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**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY**  
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**Advanced Power Electronics**  
**(Revised)**

[Time : Three Hours]

[Max Marks :80]

Please check whether you have got the right question paper.

N.B Answer any two full questions from each section.

Section A

- Q.1 a. What is the principle of operation of buck converter & explain its working with help of waveforms. 10  
 b. Describe half bridge and full bridge converters configuration. Enumerate its advantages. 10
- Q.2 a. what is the principle of phase control? Also derive the performance parameters of a single phase full wave ac 10  
 controller with RL load.  
 b. A single phase full wave ac voltage controller in figure I has a resistive load of  $R=10\Omega$  and the input voltage is 10  
 $V_s=120V$  (rms) 50Hz. The delay angles of thyristors  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are equal  $\alpha_1=\alpha_2=\alpha=\frac{\pi}{2}$ . Determine (a) the rms  
 output voltage  $V_o^2$ . (b) The input Pf. (c) The average current of thyristors  $I_A$  and (d) the rms current of  
 thyristors  $I_R$

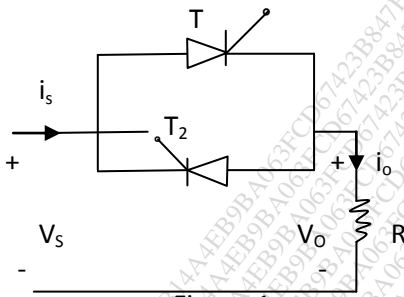


Figure-1

- Q.3 a. Explain working of single phase full wave controller with inductive loads? Draw the waveforms for the output 10  
 voltage  $v_o$  and output current  $i_o$  and voltage across  $T_1$   
 b. A three phase ac voltage controller. Supplies a Y connected resistive load of  $R=5\Omega$  and the line to line input 10  
 voltage is  $V_s=208V$  at 50Hz. Plot the PF against the delay angle  $\alpha$  for (a) the full wave controller in figure 2

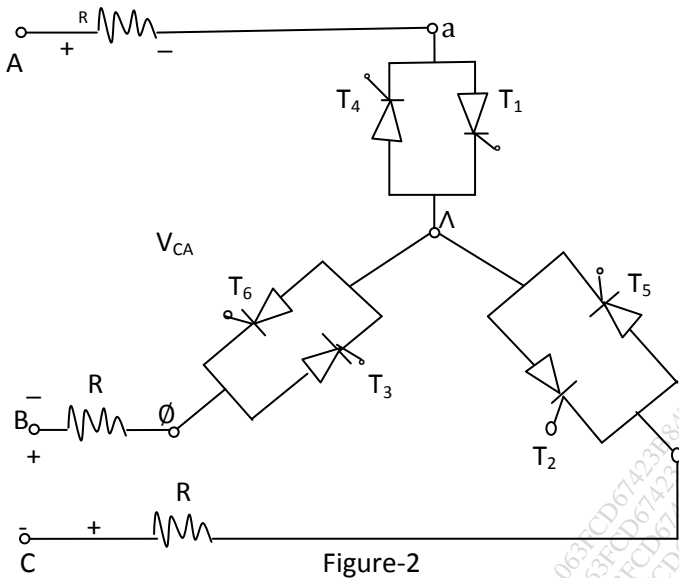


Figure-2

Section B

- Q.4 a. Explain all the gate drive techniques in detail 10  
 b. Describe in detail the techniques for optimizing the base drive of a BJT. 10
- Q.5 a. Write the drawback of SPWM? Also describe and suggest other techniques offering improved performance with waveforms. 10  
 b. A single phase full bridge inverter which uses a uniform PWM with two pulses per half cycles has a load of  $R=5\Omega$   $\alpha=15$  mH and  $C=25\mu F$ . The dc input voltage is  $V_s = 220v$ . Express the instantaneous load current  $i_o(t)$  in a Fourier series for  $m=0.8$ ,  $f_o=50$ Hz. 10
- Q.6 a. Explain the circuit operation and equivalent circuits of series resonant inverter 10  
 b. A parallel resonant inverter delivers a load power of  $P_L=2Kw$  at a peak sinusoidal load voltage of  $V_p = 170v$  and at resonance. The load resistance is  $R=10\Omega$ . The resonant frequency is  $f_o=25KHz$ . Determine (a) The dc input current  $I_s$  (b) The quality factor  $Q_p$  if it is required to reduce the load power to 500w by frequency control so that  $\mu=1.25$  (C) the inductor L (d) The capacitor C 10