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# M.TECH (SEM 2<sup>nd</sup>) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18 POWER CONVERTER-II

Time: 3 Hours Total Marks: 70

**Note: 1.** Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.

2. Any special paper specific instruction.

#### **SECTION A**

### 1. Attempt all questions in brief.

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- a. Enumerate basic differences between BJT and MOSFET.
- b. When chopper is feeding an RLE load, why the current is not constant?
- c. Why multiphase chopper preferable in high power circuit?
- d. What are the drawbacks of series inverter?
- e. How can input DC voltage to an inverter be controlled?
- f. What is the role of resistance connected in series with capacitor in snubber circuit?
- g. What do understand by secondary breakdown in BJT?

#### **SECTION B**

### 2. Attempt any three of the following:

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- a. Explain the working principle of IGBT with their switching characteristic.
- b. Discuss the advantage of high frequency operation of dc chopper. In a DC chopper circuit an ideal battery of 100 V feeds a series load of resistance 0.5  $\Omega$  and inductance of 1 mH. The device is switch on for 1 ms in an over all period of 3 ms. Find maximum , minimum and average load current , and average load voltage.
- c. What is necessity of commutation in a thyristorised dc chopper circuit? Describe with neat circuit diagram and relevant waveforms the working of load commutated DC chopper circuit.
- d. Describe with neat circuit diagram second quadrant DC chopper circuit and also draw its the relevant waveforms.
- e. Explain the working principle of MOS- controlled thyristor with clear diagram.

#### **SECTION C**

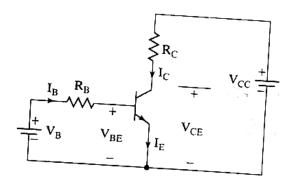
### 3. Attempt any *one* part of the following:

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- (a) Describe with neat diagram P-channel depletion-type MOSFET. Also draw its transfer characteristics
- (b) A buck-boost regulator has an input voltage of  $V_s=12~V$ . The duty cycle k=0.6, and the switching frequency is 25 kHz. For the inductance  $L=250~\mu H$ , the filter capacitance  $C=220~\mu F$  and for average load current I=1.5~A, determine (i) the average output voltage, (ii) the capacitor ripple voltage  $\Delta V_C$ , and (iii) peak to ripple current of inductor  $\Delta I$ .

# 4. Attempt any *one* part of the following:

(a) The beta ( $\beta$ ) of a bipolar transistor as shown in figure (1) varies from 10 to 60. The load resistance is  $R_C = 5~\Omega$ . The dc supply voltage is  $V_{CC} = 100~V$  and the input voltage to the base circuit is  $V_B = 8~V$ . If  $V_{CE}(sat) = 2.5~V$  and  $V_{BE}(sat) = 1.75~V$ , find (i) the value of  $R_B$  that will result in saturation with an over drive factor of 20, and (ii) the power loss in transistor.



(b) A single phase half bridge inverter has a resistive load of 3  $\Omega$ . The dc input voltage is 30 V. Find: (i) the rms value of fundamental component of output voltage, (ii) output power, (iii) the average current of each thyristor, and (iv) peak current of each thyristor

# 5. Attempt any *one* part of the following:

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- (a) Discuss three phase inverter with 120° conduction of a thyristor for star connected resistive load. Also draw the output phase voltage waveform for any one phase and discuss its merits & demerits.
- (b) Explain the necessity of harmonics reduction in a inverter circuit. Describe harmonics reduction technique by transformer connections. Also enumerate the drawbacks of this method.

### 6. Attempt any *one* part of the following:

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- (a) Explain principle of step up chopper and obtain output voltage expression in terms of duty cycle with suitable circuit diagram and waveform.
- (b) With relevant diagram explain the role of snubber circuit.

# 7. Attempt any *one* part of the following:

 $7 \times 1 = 7$ 

- (a) Discuss with circuit diagram and relevant waveforms basic series resonant inverter and also derive the mathematical expressions for capacitor voltage.
- (b) What are advantages of ZCS in a converter circuit. Discuss L-type ZCS resonant converter. Also derive the expression capacitor voltages during each mode of operations.