

Exercise 0602 for “Semiconductors”

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General notes / 一般的注意

The text part in the answer should be typed (not handwriting) in English or Japanese. The scoring does not depend on the language. It doesn't matter if you are good at grammar, vocabulary, or sentences, but if I cannot catch the meaning, the scoring will get deducted regardless of English or Japanese. The answer sheet should be in small-sized (hopefully less than 1 MB) PDF format, which can be appropriately displayed by Adobe Reader. The file of the answer should be submitted through ITC-LSM.

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0602-1 Dielectric function of a free electron gas

The relative dielectric function of a free electron gas is given by

$$\epsilon_r(\omega) = \lim_{\gamma \rightarrow +0} \left(1 - \frac{\omega_p^2}{\omega^2 + i\gamma\omega} \right),$$

where ω_p is the plasma frequency, $\omega_p^2 = ne^2/\epsilon_0 m$.

1. Show that $\epsilon_r(\omega)$ satisfies the Kramers-Kronig relations.
2. Evaluate

$$\int_0^{\infty} \omega \text{Im}\epsilon_r(\omega) d\omega$$

0603-2 The Hall effect

A semiconductor Hall device at $T = 300$ K has the following geometry: $d=10^{-3}$ cm, $W=10^{-2}$ cm, and $L = 10^{-1}$ cm. The following parameters are measured: $I_x = 0.50$ mA, $V_x = 15$ V, V_H (Hall voltage) = 5.2 mV, and $B_z = 0.10$ T (tesla). Determine the (a) conductivity type, (b) majority carrier concentration, and (c) majority carrier mobility