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INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

(Autonomous)

M.Tech II Semester End Examinations (Regular) - July, 2017

Regulation: IARE-R16

DC TO AC CONVERTERS

(Power Electronics and Electrical Drives)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

Answer ONE Question from each Unit

All Questions Carry Equal Marks

All parts of the question must be answered in one place only

UNIT – I

- (a) Explain the principle of operation of a single phase full bridge inverter circuit with the help of a neat circuit diagram and necessary waveforms. [7M]

(b) A single phase half bridge inverter is operated from a 48V battery and is supplying power to a pure resistive load of 2.4Ω . Determine [7M]

 - The RMS voltage a fundamental frequency
 - Output power
 - Average and peak currents of each transistor
- (a) Discuss any two methods of voltage control for single phase inverters. [7M]

(b) Explain trapezoidal and staircase modulation techniques for single phase inverters. [7M]

UNIT – II

- (a) What are resonant pulse inverters. Explain the principle of operation of series resonant inverters with unidirectional switches with a neat circuit diagram and waveforms. [7M]

(b) The half-bridge resonant inverter is operated at an output frequency of 7 kHz. If $C_1 = C_2 = C = 3\mu\text{F}$ and $L_1 = L_2 = L = 50\mu\text{H}$, $R = 2\Omega$ and supply voltage $V_s = 200\text{V}$. Determine [7M]

 - the peak supply current
 - average thyristor current
 - rms thyristor current
- (a) Explain about voltage control of resonant inverters with a neat circuit diagram and waveforms. [7M]

(b) Compare ZCS and ZVS resonant converters and state their limitations. [7M]

UNIT – III

- (a) Draw a general topology of multilevel inverters. Explain the operation with a typical output voltage waveform. [7M]

(b) What are the various topologies of Multilevel inverters. Explain the advantage of each type. [7M]

6. (a) Explain the principle of operation of a cascaded Multilevel Inverter with a neat circuit diagram. [7M]
(b) Consider the output phase voltage waveform for $m=6$ (including 0-level) cascaded MLI, find the generalized Fourier series of the phase voltage waveform obtained. [7M]

UNIT – IV

7. (a) What are Switched-Mode DC power supplies. Explain the operation of a fly back converter with a neat circuit diagram. [7M]
(b) Draw the Full-bridge converter and derive the expression for the voltage transfer ratio. [7M]
8. (a) Discuss about bidirectional power supplies and resonant DC power supplies. [7M]
(b) Explain the operation of a push pull converter with the help of a neat circuit diagram. [7M]

UNIT – V

9. (a) Draw the schematic diagram of Switched-Mode AC power supplies and explain. [7M]
(b) What are the types of power line disturbances. Explain about Power Conditioners with a neat diagram. [7M]
10. (a) Draw the block diagram of an UPS. Explain the function of each block. [7M]
(b) Draw a circuit of a multistage conversion and explain. [7M]

