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Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

- 1. Draw TRIAC characteristics.
- 2. Define holding current of a SCR.
- 3. Write down the equation of single-phase full converter with RL load.
- 4. What do you mean by dual converter?
- 5. What are the two types of control strategies in dc-dc chopper?
- 6. What is a DC chopper?
- 7. Define harmonics.
- 8. List the various advantage of using PWM control to inverters.
- 9. What is a matrix converter?
- 10. What is an AC voltage controller?

PART - B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

- 11. (a) (i) Explain briefly about the snubber circuit. (8)
 - (ii) Explain the turn-on characteristics of an SCR. (8)

Or

- (b) Draw and explain the switching characteristics of IGBT with neat diagrams. (16)
- 12. (a) With neat sketches, explain the effect of source impedance in the operation of three phase full converter. Derive the expression for average output voltage. (16)

Or

- (b) Explain the operation of three phase semi converter with neat waveforms. (16)
- 13. (a) Explain the working of Buck-Boost converter with sketch and waveforms and also drive the expression for I_s . (16)

Or

- (b) Describe the operation of voltage commutated chopper with relevant diagrams. (16)
- 14. (a) With neat sketches describe the working of three-phase inverter using 180 degree mode.

(16)

(8)

Or

(b) Explain different methods of Harmonic control in inverters. (16)15. (a) Illustrate the following

- (i) Single phase to Three phase cyclo converter. (8)
 - (ii) Matrix converter.

Or

(b) Explain the operation of single phase AC voltage controller with RL load. Derive the expression for *rms* output voltage. (16)