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## JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD M.TECH I - SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS APRIL/MAY-2012 MODERN POWER ELECTRONICS

## (COMMON TO POWER AND INDUSTRIAL DRIVES, POWER ELECTRONICS, POWER ELECTRONICS AND ELECTRIC DRIVES)

Time: 3hours Max.Marks:60

## Answer any five questions All questions carry equal marks

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- 1. Explain the operation of MOS-Controlled thyristors using its schematic and equivalent circuits.
- 2.a) With a neat circuit diagram and related waveforms, explain the operation of class E resonant inverter.
  - b) What are the advantages and limitations of class E resonant inverters?
- 3. Explain the operation of Diode clamped multilevel inverter and also mention its main features.
- 4. What is a Forward convertor? Explain its modes of operation using a neat circuit diagram and related waveforms.
- 5. Explain the operation of bidirectional AC power supplier.
- 6. The average output voltage of a push-pull converter is  $V_o = 2\mu V$  at a resistance load of  $R = 0.8\Omega$ . The on-state voltage drops of transistors and diodes are  $V_t = 1.2V$  and  $V_d = 0.7V$  respectively. The turns ratio of transformer is  $a = \mu_s/\mu_p = 0.25$ . Determine
  - a) The average input current
  - b) Efficiency 'η'
  - c) The average transistor current
  - d) The peak transistor current
  - e) The RMS transistor current I<sub>R</sub>
  - f) The open circuit transistor voltage  $V_{\text{oc}}$ . Assume duty cycle k=0.5.
- 7.a) Compare ZCS and ZVS Resonant converters.
  - b) What are the advantages and disadvantages of resonant power supplier?
- 8. Write short notes on the following:
  - a) DC link capacitor voltage balancing in multilevel inverters.
  - b) Emitter turn-off thyristors.
  - c) Series resonant inverters.