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Attempt **four** questions only

Q1: answer the following with true or false.

(15 mark)

- 1) Dielectric is an insulator that can not be polarized.
- 2) The cooking chamber of the microwave oven is a Faraday cage.
- 3) Permanent polarization is due to the asymmetric location of positive and negative charges.
- 4) Superconductivity may occur at any temperature.
- 5) Classification of superconductors is done by magnetic field behavior.
- 6) Copper, silver and gold are three of the best metallic superconductors.
- 7) Free electron flow without applied voltage is made through slowing down molecular activity.
- 8) Superconductors involve power loss.
- 9) Microwaves are divided into sub-bands based on their wavelengths.
- 10) High energy of the microwave rotates the polar molecules of water.
- 11) In non magnetic materials neighboring atoms do align.
- 12) At low temperature extrinsic semiconductors have larger conductivity than intrinsic semiconductors.
- 13) A polymer is composed of many repeated subunits.
- 14) Porcelains are not glasses.
- 15) A crystalline is a material whose constituents are arranged in an ordered structure.

Q2: a- Define the following: polarizer, promotion, microwave rays, electrical breakdown, polymer.

(10 mark)

b- what is the fluoride?

(5 marks)

Q3: a- what are the differences between intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductors.

(8 marks)

b- what are the models used for description of light?

(7 marks)

Q4. Answer the following:

(15 mark)

- 1) What is the electrical resistivity of materials.
- 2) Give a way to make an electromagnet.
- 3) What are the types of polarization that can be made by an electric field.
- 4) What is the ferroelectric material.
- 5) What is the optical waveguide?

Q5: a- calculate the conductivity of a piece of germanium containing  $3 \times 10^{22}$  donors and  $8 \times 10^{21}$  acceptors per cubic metre. The electron mobility in Ge is 0.39.

(8 mark)

b- Explain the electron mobility.

(7 marks)