

**GOVT. POLYTECHNIC BALANGIR**  
**Department of Electrical Engineering**

**LESSON PLAN: 2025-26**

**Name of the Faculty: Saiswarup Patel ( Guest Faculty)**

**Subject: Fundamentals of Power Electronics (Th. 1)**

Program: Diploma in Electrical Engineering Semester: 4<sup>th</sup>

Total Contact Hours: 45 Total Marks: 100

Assessment: Progressive –30, End Term – 70

Credits: 3

**COURSE OBJECTIVES:**

At the end of the course the students will be able to

1. Explain the operating principle of power electronic devices
2. Select power electronic devices for specific applications
3. Describe the turn-on and turn-off methods of thyristors
4. Explain the operation and applications of phase-controlled rectifiers.
5. Discuss the operating principle of industrial control circuits.

**Unit 1: Power Electronic Devices (Total Classes: 10)**

| Class No. | Topic                    | Subtopic   | Teaching Aids/Activities  | Course Objective |
|-----------|--------------------------|--|---|------------------|
| 1         | Power electronic devices | Working of Power electronic devices              | Chalkboard definition writing                                   | CO1              |
| 2         | Power transistor         | Construction of Power transistor                 | Chalkboard definition writing                                   | CO1              |
| 3         | Power transistor         | Working principle of Power transistor            | PPT slides & short video clip                                   | CO1              |
| 4         | Power transistor         | V-I characteristics and uses of Power transistor | Chalkboard definition writing by using graphical representation | CO1              |
| 5         | IGBT                     | Construction of IGBT                             | PPT slides & short video clip                                   | CO1              |
| 6         | IGBT                     | Working principle of IGBT                        | PPT slides & short video clip                                   | CO1              |
| 7         | IGBT                     | V-I characteristics and uses of IGBT             | PPT slides & short video clip                                   | CO1              |

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| 8  | SET             | Concept of single electron transistor (SET) | PPT slides & short video clip | CO1 |
| 9  | Nano-technology | Aspects of Nano-technology (concept only)   | Chalkboard definition writing | CO1 |
| 10 | Nano-technology | Aspects of Nano-technology (concept only)   | PPT slides & short video clip | CO1 |

**Unit 2: Thyristor Family Devices (Total Classes: 10)**

| Class No. | Topic                                | Subtopic   | Teaching Aids/Activities                       | Course Objective |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|--|--|------------------|
| 11        | SCR                                  | Construction of SCR and Two transistor analogy of SCR                | PPT slides & short video clip with derivation. | CO2              |
| 12        | SCR                                  | Types, working and characteristics of SCR, SCR mounting and cooling  | PPT slides & short video clip.                 | CO2              |
| 13        | LASCR                                | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 14        | SCS & GTO                            | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 15        | UJT                                  | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 16        | PUT                                  | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 17        | DIAC                                 | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 18        | TRIAC                                | Symbol and construction, Operating principle And V-I characteristics | Chalk diagram on board by using graph          | CO2              |
| 19        | Power electronics Circuit Protection | Over-voltage and over current protection of circuit                  | PPT slides & short video clip                  | CO2              |
| 20        | Power electronics Circuit Protection | Snubber circuit and Crowbar circuit                                  | PPT slides & short video clip                  | CO2              |

| Unit 3: Turn-on and Turn-off Methods of Thyristors (Total Classes: 08) |   |   |   |                  |
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| Class No.  | Topic                                   | Subtopic  | Teaching Aids/Activities                          | Course Objective |
| 21   | SCR Turn-On methods                     | High Voltage thermal triggering and Illumination triggering   | Chalkboard definition writing                     | CO3              |
| 22   | SCR Turn-On methods                     | dv/dt triggering and Gate triggering  | Chalkboard definition writing                     | CO3              |
| 23   | Gate trigger circuits                   | Resistance and Resistance-Capacitance circuits  | Chalkboard definition writing and it's derivation | CO3              |
| 24   | SCR Turn-ON methods (Triggering method) | SCR triggering using UJT  | PPT slides & short video clip                     | CO3              |
| 25   | SCR Turn-ON methods (Triggering method) | PUT: Relaxation Oscillator and Synchronized UJT circuit   | PPT slides & short video clip                     | CO3              |
| 26   | SCR Turn-ON methods (Triggering method) | Pulse transformer and opto-coupler based triggering.  | Chalkboard definition writing                     | CO3              |
| 27   | SCR Turn-Off methods                    | Class A- Series resonant commutation circuit, Class B-Shunt Resonant commutation circuit, Class C- Complimentary Symmetry commutation circuit | PPT slides & short video clip                     | CO3              |
| 28   | SCR Turn-Off methods                    | Class D-Auxiliary commutation, Class E-External pulse commutation, Class F- Line or natural commutation                                       | PPT slides & short video clip                     | CO3              |

**Unit 4: Phase Controlled Rectifiers (Total Classes: 10)**

| Class No. | Topic                              | Subtopic   | Teaching Aids/Activities      | Course Objective |
|-----------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|------------------|
| 29        | Phase Controlled Rectifiers        | Phase control: firing angle, conduction angle.       | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4              |
| 30        | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase half controlled rectifier with R load   | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4              |
| 31        | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase half controlled rectifier with R-L load | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4              |
| 32        | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase Full controlled rectifier with R load   | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4              |

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| 33 | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase Full controlled rectifier with R-L load  | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4 |
| 34 | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase Midpoint controlled rectifier with R load                                      | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4 |
| 35 | Single Phase Controlled Rectifiers | Single phase Midpoint controlled rectifier with R-L load                                    | PPT slides & short video clip | CO4 |
| 36 | Freewheeling diode                 | effect of freewheeling diode  | Chalkboard writing            | CO4 |
| 37 | Bridge controlled rectifier        | Half bridge with common cathode and common anode, SCRs in one arm and diodes in another arm | Chalkboard writing            | CO4 |
| 38 | Bridge controlled rectifier        | Full bridge with common cathode and common anode, SCRs in one arm and diodes in another arm | Chalkboard writing            | CO4 |

**Unit 5: Industrial Control Circuits (Total Classes: 07)**

| Class No. | Topic                       | Subtopic   | Teaching Aids/Activities      | Course Objective |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|------------------|
| 39        | Industrial Control Circuits | Applications of Burglar's alarm system and Battery charger using SCR | Chalkboard writing            | CO5              |
| 40        | Industrial Control Circuits | Application of Emergency light system                                | PPT slides & short video clip | CO5              |
| 41        | Industrial Control Circuits | Application of Temperature controller using SCR                      | Chalkboard writing            | CO5              |
| 42        | Industrial Control Circuits | Illumination control/fan speed control TRIAC                         | PPT slides & short video clip | CO5              |
| 43        | SMPS                        | Construction and Working of SMPS                                     | Chalkboard writing            | CO5              |
| 44        | UPS                         | UPS: Offline and Online  | PPT slides & short video clip | CO5              |
| 45        | Circuit breaker             | SCR based AC and DC circuit breakers                                 | PPT slides & short video clip | CO5              |

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