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Subject code: 1722901

Subject Name: Advanced Power Converters & Control

Date: 22/06/2011

Time: 10:30 am – 01:00 pm

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Notations used have usual meaning.

Q.1 (a) Explain zero voltage switch topology based buck converter with necessary waveforms. **07**

(b) Write a brief note on clamped voltage topology for resonant converter with neat diagram. **07**

Q.2 (a) Explain flying capacitor type multi-level inverter. **07**

(b) For ZCS buck converter, $V_{in} = 30$ V, $V_o = 14.5$ V, $I_o = 1$ A and resonant frequency $f_o = 600$ kHz. Calculate, **07**

- (i) value of L and C
- (ii) value of peak inductor current
- (iii) Time period for mode-I operation.

Assume normalized load $Q=1$.

OR

(b) Design boost converter with ZCS for following specifications, **07**

$V_{in} = 25$ V, $P_o = 30$ W, $I_o = 0.5$ A and switching frequency $f_s = 100$ kHz.

Assume normalized load $Q = 6$ and normalized switching frequency $f_{ns} = 0.58$ kHz. What will be the value of capacitor C if ripple in output voltage is restricted to 0.2%. Make necessary assumption if required.

Q.3 (a) Discuss high frequency link integral cycle control converter. **07**

(b) Discuss venturini control method for matrix converter in brief. **07**

OR

Q.3 (a) Discuss cascaded multi-level converter topology. **07**

(b) Write detailed note on commutation and protection issues for matrix converter **07**

- Q.4 (a)** Discuss voltage mode control of DC-DC converters in closed loop. **07**
(b) Explain averaging model of DC-DC converter with appropriate example. **07**

OR

- Q.4 (a)** Explain bipolar link configuration of HVDC transmission with advantages and disadvantages. **07**
(b) Two six pulse converters are used in bipolar HVDC transmission system. **07**
The ac systems are 3-phase, 11 kV, 50Hz. The input transformers have a leakage inductance of 10mH per phase. The current in dc line is 300 A. the inverter marginal angle is 20° . Resistance of each dc transmission line is 1 ohm. Calculate firing angle of the rectifier, its output voltage and DC link voltage.

- Q.5 (a)** Explain series loaded resonant converter with neat diagram. **07**
(b) Write a short note on reactive power drawn by the converters in HVDC. **07**

OR

- Q.5 (a)** Discuss need of multi-pulse converters. Explain transformer configurations for multi-pulse converter. **07**
(b) Discuss control characteristics of converter for HVDC **07**
