# **Answers to Review Questions**

#### UNIT 1

- 5. 1 or 2
- 2. 7 or 8
- 3. silicon, germanium
- 4. A lattice structure is an ordered arrangement of atoms in the atomic structure of a material.
- 5. Add a material which has only 3 valence electrons to a pure semiconductor material.
- 6. Add a material which has 5 valence electrons to a pure semiconductor material.
- 7. Silicon
- 8. The thickness and manner in which the P- and N-type materials are joined together determine the components.
- 9. Composition carbon, metal film, carbon film, wire wound
- 10. Metal film resistors do not change their ohmic value with age.
- 11. Wire wound resistors have a higher power rating.
- 12. Yes  $(0.01 \times 0.01 \times 2000 = 0.2 \text{ watts})$
- 13. No  $(24 \times 24 / 350 = 1.645 \text{ watts})$
- 14. 360,000, 5 percent
- 15. 10,500 and 9500 (10,000 × 0.05 = 500  $\Omega$ )
- 16. Yes
- 17. A variable resistor used to control voltage.

### UNIT 2

- 1. 6
- 2. 62.5
- 3. 12.96
- 4. The heat sink increases the surface area of the component, which permits air to remove heat at a faster rate.
- 5. It produces a good thermal bond between two components.
- 6. 2 watts
- 7.  $12 \times 0.250 = 3$  watts
- 8.  $0.025 \times 0.025 \times 2700 = 1.6875$  watts
- 9. No.  $120 \times 120 / 1000 = 14.4$  watts
- 10.  $0.7 \times 16 = 11.2$  watts

### UNIT 3

- 1. Voltage
- 2. Time
- 3. Amplitude of voltage
- 4. 5000 Hz (1/0.000200)
- 5. 275 volts (approximately)

- 6. 30 volts peak, 6250 Hz
- 7. To show the position of the trace if it is off the display
- 8. The alternate mode alternates sweeps between channel 1 and channel 2. The cop mode alternates the sweep between the two channels several times during one sweep.
- 9. It will burn a spot on the face of the CRT.
- 10. It permits the oscilloscope to trigger on the positive or negative half of the waveform.
- 11. 5 MΩ (20,000 × 250)
- 12. 9600  $\Omega$  (20,000 × 12 = 240,000  $\Omega$ ) (1/10,000 + 1/240,000 = 1/0.000104167)
- 13. Digital ohmmeter
- 14. 2.09 mA (4.6/2200)
- 15. Digital voltmeter

#### UNIT 4

- 1. 2
- 2. Silicon and germanium
- 3. 0.6 to 0.7
- 4. Positive
- 5. The amount of voltage it can hold off in the reverse direction.
- 6. The diode should show continuity through it when the positive lead of the ohmmeter is connected to the anode but not to the cathode.

## UNIT 5

- 1. Light-emitting diode
- 2. DC
- 3. 1.7 volts
- 4. Light being emitted by the device
- 5. 2000 Ω
- 6. 0.45 volts
- 7. Arrows point away from the device when the symbol represents an LED. Arrows point toward the device when the symbol represents a photodiode.
- 8. The photodiode can operate at a greater speed.
- 9. In darkness
- 10. The light would be turned on during the daylight hours and off at night.

# UNIT 6

- 1. A device that changes AC voltage into DC voltage.
- 2. The half-wave rectifier
- 3. The two-diode type of rectifier
- 4. The bridge rectifier
- 5. 8.1 volts  $(18/2 = 9, 9 \times 0.9 = 8.1)$
- 6. The two-diode type