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POWER ELECTRONICS

Subject Code: BTEE-504 M.Code: 70557

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1. Answer briefly:

- a) Differentiate between holding and latching current in a Thyristor.
- b) What is the role of **dv/dt** in the operation of a Thyristor?
- c) Differentiate between Diac and Triac.
- d) What is the function of free wheeling diode?
- e) What is a LASCR?
- f) Write applications of a Thyristors.
- g) What is the importance of Surge current rating of a Thyristor?
- h) Draw turn on characteristics of a Thyristor.
- i) Draw snubber circuit.
- j) What is duty cycle of a chopper?

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SECTION-B

- Q2 Explain two transistor model of a Thyristor.
- Q3 Compare power MOSFETs with BJTs.
- Q4 Discuss operation of single phase mid-point cycloconverter with R-L load for continuous conduction with relevant circuit diagram and necessary output waveforms.
- Q5 Describe the working of step down chopper and derive expression for output voltage.
- Q6 Draw and explain the simple SCR series inverter circuit employing class A type commutation with the help of important waveforms. State the limitations of this inverter.

SECTION-C

- Q7 What are the methods for voltage control within the inverters? Explain in detail with waveforms.
- Q8 a) Define string efficiency for series /parallel connected SCRs .Show the string efficiency of two series connected SCRs is less than one.
 - b) Explain the difference between class A and class B commutation.
- Q9 A 230 V, 50 Hz, one pulse SCR controlled converter is triggered at a firing angle of 40° and the load current extinguishes at an angle of 210°. Find the current turn off time, average output voltage and average load current for
 - a) $R = 5\Omega$ and L = 2 mH.
 - b) $R = 5 \Omega$, L = 2 mH and E = 110 V.

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