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Mid-Semester Question Paper – IC Fabrication Technology (MEL G 611)

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Time: 11:00 hours to 12:30 hours

Open Book

Full-Marks: 20

Use the Tables (wherever values are not given in the question) given below suitably for solving the problems

1. a) A 110-keV Phosphorous implant is introduced on a 200 mm Silicon wafer at an ion dose of 6.5×10^{14} ions/cm². Calculate the peak concentration and the ion beam current for 30 seconds of implantation.
1+1= 2-marks
- b) Assuming R = 3000 Å, find out R_P, σ_P and σ_L if Arsenic is bombarded on Silicon wafer at 100 keV for 1 minute at an ion dose of 5×10^{14} ions/cm². Assume lateral straggle is within 20% of projected straggle and the collision is head-on and elastic.
1+1+1= 3-marks
2. For a Boron diffusion in Silicon at 1000°C, surface concentration is kept constant at 10¹⁹ cm⁻³. The diffusion-time is 50 minutes. Find Q(t) and the gradient at x=0 and at a location where the dopant concentration reaches 10¹⁵ cm⁻³. Given Erfc⁻¹(0.0001)=2.75.
2+2 = 4-marks
3. From the solution of the governing equation defining the depth of oxidation d₀ in terms time, with rate constants A, B and τ (time coordinate shift to account for initial oxide thickness) derive
 - a) $d_0^2 \cong Bt$, for long oxidation time, i.e., t>>τ and t>> $\frac{A^2}{4B}$
and
 - b) $d_0 \cong \frac{B}{A}(t + \tau)$, for short oxidation time, i.e., (t+τ)<< $\frac{A^2}{4B}$
 - c) For wet oxidation at 1000°C, calculate d₀ for t=0.01 hour and 100 hour using approximate equation and compute the error (in %) in results obtained from the governing equation.
 1+1+6×1= 8-marks
4. Define (a) grain boundary, (b) Frenkel defect and (c) intrinsic stacking fault with representative sketches.
1+1+1= 3-marks

TABLE

Impurity in Si	Al	B	O	P	As
k ₀	0.002	0.8	0.25	0.35	0.3

TABLE (Oxidation in Steam)

Oxidation Temp. (in °C)	A(μm)	B(μm ² /h)	B/A(μm/h)	τ (h)
1200	0.05	0.72	14.4	0
1100	0.11	0.51	4.64	0
1000	0.226	0.287	1.27	0
920	0.5	0.203	0.40	0

Partial Pressure of Gallium and Arsenic over Gallium Arsenide as a Function of Temperature (T)

	800°C	900°C	1000°C
As ₂ (As-rich)	7×10 ³	1.1×10 ⁴	5.0×10 ⁴
Ga (As-rich)	1.0×10 ⁻⁵	7.0×10 ⁻⁴	4.0×10 ⁻²
As ₂ (Ga-rich)	2×10 ⁻²	1.1	6×10 ¹
Ga (Ga-rich)	6×10 ⁻³	5.5×10 ⁻²	6×10 ⁻¹

Constants

$E_a(Si)$	k	q (Coul)	μ_n (cm ² /V-s)	μ_p (cm ² /V-s)	ϵ_r of Ta ₂ O ₅
2.48 kCal/mol	1.38×10^{-23} J/K ($= 8.617 \times 10^{-5}$ ev/K)	1.6×10^{-19}	1000	450	8.85×10^{-14}

$$\xi_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-14} (\text{F/cm})$$

Molecular Weight/ Atomic Mass

Element	Si	B	P	Ga	As ₂	GaAs
Molecular Weight	28.09	10.8	30.97	69.72	149.84	144.63
Atomic Mass	28.09	10.8	30.97	69.72	74.9216	-

