

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER-VII (NEW) EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2024****Subject Code:3170906****Date:22-05-2024****Subject Name:Advanced Power Electronics****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed

		MARKS
Q.1	(a) Describe SEPIC converter with circuit diagram.	03
	(b) Compare buck, boost and buck-boost converter with reference to technical parameters.	04
	(c) Giving circuit diagram and showing waveforms, explain working of fly – back converter type switched mode DC power supply.	07
Q.2	(a) Classify resonant pulse converter and discuss applications.	03
	(b) Give comparison between Zero Voltage Switching and Zero Current Switching resonant converters.	04
	(c) Discuss operation of parallel load resonant DC to DC converter.	07
	OR	
	(c) Derive output equation for the buck–boost converter with necessary waveform.	07
Q.3	(a) Explain the limitations of Multilevel inverter.	03
	(b) Explain operation of Cascaded H-bridge multilevel inverter.	04
	(c) Justify the sentence, “Space vector pulse width modulation technique is better than sine PWM technique”.	07
	OR	
Q.3	(a) State the advantages of FACTS devices.	03
	(b) Explain working principle of SSSC.	04
	(c) Explain working of STATCOM with neat diagram. Also explain its static characteristic.	07
Q.4	(a) Draw block diagram of HVDC transmission system.	03
	(b) Write the advantages of resonance converter as compared to PWM converter.	04
	(c) Draw the circuit diagram and waveform of 12 pulse converter and explain its working principle.	07
	OR	
Q.4	(a) Differentiate between continuous mode of conduction and discontinuous mode of conduction.	03
	(b) Explain the operation of Class E converter.	04
	(c) Compare HVDC and HVAC transmission systems.	07
Q.5	(a) Discuss the principle of series compensation.	03
	(b) Explain the working of fixed capacitor thyristor-controlled reactor.	04

(c) Explain operating principle of Unified power flow controller. **07**

OR

Q.5 (a) State advantages and disadvantages of multi-pulse converters. **03**

(b) Explain operation of diode clamped multilevel inverter. **04**

(c) Draw the transformer connections for 18 pulse converters. Explain Y-Z2 transformer connection used for multi-pulse converter. **07**
