

# Physics Of Semiconductor Devices: Supplementary Proceedings Of The Fifth International Workshop On P

## Appendix A: Silicon as a High-Temperature Material

Silicon is the dominant semiconductor material in use by the electronics industry today, but is generally not thought of as a high-temperature semiconductor material. Its comparatively narrow energy bandgap creates the majority of problems during high-temperature operation when attempting to use silicon material as a discrete device or in integrated circuits for digital, analog, or power applications. However, surveys of the literature indicate that silicon bipolar and complementary metal-oxide semiconductor (CMOS) analog and digital products can function adequately beyond the MIL SPEC limit of 125 °C. Circuit and layout techniques can extend the reliable temperature range of conventional bulk CMOS and bipolar to at least 200 °C, while a combination of bi-CMOS, conservative layout rules, supply voltage reduction, and scaling of transistor (channel) dimensions can extend the range to 250 °C. The further addition of oxide-isolated processes can extend silicon bipolar and CMOS circuitry to 300 °C by reducing leakage currents, parasitic capacitances, and threshold voltage-dependence on temperature. General high-temperature issues for semiconductors, which also pertain to silicon, are discussed in Chapter 3. This appendix begins with a description of high-temperature performance of several silicon technologies, then moves on to a consideration of oxide-isolation processes that can extend the functional temperature range of silicon circuits.

### HIGH-TEMPERATURE OPERATION OF SILICON CIRCUITS

#### Bipolar Analog Circuits

Historically, operational amplifiers have been the most-studied bipolar analog integrated circuit. The changes in bipolar component characteristics mentioned

above can be so great with respect to temperature that conventional design methods cannot be used; in fact, design compensation techniques may be only valid for limited temperature ranges. Leakage currents must be compensated for in all designs; for example, the base-collector leakage current,  $I_{bc}$ , flows in the opposite direction to the normal base current and can become larger than the normal base current as operating temperatures increase, reducing the base current necessary to sustain collector current. Decreases in base-emitter voltage,  $V_{be}$  (less than 100 mV), can force devices to go into saturation; current design must be used to compensate for this unintentional saturation. In general, large changes in parameters such as  $V_{be}$  and diffused resistor values of the base and collector cause problems in obtaining controlled and constant circuit performance over wide ranges (Beason and Patterson, 1982). These parameter changes manifest themselves as failures due to degradation in the input-offset voltage,  $V_{os}$ , the open-loop gain, and the bias current.

#### Bipolar Digital Circuits

Commercial four-input standard and Schottky-clamped TTL NAND gates were tested from 25-325 °C. The high-temperature failure modes of both TTL NAND gates were identical. The functional failure mode was low output-high voltage,  $V_{oh}$ , and contributed to the collector-base leakage current (from the phase splitter transistor) flowing through the phase splitter collector resistor. The voltage drop across the collector due to the excess leakage resulted in a decrease in  $V_{oh}$ . The power-supply currents for output-high and output remained stable through 300 °C. Current-sinking capability increased as the temperature was increased due to the increasing gain of the current-sink transistor. Current-sourcing capability was reduced due to

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