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## (SEM II) ODD SEMESTER THEORY EXAMINATION, 2015-16 POWER SEMICONDUCTOR CONTROLLED ELECTRIC DRIVES

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

**Note:** This paper contains eight questions. Attempt any FIVE questions.

- Q1.Briefly explain the need for using an electric drive. Comment on the closed loop control of electric drives.
- Q2. What are the major performance parameters in the control of an electric drive? Explain the importance of speed and current sensing.
- Q3. Write an essay on the chopper based control of DC drives.
- Q4.Compare the role of the controllers (P,PI and PID) in the closed loop control of DC drives.
- Q5. How many types of slip power recovery schemes are there for the control of AC motor drives? Explain each of them using suitable diagrams.
- Q6.Explain the basic configuration of a brushless DC motor drive. Where does it find specific usage?
- Q7.Explain the principle of operation of the scalar and Field Oriented control techniques of AC motor.
- Q8. Explain the construction and principle of operation of a Switched Reluctance motor.