

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE - SEMESTER-VII (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2018

Subject Code: 2170906**Date: 15/11/2018****Subject Name: Advanced 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.

- Q.1** (a) Compare buck, boost and buck-boost converter with reference to technical parameters. **03**
(b) Write the advantages of resonance converter as compared to PWM converter. **04**
(c) Illustrate the push pull converter with neat circuit diagram & waveform and derive the equation of output voltage in terms of input voltage & duty cycle. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Define duty cycle and write its importance. **03**
(b) Differentiate between continuous mode of conduction and discontinuous mode of conduction. **04**
(c) Justify the name of converter as zero voltage switching converter with necessary diagram and waveform. **07**
- OR**
- (c) Illustrate how the harmonic current are canceled by phase shifting transformer in 12 pulse rectifier. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Compare the three topologies of multilevel inverter. **03**
(b) Compare HVAC and HVDC transmission line. **04**
(c) The buck-boost regulator has an input voltage = 12 V, duty cycle = 0.25, switching frequency = 25 kHz, inductor = 150 μ H, filter capacitor = 220 μ F and average load current = 1.25 A. Determine (a) Average output voltage (b) Peak to peak output voltage ripple (c) Peak to peak ripple current (d) Peak current of switch (e) Critical value of L and C. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Introduce the multi pulse converter. **03**
(b) Draw circuit diagram of 9 level asymmetric cascaded H bridge multilevel inverter and mention the switching states to generate 0 level. **04**
(c) The class E resonance inverter operates at resonance and has $V_s = 12$ V, $R = 10 \Omega$, $f_s = 25$ kHz and $Q = 7$. Determine optimum value of L, C, C_e and L_e . **07**
- Q.4** (a) Draw block diagram of HVDC transmission system. Mention equipment required for HVDC system. **03**
(b) Justify: ZVS is better than ZCS. **04**
(c) Explain in detail about rectifier and inverter control characteristic of HVDC converter. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) State the need of reactive power compensation. **03**
(b) Draw and explain bipolar HVDC power transmission system based on 12 pulse converters for each pole. **04**
(c) Discuss the operation of thyristor switched capacitor. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Compare SVC and STATCOM. **03**

- (b) Classify carrier based PWM technique for multilevel inverter. Discuss any one in detail. **04**
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- (c) Explain in brief about FACTS. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Explain star/delta phase shifting transformer with phasor diagram. **03**
- (b) Write the advantages and limitations of SSSC. **04**
- (c) Explain how multilevel inverter is used as reactive power compensator with necessary vector diagram. **07**

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