Examination	ENM061 Power Electronic Converters	
Date and time	Saturday January 19th, 2019, 14:00 – 18:00	
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Authorised Aids:	Chalmers-approved calculator (Casio FX82, Texas Instruments Ti-30, and Sharp EL-W531)	
Grades:	U, 3, 4 or 5. (The limit for a grade of 3, 4 and 5 on the exam are 20, 30, and 40 pts., respectively. The maximum number of points in the exam is 50.)	

The questions are not arranged in any kind of order and a formula sheet is attached in the last page.

1) Briefly answer the following questions. (4 pts.)

- (a) What do Fourier series coefficients represent in a signal and why do we need to calculate them in the output signals of a switch-mode power converters? (2 pts.)
- (b) Plot the Steadystate voltage-current characteristic of a MOSFET and an IGBT and describe the basic different between the two components during conduction? (*2 pts.*)

2) The flyback converter below has a protective winding (N_2) with the total turns ratio of the transformer as $N_1: N_2: N_3 = 1: 2: 2$ and input voltage $V_d = 20V$. The switching frequency $f_{sw} = 20kHz$, the duty cycle D = 0.3 and the mutual inductance $L_m = 100\mu H.$ (8 pts.)

- (a) For $R_{load} = 20\Omega$ and 60 Ω , calculate the average output voltage V_o . (4 pts.)
- (b) For case a, sketch the waveforms for v_{sw} , i_d and i_D . (2 *pts.*)
- (c) What type of core excitation is used in the flyback converter transformer and is there an air-gap in the core and why? (*2 pts.*)



3) The isolated 3-winding forward converter with $N_1: N_3: N_2 = 1: 0.5: 1$ shown below which basically is derived from a buck converter operates with an output voltage (V_o) of 15V and an output power (P_o) of 50 W for an input voltage (V_d) of 25V and a switching frequency (f_{sw}) of 20 kHz. (11 pts.)



- (a) Calculate the inductance (*L*) and the mutual inductance (L_m) in order to obtain the peak-to-peak inductor current ripple and magnetizing current ripple to be 10% and 1% of the average output current. (*3 pts.*)
- (b) Plot the inductor and capacitor current waveforms as well as $i_{1,}$ i_{3} , i_{m} and v_{sw} for one switching cycle. Show the important points clearly. (4 *pts.*)
- (c) Calculate the minimum capacitance (*C*) in order to limit the maximum peak-to-peak output voltage ripple to 1% of the average output voltage. (*2 pts.*)
- (d) What type of core excitation is used in the forward converter transformer and is there an air-gap in the core and why? (2 pts.)
- 4) For the half-bridge DC/DC converter shown below operating in continuous conduction mode (CCM), (6 pts.)



- (a) Roughly sketch the waveforms for i_L , i_{D1} and i_{D2} for one switching cycle. (2 pts.)
- (b) Derive the expression for the output to input voltage ratio (V_o/V_d) . (2 pts.)
- (c) Roughly sketch the magnetizing current waveform and indicate what type of core excitation is used in the transformer. What is the advantage of having this type of core excitation? (2 *pts.*)

5) For the single-phase inverter shown below with an input voltage $V_d = 300V$, (10 pts.)



- (a) For a square-wave operation, plot the output voltage waveform and calculate the magnitude of the fundamental component as well as the total harmonic distortion. (*3 pts.*)
- (b) For a square wave operation, which order of harmonics is present in the output ac-current? Can you explain what the impact of using a 3-phase inverter on these harmonics is? (3 pts.)
- (c) Using the inverter above, how can we improve the low-order harmonic content of the output voltage? (2 pts.)
- (d) What are the advantages and disadvantages of using a multilevel inverter instead of a two-level inverter as shown above? (2 pts.)
- 6) The thyristor rectifier circuit shown below is connected to the two-phases of a 50 Hz, 230 V (RMS) three-phase voltage sources, v_{s1} and v_{s2} with a phase shift of 120°. Assume that the source inductance (L_s) is 5 mH and that $I_d = 10A$ (current-stiff source). For a delay angle (α) of 35°, (11 pts.)
 - (a) plot i_{s1} , i_{s2} , v_d and calculate the average value of V_d . (5 pts.)
 - (b) Calculate the average value of V_d if the delay angle changes to 145°. (3 pts.)
 - (c) plot i_{s1} , i_{s2} , v_d and calculate the average value of V_d if the thyristors are changed to diodes and the source inductances are negligible. (3 *pts.*)



Fourier calculations

Symmetry	Condition Required	a_h and b_h
Even	f(-t)=f(t)	$b_h = 0$ $a_h = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(t) \cos(h\omega t) d(\omega t)$
Odd	f(-t) = -f(t)	$a_h = 0$ $b_h = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(t) \sin(h\omega t) d(\omega t)$
Half-wave	$f(t) = -f(t + \frac{1}{2}T)$	$a_{h} = b_{h} = 0 \text{ for even } h$ $a_{h} = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} f(t) \cos(h\omega t) d(\omega t) \text{ for odd } h$ $2 (\pi)$
Even	Even and half-wave	$b_h = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \sin(h\omega t) d(\omega t) \text{for odd } h$ $b_h = 0 \text{for all } h$
quarter-wave		$a_h = \begin{cases} \frac{4}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} f(t) \cos(h\omega t) \ d(\omega t) & \text{for odd } h \\ 0 & \text{for even } h \end{cases}$
Odd quarter-wave	Odd and half-wave	$a_{h} = 0 \text{for all } h$ $b_{h} = \begin{cases} \frac{4}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi/2} f(t) \sin(h\omega t) \ d(\omega t) & \text{for odd } h \\ 0 & \text{for even } h \end{cases}$

Definition of RMS-value: $F_{RMS} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{T} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T} f(t)^2 dt}$



Trigonometry

$$\sin^{2}(\alpha) + \cos^{2}(\alpha) = 1$$

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin(\alpha)\cos(\beta) + \cos(\alpha)\sin(\beta)$$

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos(\alpha)\cos(\beta) - \sin(\alpha)\sin(\beta)$$

$$\sin(\alpha)\sin(\beta) = \frac{1}{2}(\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\alpha + \beta))$$

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$$\int \sin(\alpha x)dx = -\frac{1}{a}\cos(\alpha x), \quad \int x\sin(\alpha x)dx = \frac{1}{a^{2}}(\sin(\alpha x) - \alpha x\cos(\alpha x)), \quad \int \cos(\alpha x)dx = \frac{1}{a}\sin(\alpha x)$$

$$\int x\cos(\alpha x)dx = \frac{1}{a^{2}}(\cos(\alpha x) + \alpha x\sin(\alpha x))$$

$$PF = \frac{P}{S} = \frac{V_{s}I_{s1}\cos\phi_{1}}{V_{s}I_{s}}, \quad DPF = \cos\phi_{1}, \quad \% THD_{i} = 100\frac{I_{dis}}{I_{s1}} = 100\frac{\sqrt{I_{s}^{2} - I_{s1}^{2}}}{I_{s1}} = 100\sqrt{\sum_{h\neq 1}^{2}\left(\frac{I_{sh}}{I_{s1}}\right)^{2}}$$

Electromagnetics

$$e = \frac{d}{dt}\psi \qquad \psi = N\phi \qquad \phi = BA \qquad R = \frac{l}{A\mu_r\mu_0} \qquad \qquad L = \frac{\Psi}{i}$$
$$NI = R\phi = mmf \qquad N\phi = LI \qquad L = N^2/R \qquad \qquad W = \frac{1}{2}Li^2$$

Capacitor and inductor current-voltage relationship

$$i_C = C \frac{dv_C}{dt} \qquad \qquad v_L = L \frac{di_L}{dt}$$