

**DIPLOMA EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING/TECHNOLOGY/  
MANAGEMENT/COMMERCIAL PRACTICE, NOVEMBER – 2020**

**INDUSTRIAL ELECTRONICS AND PLC**

[Maximum Marks: 100]

[Time: 3 Hours]

**PART-A**

[Maximum Marks: 10]

(Answer *all* questions in one or two sentences. Each question carries 2 marks)

- I. 1. Define Latching current and Holding current.  
2. List any two applications of cyclo converter.  
3. Name any four method of triggering a thyristor.  
4. Mention any two advantage of ac drives over dc drives..  
5. Define Ladder diagram. (5 x 2 = 10)

**PART-B**

[Maximum Marks: 30]

(Answer any *five* of the following questions. Each question carries 6 marks)

- II 1. Explain the working of Silicon Controlled Rectifier.  
2. With necessary diagram explain UJT triggering method.  
3. Draw the single phase half controlled rectifier with R load and explain.  
4. Illustrate the basic working principle of Inverter.  
5. Explain the working of On-Line UPS.  
6. Briefly explain the Principle of Dielectric Heating.  
7. Draw the ladder diagram for the AND and OR gates. (5 x 6 = 30)

**PART-C**

[Maximum Marks: 60]

(Answer *one* full question from each Unit. Each full question carries 15 marks)

**UNIT – I**

- III (a) Draw the structure of IGBT and explain its working. (8)  
(b) Explain the VI characteristic of DIAC. (7)

**OR**

- IV (a) Mention various commutation techniques and explain auxiliary commutation. (8)  
(b) Explain the VI characteristic of TRIAC. (7)

**UNIT – II**

- V (a) Explain the operation of Series Inverter. (8)  
(b) Briefly explain Jone's Chopper. (7)

**OR**

- VI (a) Explain Single phase dual converter. (7)  
(b) Briefly explain single phase cyclo converter midpoint configuration. (8)

**UNIT- III**

- VII (a) Briefly explain servo controlled voltage stabilizer. (7)  
(b) Explain speed control of slip ring induction motor rotor on/off control. (8)

**OR**

- VIII (a) Explain speed control of dc series motor speed control. (8)  
(b) Briefly explain principle of induction heating. (7)

**UNIT - IV**

- IX (a) Explain the architecture of PLC. (8)  
(b) Explain the application of PLC. (7)

**OR**

- X (a) Draw the ladder diagram for a Half adder circuit and explain. (8)  
(b) Explain the benefits of PLC. (7)

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