*Electron-Volt*)
- E_g Energy Band Gap (*Electron-Volt*)
- E_{G0} Energy Band Gap at 0K (*Electron-Volt*)
- E_H Hall Electric Field (*Volt per Meter*)
- E_I Electric Field Intensity (*Volt per Meter*)
- E_v Valance Band Energy (*Electron-Volt*)
- f_E Fermi Dirac Distribution Function
- J_{drift} Drift Current Density (*Ampere per Square Meter*)
- J_n Electron Current Density (*Ampere per Square Meter*)
- J_p Holes Current Density (*Ampere per Square Meter*)
- L_n Electron Diffusion Length (*Centimeter*)
- n_0 Majority Carrier Concentration (*1 per Cubic Meter*)
- N_a Acceptor Concentration (*1 per Cubic Meter*)
- N_d Donor Concentration (*1 per Cubic Meter*)
- n_i Intrinsic Carrier Concentration (*1 per Cubic Meter*)
- p_0 Minority Carrier Concentration (*1 per Cubic Meter*)
- T Temperature (*Kelvin*)
- V_d Drift Speed (*Meter per Second*)
- V_{ds} Saturation Voltage (*Volt*)
- V_{gs} Gate Source Voltage (*Volt*)
- V_h Hall Voltage (*Volt*)
- V_{th} Threshold Voltage (*Volt*)
- β_k Material Specific Constant (*Joule per Kelvin*)
- μ Charge Carriers Mobility (*Square Meter per Volt per Second*)
- μ_n Mobility of Electron (*Square Meter per Volt per Second*)
- μ_p Mobility of Holes (*Square Meter per Volt per Second*)
- ρ_e Electron Density (*Kilogram per Cubic Centimeter*)
- ρ_h Holes Density (*Kilogram per Cubic Centimeter*)



- σ **Conductivity** (*Siemens per Meter*)
- σ_n **Conductivity of Extrinsic Semiconductors (n-type)** (*Siemens per Meter*)
- σ_p **Conductivity of Extrinsic Semiconductors (p-type)** (*Siemens per Meter*)
- T_n **Minority Carrier Lifetime** (*Microsecond*)



Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Constant:** [BoltZ], 1.38064852E-23
Boltzmann constant
- **Constant:** [Charge-e], 1.60217662E-19
Charge of electron
- **Constant:** e, 2.71828182845904523536028747135266249
Napier's constant
- **Function:** **sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement:** **Length** in Meter (m), Centimeter (cm)
Length Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Time** in Microsecond (μ s)
Time Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Temperature** in Kelvin (K)
Temperature Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Speed** in Meter per Second (m/s)
Speed Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Energy** in Electron-Volt (eV)
Energy Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Surface Current Density** in Ampere per Square Meter (A/m²)
Surface Current Density Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Electric Field Strength** in Volt per Meter (V/m)
Electric Field Strength Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Electric Potential** in Volt (V)
Electric Potential Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Electric Conductivity** in Siemens per Meter (S/m)
Electric Conductivity Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Density** in Kilogram per Cubic Centimeter (kg/cm³)
Density Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Diffusivity** in Square Centimeter Per Second (cm²/s)
Diffusivity Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Mobility** in Square Meter per Volt per Second (m²/V*s)
Mobility Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Carrier Concentration** in 1 per Cubic Meter (1/m³)
Carrier Concentration Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** **Heat Capacity** in Joule per Kelvin (J/K)
Heat Capacity Unit Conversion ↗



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