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FIFTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) [09 SCHEME] DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2014

AI 09 505—POWER ELECTRONICS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. What is power transistor?
- 2. What is MCT?
- 3. Define power factor.
- 4. What is a chopper?
- 5. What is an isolation amplifier?

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$

Part B

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 1. Explain an application each for GTO and power MOSFET.
- 2. What are power diodes? Briefly explain its types.
- 3. Explain a method for power factor improvement.
- Explain the classification of choppers.
- 5. Write notes on switched mode power supply.
- 6. Briefly explain on synchronization circuits.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Part C

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

1. Explain the working of TRIAC with its characteristics and explain one application of it.

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2. Explain the working of SCR with its characteristics and explain one application of it.

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3. Explain the working of three-phase convertor cicuit.

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- 4. Explain the working of cyclo convertor.
- 5. Explain about MOSFET/IGBT choppers.

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- 6. Explain the working of McMurray Bedford inverter.
- 7. Explain the working of buch boost regulators.

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8. Explain simple drive circuits using power BJT, MOSFET and IGBT.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$