

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-IV (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2021****Subject Code:3140915****Date:30/12/2021****Subject Name:Power Electronics****Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

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|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <b>Q.1</b> | (a) Derive output voltage equation for single phase half wave rectifier.                                                                                        | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Discuss SVPWM technique in brief.                                                                                                                           | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Explain working of 1- $\phi$ semi converter with the help of voltage and current waveform under resistive load.                                             | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>Q.2</b> | (a) Compare the RC firing circuit and R firing circuit based on its circuit diagram.                                                                            | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) State the merits & demerits of current source inverter & voltage source inverter.                                                                           | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Draw gate voltage and phase voltage waveform and explain 3 phase inverter operation for 120° conduction mode.                                               | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>OR</b>  |                                                                                                                                                                 |              |
| <b>Q.3</b> | (c) Describe the effect of high switching frequency on harmonics spectrum in single phase full bridge inverter.                                                 | <b>07</b>    |
|            | (a) Justify the statement, why SCR is not suitable for dc to ac converter for low power applications?                                                           | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Classify of different techniques for voltage control of inverter. Explain anyone.                                                                           | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Analysis of working of 3- $\phi$ half wave controlled rectifier with RL load with continuous conduction mode.                                               | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>OR</b>  |                                                                                                                                                                 |              |
| <b>Q.3</b> | (a) Describe the working of freewheeling diode in phase controlled rectifier.                                                                                   | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Distinguish between full controlled bridge converter and half controlled bridge converter.                                                                  | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Draw circuit diagram and necessary waveforms of single phase fully controlled center tapped ac to dc converter with R load. Derive equation for $V_{RMS}$ . | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>Q.4</b> | (a) Explain protection of SCR and its design.                                                                                                                   | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Explain Snubber circuit and its design                                                                                                                      | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Explain the parallel operation of SCR.                                                                                                                      | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>OR</b>  |                                                                                                                                                                 |              |
| <b>Q.4</b> | (a) Draw and explain static V-I characteristics of SCR.                                                                                                         | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Explain Matrix converter                                                                                                                                    | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Write short note cycloconverters.                                                                                                                           | <b>07</b>    |
| <b>Q.5</b> | (a) Give four points of difference between on-off control and phase angle control.                                                                              | <b>03</b>    |
|            | (b) Explain Buck converter.                                                                                                                                     | <b>04</b>    |
|            | (c) Explain working of 3 phase bridge inverter with star connected resistive load with 180° mode using gate signals, output phase voltage and line voltage.     | <b>07</b>    |

**OR**

- Q.5** (a) Enlist various control techniques for output voltage control.  
(b) Sketch bipolar PWM  
(c) Explain multi-quadrant operation of DC-DC converter.

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