

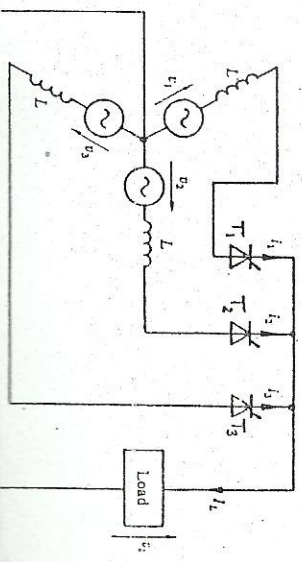
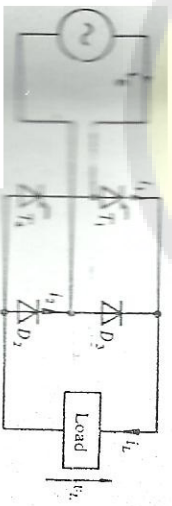
Fig. 1

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- Q1) For the inverter circuit of Fig. 1, the load voltage is as indicated on the graph paper. Assuming ideal devices, and $I_L(0) = 0$:
- (a) Calculate and plot the load current waveform on the same time axis. (20 pts.)
 - (b) Specify, clearly, the devices that are conducting for each region. (15 pts.)

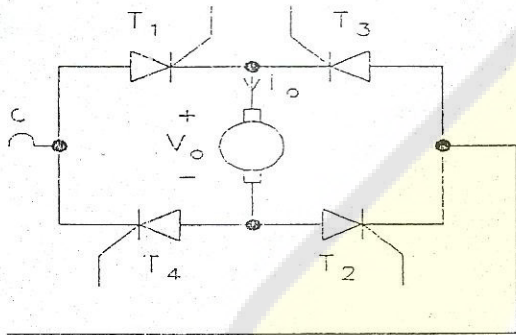
Q2) For the converter circuit of Fig. 2, the load is highly inductive, and the supply voltage is sinusoidal. Assuming ideal devices, determine the power factor of the supply current for $(V_L)_{mean} = 0.7 (V_{Lo})_{mean}$, where $(V_{Lo})_{mean}$ is the dc output voltage when the firing angle $\alpha = 0^\circ$. (35 pts.)

Q2) The circuit of Fig. 3, is supplied at a phase voltage of 220 V (rms), 50 Hz. The source inductance is 2 mH per phase. The load is highly inductive and consists of a 2.5 Ω resistance in series with a 0.5 H inductance. The required steady-state dc load current is 40 A. Calculate the value of the thyristors firing angle that produces this current. Assume each thyristor to have a volt-drop of 0.8 volts. (30 pts.)



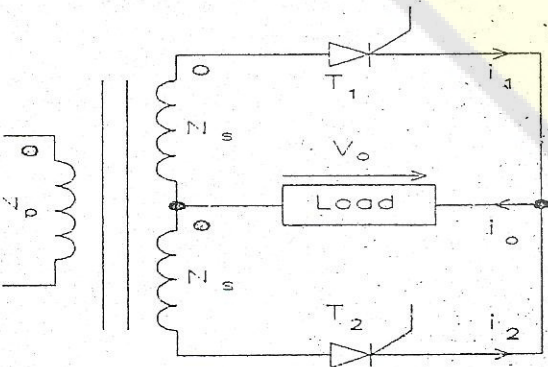
1: (40 marks)

A three-phase bridge converter shown is connected to a 220 V (rms), 50 Hz supply. The converter is in the inversion mode at a firing advance angle α and a level current of 20 A. Determine (a) the voltage drop due to the supply having a reactance Ω , (b) the voltage drop due to thyristors which thyristor has a voltage drop of 1.5 V, (c) the voltage drop due to supply and lead resistance, (d) the mean generator voltage, (e) the over-voltage factor, (f) draw a dc equivalent circuit to represent the converter with its components clearly marked.



1 2: (22 marks)

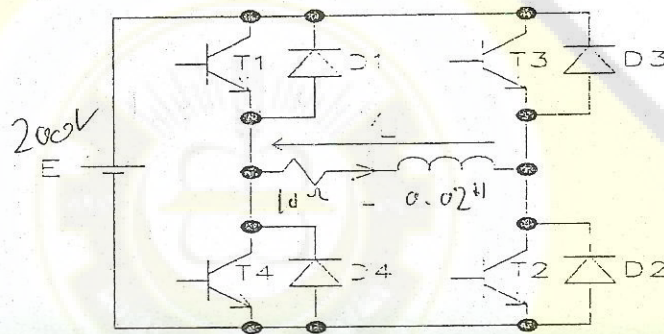
The circuit shown is supplied from a 220 V (rms), 50 Hz AC source. The step-down transformer has identical windings with a turns ratio $N_p/N_s = 3.40$. The load is highly inductive, and consists of an inductor of 0.1 H in series with a resistance $R = 10 \Omega$. The steady-state load current is level at 5 A. Assuming ideal devices, determine the power factor of the supply, its distortion factor and displacement factor.



Problem 3: (38 marks)

The single-phase inverter shown supplies from a 200 V dc source a load of 10Ω resistance in series with a 0.02 H inductance. The inverter is operating at 50 Hz, and its output is a square wave. The initial current in the load inductor is $I_L = -19.732$ A. Assuming ideal devices:

(a) Calculate and plot the load current and voltage waveforms on the same time axis for one cycle of operation only, (b) indicate on your plot the devices that are conducting in each region, (c) calculate the average power returned to the source, (d) what should be the peak voltage rating of the semiconductor devices while not conducting?



$f = 50$, $T = 20 \text{ ms}$
 $I_{L0} = -19.732$

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power factor of the supply current for the rectifier circuits shown in Figs. 1(a) and 1(b).
 it losses and assume highly inductive load. Show your work. (34 marks)

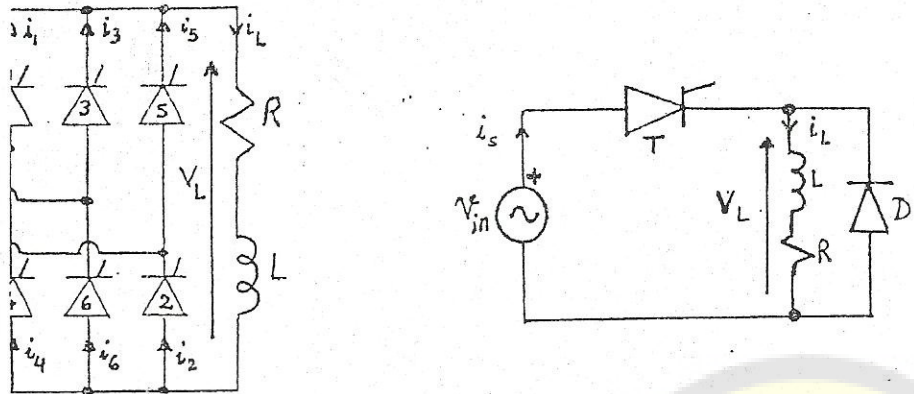


Fig. 1(b)

Fig. 2, the phase voltage is 220 V (rms), 50 Hz. The source inductance L_C is 2 mH. The load is highly inductive. The required steady-state dc load current is 40 A. Each thyristor has a forward voltage drop of 1.5 V and the value of the thyristors firing angle that produces the required load current, and draw a circuit to represent the rectifier with its components clearly marked. (34 marks)

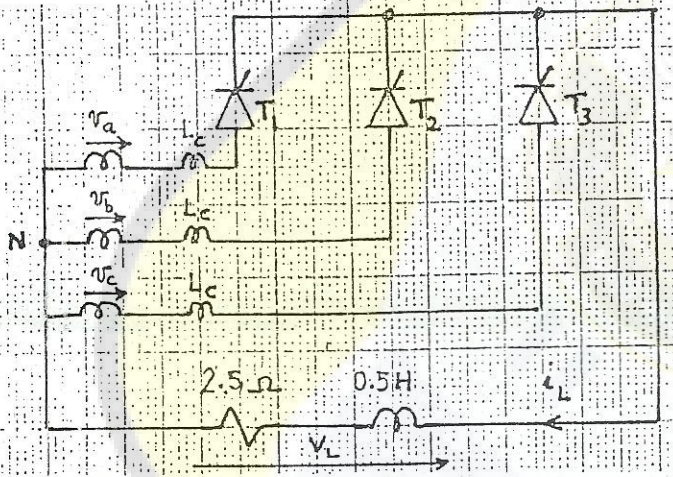


Fig. 3(a), the load is represented as an inductance $L = 4$ mH. The supply voltage is 100 V and the frequency is 2 kHz. The steady state load voltage is shown in Fig. 3(b). Assuming that the thyristor forward voltage drop is 1.5 V. Neglecting circuit losses: (a) Calculate and plot with clear labeling the steady state load current i_L on the x-axis of Fig. 3(b). (b) Specify the devices that conduct in each region. (32 marks)

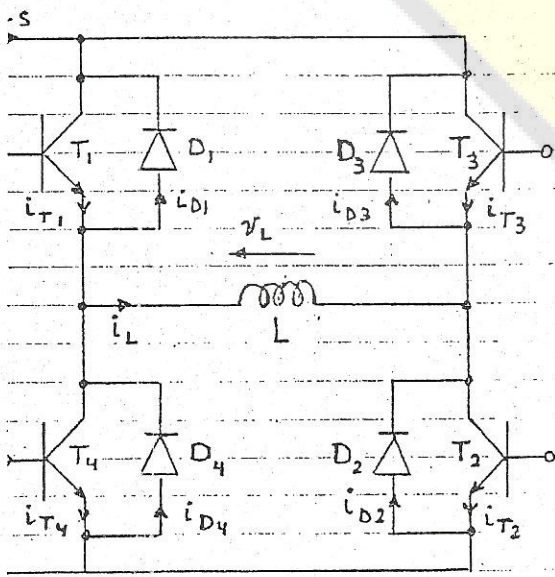


Fig. 3(a)

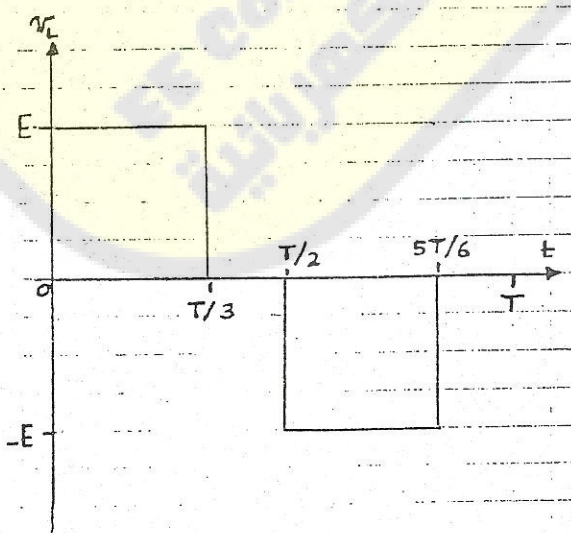


Fig. 3(b)