

**VASAVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (AUTONOMOUS)  
DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS**

**Introduction to Optoelectronic Devices**

**Open elective Course (One Credit)**

*w.e.f academic year 2018-2019*

Instruction: 1 Hour/week	SEE Marks: 50	<b>Course Code: OE480PH</b>
Credits: 01	CIE Marks: 30	
Duration of SEE: 2 Hrs	Duration of CIE: 1 Hrs	

**UNIT-I**

Electron-hole pair generation and recombination process.

Photodiodes: Working and construction of Photodiode-photodiode characteristics- PN Photodiode. PIN Photodiode-Avalanche Photodiode-Photodiode Quantum Efficiency- advantages and applications of photodiodes

Semiconductor diode laser -construction-working principle- advantages and applications of diode lasers.

**UNIT-II**

Light emitting diode (LED)- working-construction and characteristics of LED- emission of colour and band gap of semiconductor-semiconductor materials for LED fabrication, brief introduction to OLEDs.

Solar Cell- Photovoltaic effect- solar cell I-V characteristics-series resistance-fill factor, efficiency- materials used for solar cells-solar panels- applications of solar cells.

**SUGGESTED BOOKS:**

1. S. W. S. McKeever, Thermoluminescence of Solids, Cambridge University Press, 1988
2. Ben G Streetman and Sany Kumar Banerjee, Solid state electronic devices, 7<sup>th</sup> edition, Pearson, 2016
3. Jasprit Singh, Semiconductor devices: Basic principles, Wiley, Delhi, 2014
4. M.N. Avadhanulu, Kshirsagar and TVS Arun Murthy, A textbook of Engineering Physics, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, S. Chand, 2018.

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