[Total Marks: 80]

(3 Hours)

NB: 1) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

- 2) Attempt any 3 questions out of remaining questions.
- 3) Figures on the right hand side indicate full marks.
- 4) Assume Suitable data if necessary

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- a) Explain different commutation techniques for SCR. Draw current commutation circuit 20
- b) Draw and explain gate characteristics.
- c) What is the need of freewheeling diode in rectifiers? Explain with suitable diagrams.
- d) Explain Type B DC-DC converter.
- e) Explain why harmonic neutralization is necessary in the output of inverter.
- Q2 a) Draw and explain single phase fully controlled converter with RL load. Draw load current, 10 Load voltage, input voltage and gating signal for $\alpha = 60^{\circ}$
 - b) Explain the working of three phase bridge inverter in 1200 conduction mode with circuit diagram and waveforms.
- Q3 a) Draw and Explain dynamic characteristics of thyristor.
 - b) Explain working principle of 1 Φ cyclo converter with circuit diagram and waveforms.
- Q4 a) A single phase fully controlled converter is operated from 230V, 50 Hz ac supply. The load 10 resistance is 10 Ω. The average output voltage is 10% of max possible average output voltage Calculate- i) Firing angle
 - ii) RMS and Average output current
 - iii) Efficiency
 - b) Draw and explain the working of 3 of fully controlled rectifier with neat circuit diagram and waveforms.
- Q5 a) Draw and explain AC voltage control circuit using DIAC and TRIAC. Draw the waveforms 10 with $\alpha = 60^{\circ}$.
 - b) Draw and explain Buck converter with waveforms. Also derive the expression for output voltage.

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- a) Compare IGBT, MOSFET.
- b) Protection circuits for SCR.
- c) Driver circuits for power transistors.
- d) Various PWM techniques.
- e) Ramp and Pedestal control triggering.