

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION SP2023)

CLASS: BTECH
BRANCH: EEE

SEMESTER : VI
SESSION : SP2023

SUBJECT: EE353 POWER ELECTRONICS

TIME: 02 Hours

FULL MARKS: 25

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
 2. Attempt all questions.
 3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
 4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates
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Q.1(a)	Discuss the ideal and practical $i-v$ characteristics of a power diode.	[2]	1 2
Q.1(b)	Explain with the help of a neat diagram the reverse recovery characteristics of power diodes.	[3]	1 2
Q.2(a)	State the necessary condition to turn-off a thyristor?	[2]	1 1
Q.2(b)	Using two transistor model of a thyristor, derive the expression of anode current.	[3]	1 2
Q.3(a)	State the differences between BJT and Power MOSFET.	[2]	1 1
Q.3(b)	Draw an explain the transfer and output characteristics of n-channel Power MOSFET.	[3]	1 1
Q.4(a)	State the turn-on conditions for SCR triggering.	[2]	1 1
Q.4(b)	Define latching and holding currents as applicable to an SCR. Show these currents on its static $i-v$ characteristics.	[3]	1 1
Q.5(a)	Explain the switching characteristics of Power MOSFET with proper waveforms.	[2]	1 2
Q.5(b)	Explain Class F line commutation technique for a thyristor.	[3]	1 1

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