

GANPAT UNIVERSITY
B.TECH SEM.5th ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
REGULAR EXAMINATION NOV-DEC 2013
2EE503 - POWER ELECTRONICS DEVICES & CIRCUITS

TIME:-3 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS-70

- INSTRUCTION:-
1. Attempt all questions.
 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Section-I

Que-1

- (a) A single-phase half-wave SCR circuit feeds power to a resistive load. Draw waveforms for source voltage, load voltage, load current, and voltage across the SCR for a given firing angle α . Hence obtain expressions for average and rms load voltages in terms of source voltage and firing angle. (06)
- (b) Derive the expression for the average output voltage of single phase full converter. (06)
 Assume the load to be highly inductive. Draw the variation of average output voltage with α . Also draw the output voltage waveforms.

OR

Que-1

- (a) Explain the operation of Jone's chopper. (06)
- (b) Explain turn OFF switching Characteristics of SCR. (06)

Que-2

- (a) Explain the need of a four quadrant chopper with the help of circuit diagram. Explain the quadrants in which it operates. (06)
- (b) Write a short note on: 1-phase Dual Converter. (05)

OR

Que-2

- (a) Explain 3-phase half -wave controlled converter with R-L load and Freewheeling Diode. (06)
- (b) Explain Load commutation (05)

Que-3

- Attempt any three.** (12)
- (a) Differentiate between Step up and Step down chopper.
- (b) Explain di/dt and dv/dt protection.
- (c) Differentiate between symmetrical and asymmetrical configurations semiconverter.
- (d) Merits and Demerits and Application of a Power MOSFET.

Section-II

Que-4

- (a) Explain the operation of single phase full bridge inverter with R-L load. (06)
- (b) Explain the operating principle of a thyristor in terms of the "two transistor analogy" (06)

OR

Que-4

- (a) Define THD. Obtain THD of a square wave. (06)
- (b) With the help of neat circuit diagram and relevant waveforms, explain the working of Type D chopper. (06)

Que-5

- (a) Describe the external AC output voltage control method of an inverter. (06)
- (b) Explain any one configuration of single phase Cycloconverter. (05)

OR

Que-5

- (a) Describe multiple pulse width modulation technique of inverter voltage control. (06)
- (b) Explain the working of an AC voltage regulator with phase angle control. (05)

Que-6

- (a) Explain the operation of 180 degree mode of three-phase bridge inverter with the help of circuit diagram, all the six gate currents and any one phase or line voltage. (07)
- (b) A single-phase 220 V, 1kW electric room heater is connected across 220 V AC supply through a TRIAC. For a delay angle of 90° , calculate power dissipated by the heater element. (05)

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