

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER– VIII (New) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2019****Subject Code: 2182401****Date: 27/11/2019****Subject Name: Power Electronics Applications****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.

		<b>MARKS</b>
<b>Q.1</b>	(a) Explain merits and demerits of power electronics systems.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain the role of power electronics in Fan Regulator.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Write a technical note on: - Battery operated vehicles.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.2</b>	(a) Explain the role of power electronics in washing machine.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Give advantages of HVDC transmission system.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain application of power electronics in satellite power supplies and aircraft power supplies.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>		
	(c) Explain induction heating application of power electronics converter.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Explain the Principle of Arc furnaces.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain the static circuit breakers.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the functions of Power electronics converter in excavators & cement mills applications.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>		
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Draw block diagram of active power filter.	<b>03</b>
	(b) What is the electroplating?	<b>04</b>
	(c) List various methods of static VAR compensators and explain any one in details.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) Define basic four types of power processing converters.	<b>03</b>
	(b) List out the advantages and disadvantages of variable speed drives.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the block diagram of electric motor drive.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>		
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) Compare Regenerative braking and Rheostatic braking mode for chopper drives.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Give classification of FACTS controllers.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the functions of Power electronics converter in rolling mills and textile mills applications.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Draw the block diagram of SMPS.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Give brief description of wind power plant.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the Principle of induction heating. Explain Arc furnace with necessary diagrams.	<b>07</b>
<b>OR</b>		
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Give advantages of hybrid vehicle.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain the reliability of power supply in aerospace systems.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain speed control of BLDC motor with power electronics converter with necessary diagrams.	<b>07</b>

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