

Power Quality
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Chapter - 14
Lecture - 37
Multipulse Converters

Welcome to the course on Power Quality and we will cover this Multipulse Converters which are used for power quality improvement on AC mains because these are AC-DC converters.

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- ❑ Introduction
 - Challenges in AC-DC converters
 - Multipulse AC-DC converters
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- ❑ Classification of Multipulse AC-DC converters
- ❑ Analysis of Multipulse Diode/SCR Rectifiers
- ❑ Analysis of Isolated Fork Connected Transformer Based AC-DC Converter
- ❑ Analysis of T-Connected Isolated Transformer Based AC-DC Converter



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These are the outlines of this lecture.

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Introduction

Challenges in AC-DC Converters

- ❑ The major problems in AC-DC converters are injection of harmonics at input and output.
- ❑ Harmonics cause dielectric, thermal or voltage stress, which cause premature ageing of electrical insulation.
- ❑ Voltage distortion at point of common coupling takes place due to the voltage drop of harmonic currents flowing through system impedances.



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Challenges in AC-DC Converters

- ❑ Capacitor bank overloading due to system resonance.
- ❑ Interference on telephone and communication lines due to noise induced from the power conductors.
- ❑ Poor power factor.
- ❑ Equipment damage from voltage spikes created by high frequency resonance resulting from notching.



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Multi Pulse AC-DC Converters

- ❑ **Multi pulse Converters:** Defined as diode/thyristor converters where the pulse number is > 6.)
- ❑ Generally the pulse number is a multiple of 6 (assuming 3-phase system), so 12, 18, 24-pulse circuits etc are possible
- ❑ A 12-pulse converter, for example, consists of two 6-pulse converters fed from a 6-phase supply and connected in series or parallel on the DC side (18-pulse has three 6-pulse circuits and so on)



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Pulse Number	Harmonics in input current (K=1,2,3,4...)	Ripple frequency on DC side
6	$6K \pm 1$	6^*supply
12	$12K \pm 1$	12^*supply
18	$18K \pm 1$	18^*supply
24	$24K \pm 1$	24^*supply



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Advantages of Multi-pulse AC-DC Converters

- ❑ The performance parameters such as total-harmonic-distortion (THD) of AC mains current and ripple factor of output DC voltage improve, simultaneously.
- ❑ The improvement is independent of supply frequency variation, unlike passive filters.
- ❑ Minimal or no control required as Diodes and/or thyristors are mainly used.



These are the advantages of multipulse AC-DC Converters

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Advantages of Multi-pulse AC-DC Converters

- ❑ Economic, maintenance free and efficient.
- ❑ Phase shifting transformers are used to derive multiple phase supply from three-phase AC mains using different combinations of transformer windings such as star, delta, zigzag, fork, polygon, etc.



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Application Potential

Non-Isolated Uncontrolled Rectifiers :

- Front end of Switched mode powers like- SMPS, UPS, AC-DC motor drives, dc servo drives.
- aircraft VSCF (Variable Speed Constant frequency) systems and aircraft maintenance systems using 60Hz/400Hz converter systems.

Isolated Uncontrolled Rectifiers :

- The railways working on DC.
- The welding equipment working on high frequency.



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Application Potential

Non-Isolated Controlled Rectifiers:

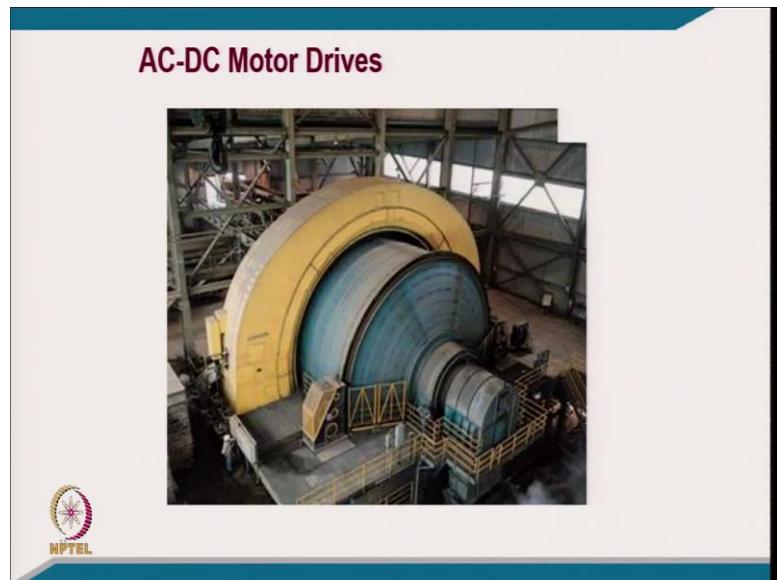
- DC motor drive system with regenerative capacity.
- Some power supplies of large rating also use non-isolated dual converters

Isolated Controlled Rectifiers :

- HVDC systems.
- Battery energy storage systems.
- Adjustable speed synchronous motor drive of large power ratings for applications such as mining.
- Arc furnaces



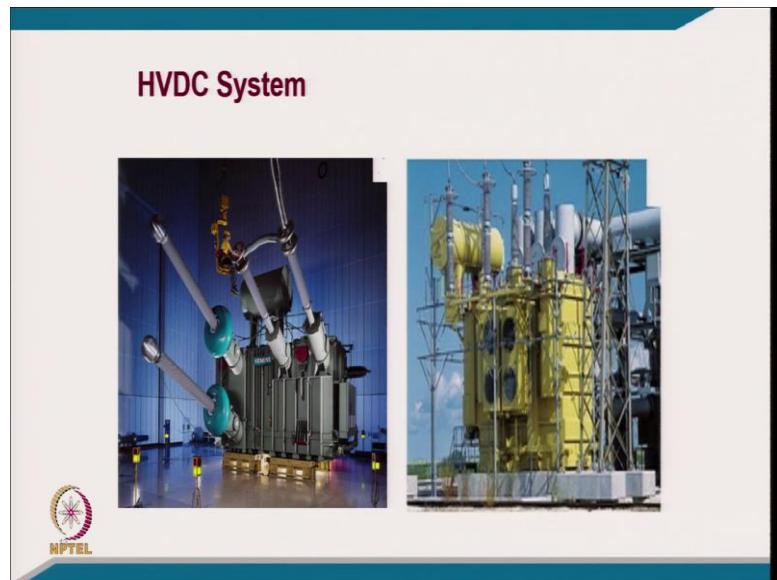
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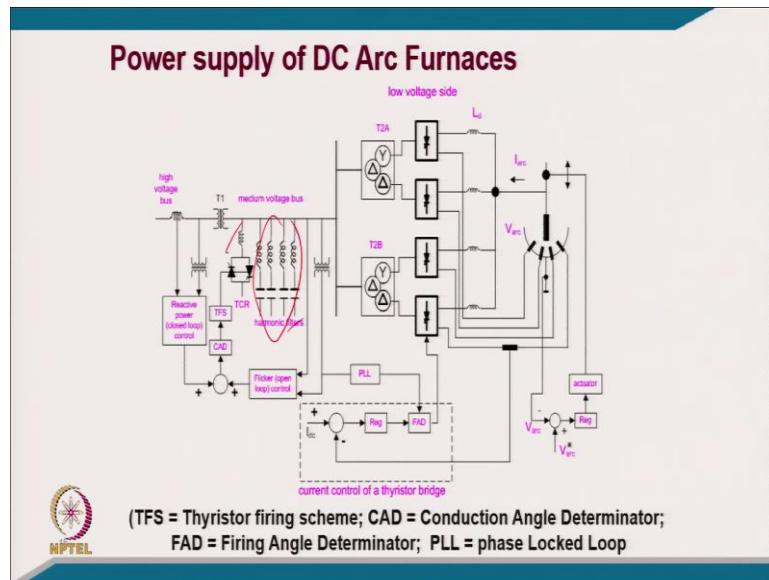
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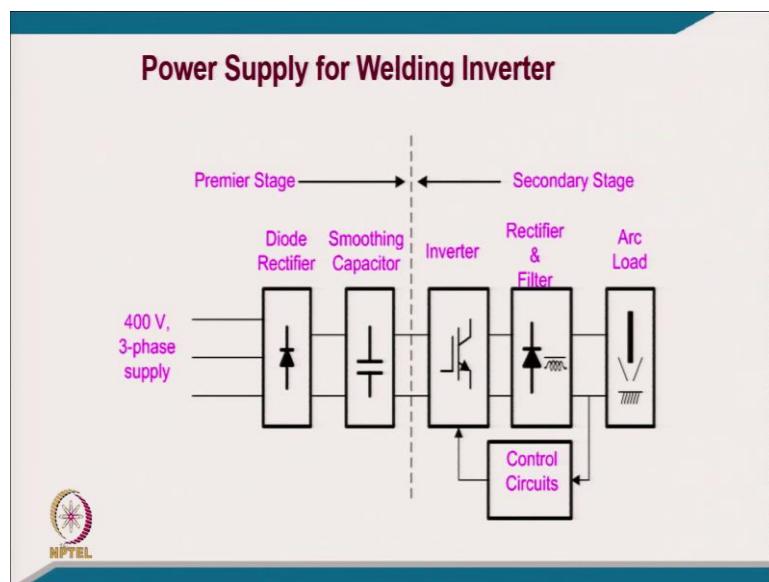
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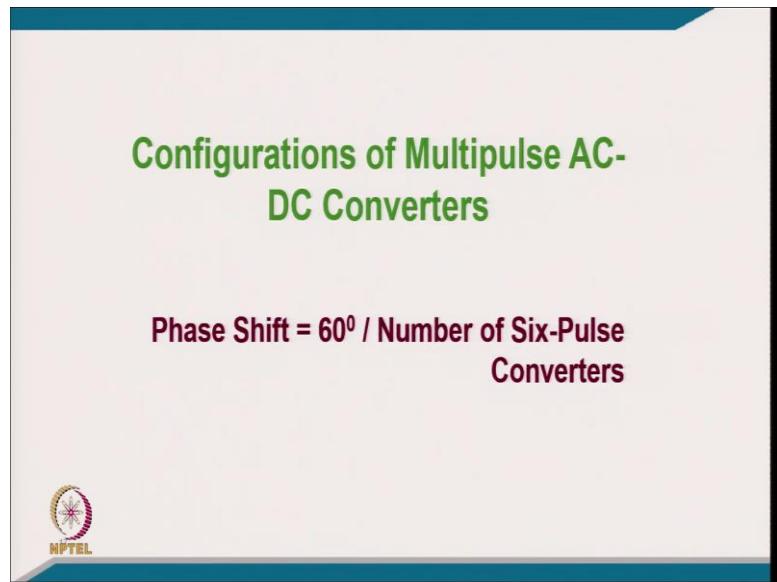
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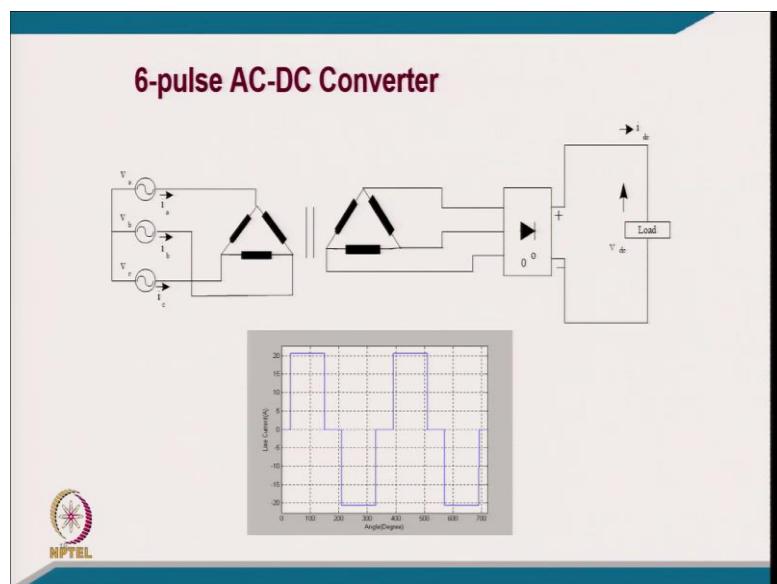
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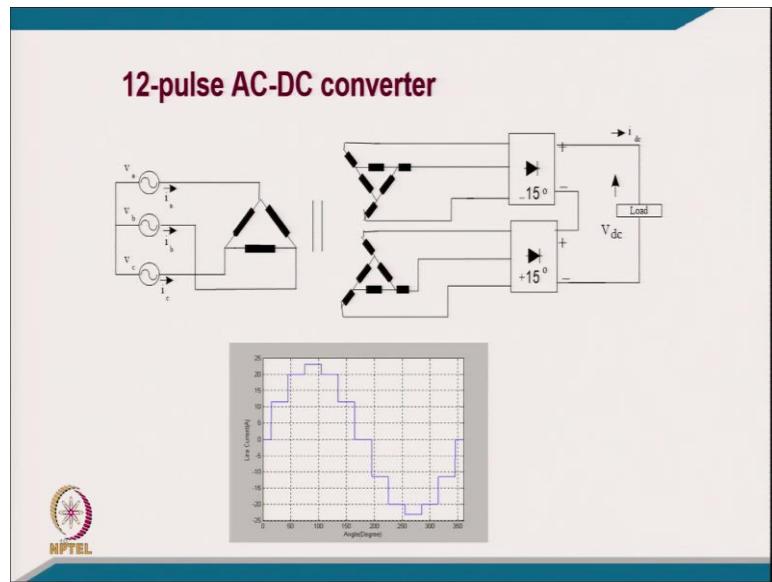
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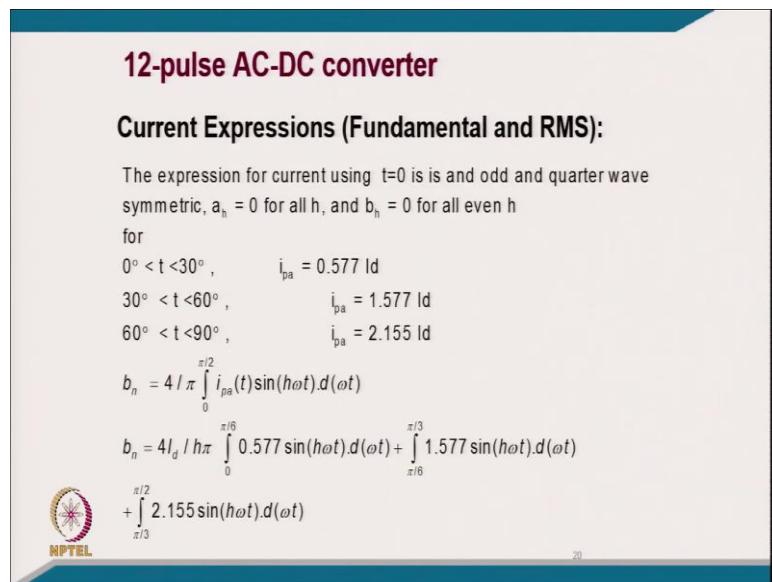
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$b_n = 4I_d / h\pi \left\{ 0.577 [\cos(0^\circ) - \cos(h30^\circ)] + 1.577 [\cos(h30^\circ) - \cos(h60^\circ)] + 2.155 [\cos(h60^\circ) - \cos(h90^\circ)] \right\}$

Substituting the above values for $h = 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13$,

$b_1 = 4I_d / \pi \{ 0.577 * 0.1339 + 1.577 * 0.366 + 2.155 * 0.5 \} = 2.205 I_d$

$b_3 = 0$

$b_5 = 4I_d / 5\pi \{ 0.577 * 1.866 + 1.577 * (-0.366) + 2.155 * 0.5 \} = 0$

$b_7 = 4I_d / 7\pi \{ 0.577 * 1.866 + 1.577 * (-0.366) + 2.155 * 0.5 \} = 0$

$b_9 = 0$

$b_{11} = 4I_d / h\pi \{ 0.577 * 0.1339 + 1.577 * 0.366 + 2.155 * 0.5 \} = 2.205 I_d$

$b_{13} = 4I_d / h\pi \{ 0.577 * 0.1339 + 1.577 * 0.366 + 2.155 * 0.5 \} = 2.205 I_d$

Therefore, $b_1 = 2.205 I_d, b_5 = 0, b_7 = 0, b_9 = 0.2 I_d$ and $b_{13} = 0.1696 I_d$

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Fundamental current $i(t) = 2.205 I_d \sinh(\omega t)$

$I_{s1}(\text{RMS}) = (2.205/2) * I_d = 1.559 I_d$

RMS current (I_s) = $\sqrt{(I_1^2 + I_{11}^2 + I_{13}^2)} = (1/\sqrt{2}) \sqrt{2.205^2 + 0.2^2 + 0.1696^2}$

$I_s = 1.577 I_d$

expression for 12-pulse current is given as

$i_{pa}(t) = I_d [2.205 \sin \omega t + 0.2 \sin 11\omega t + 0.1696 \sin 13\omega t + \dots]$

THD = $[(I_s^2 - I_{s1}^2)/I_{s1}^2]^{1/2}$

In 12-pulse LCI

$I_s = 1.577 * I_d$ (This is sum of $0.816 I_d \angle 30^\circ + 0.816 I_d \angle 0^\circ$)

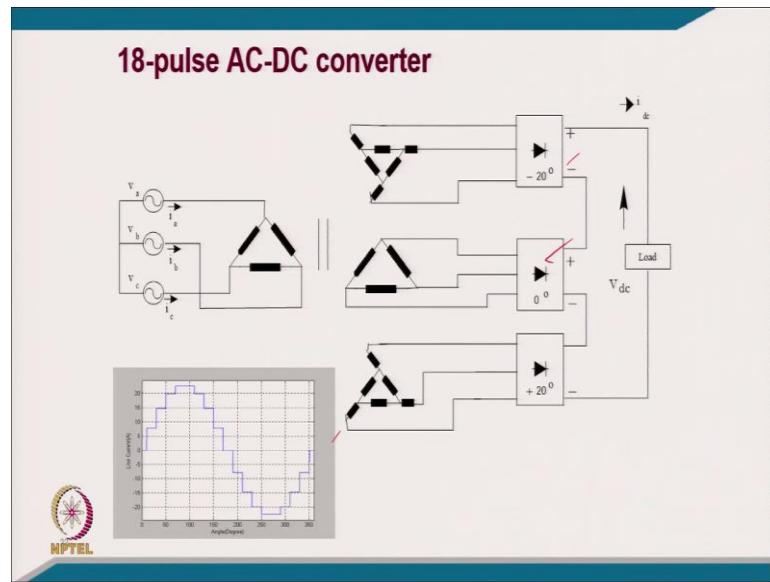
$I_{s1} = \sqrt{6/\pi} * I_d = 1.559 * I_d$

THD = $[(1.577 I_d^2 - 1.559 I_d^2)/1.559 I_d^2]^{1/2} * 100$

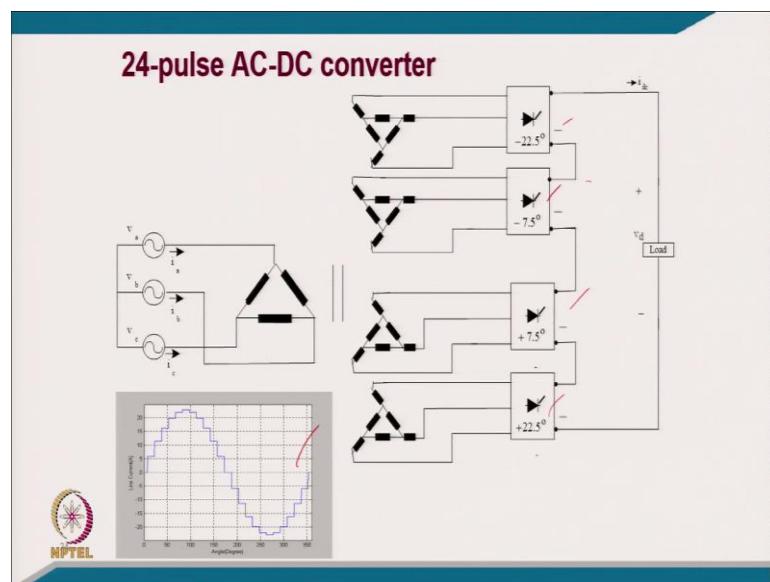
THD = 15.08%

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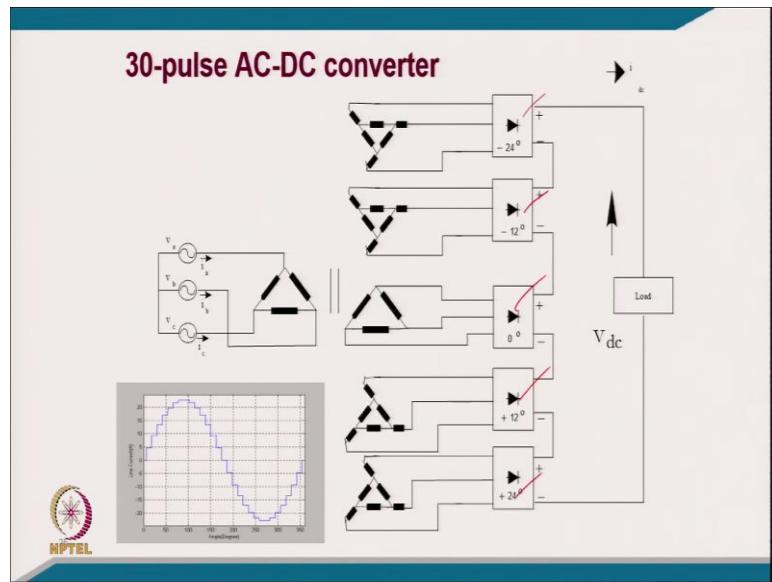
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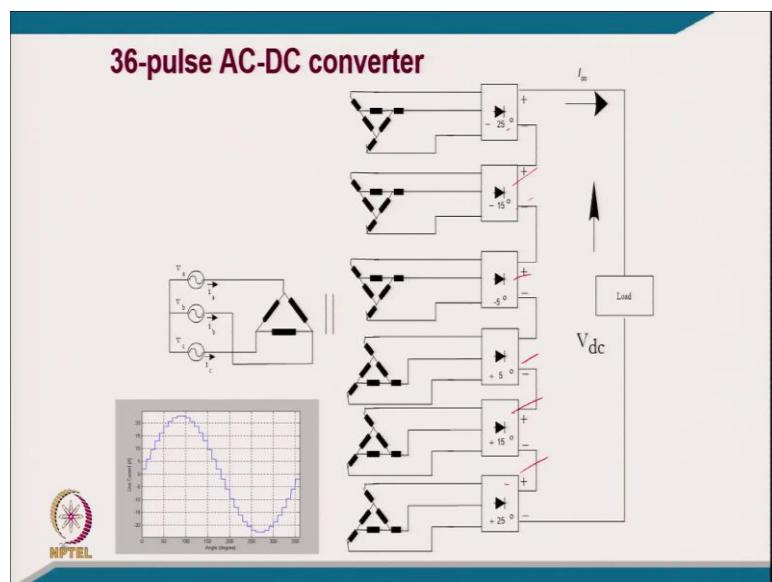
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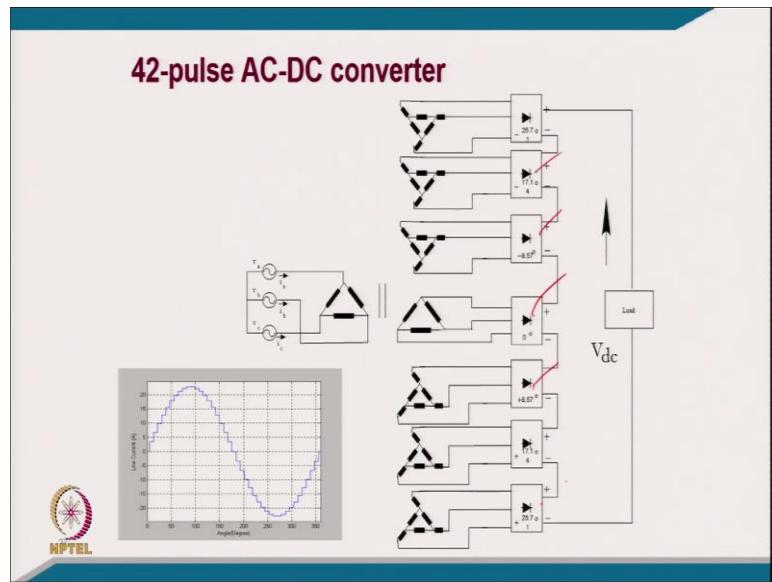
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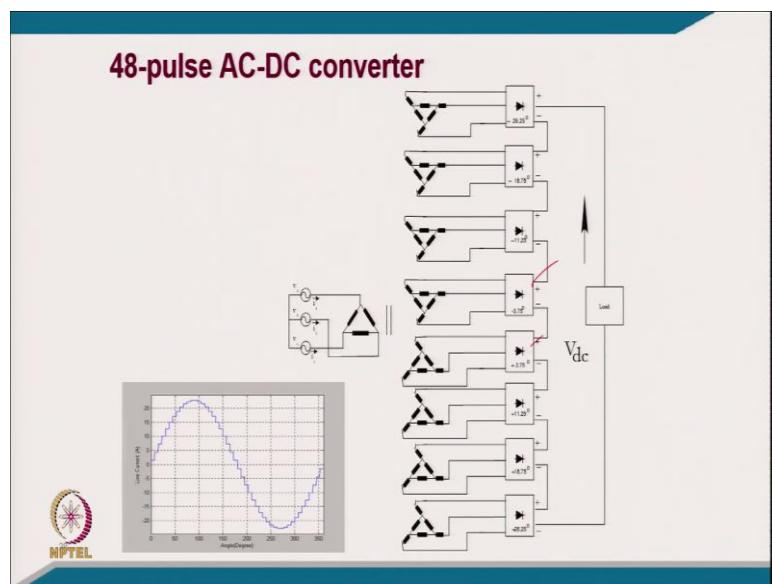
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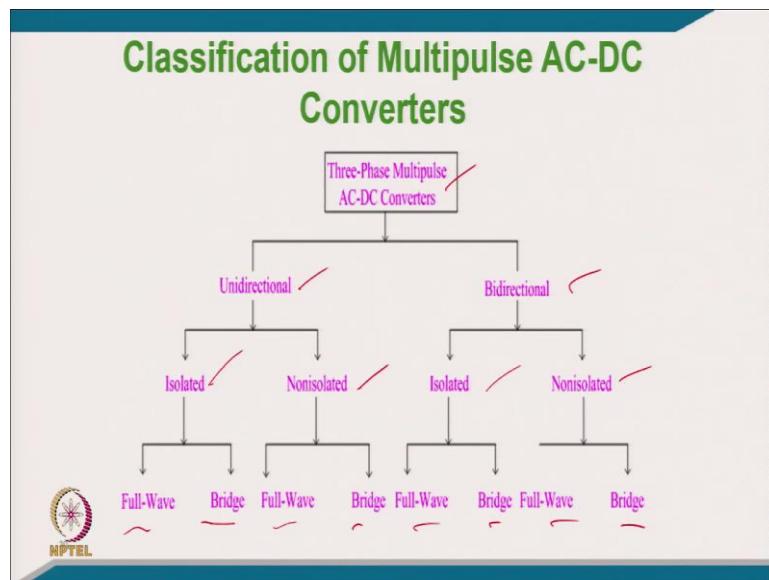
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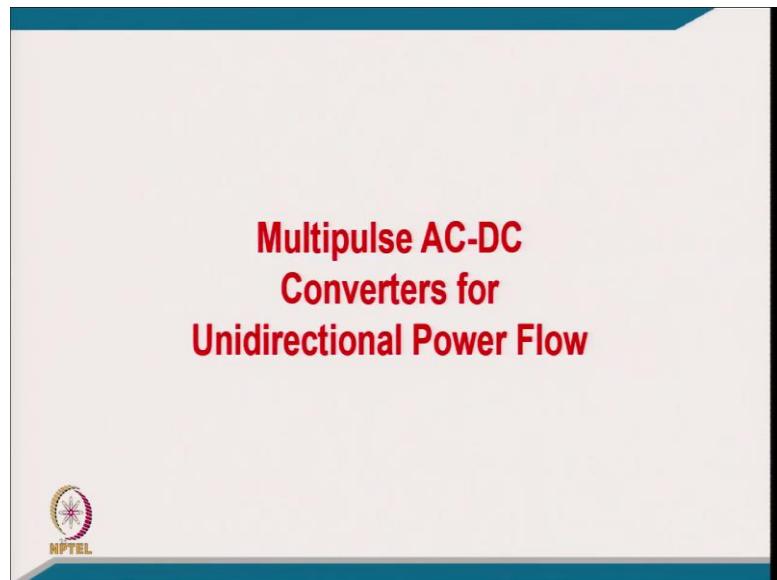
Performance Comparison of Different Multipulse AC-DC Converters at DC Load Current of 35.78 A								
Sl. No	No. of pulses	RMS AC Line Current (A)	(%)THD of AC Current	Pf	Output Voltage (Volt)	Output Power (kW)	Ripple Factor (%)	Peak To peak Ripple (%)
1.	6 pulse	16.865	31.0842	0.9549	559.047	20	4.1969	14.0958
2.	12 pulse	16.2899	15.2194	0.9886	559.047	20	1.0289	3.5433
3.	18 pulse	16.1865	10.1075	0.9949	559.047	20	0.4563	1.6336
4.	24 pulse	16.1506	7.5705	0.9971	559.047	20	0.2573	0.9695
5.	30 pulse	16.1328	6.0535	0.9982	559.047	20	0.1659	0.6632
6.	36 pulse	16.1255	5.0418	0.9987	559.047	20	0.1167	0.4979
7.	42 pulse	16.1201	4.3219	0.9991	559.047	20	0.0876	0.3931
8.	48 pulse	16.1164	3.7802	0.9993	559.047	20	0.0691	0.3330

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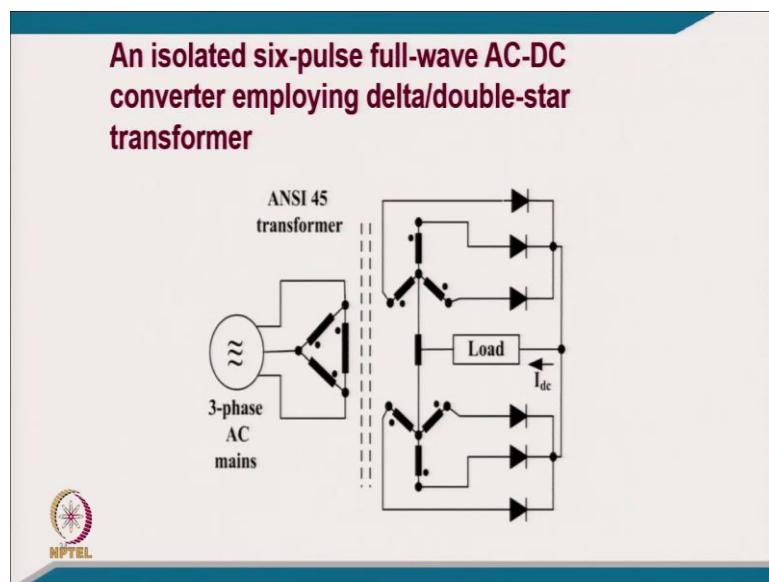
Isolated Unidirectional Multipulse Full-Wave AC-DC Converters

These are possible with different transformer connections as,

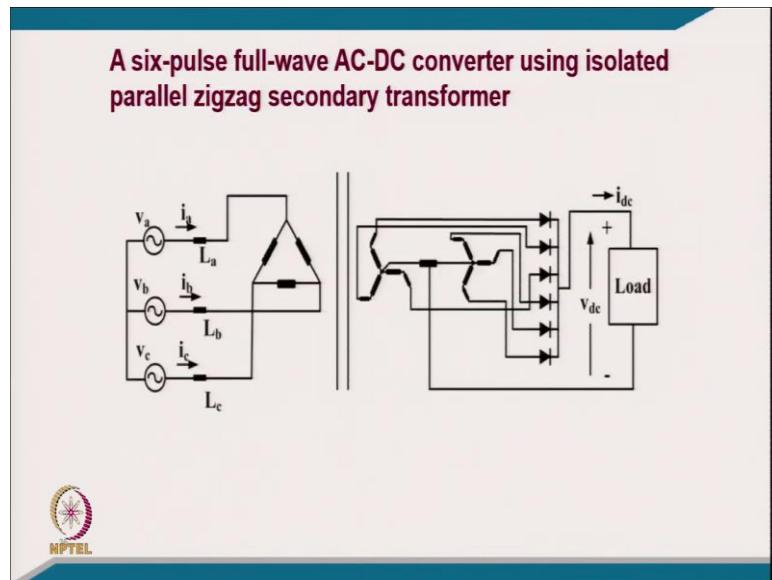
- Star Connection
- Zig-zag Connection
- T-Connection



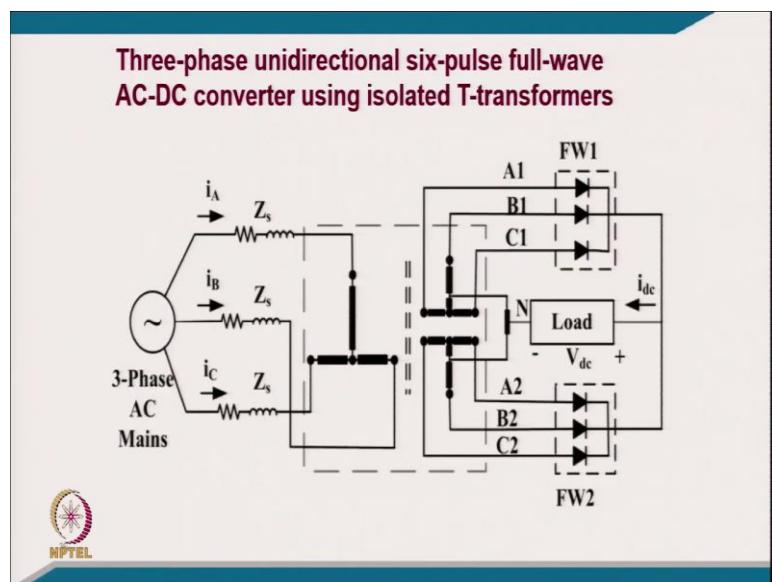
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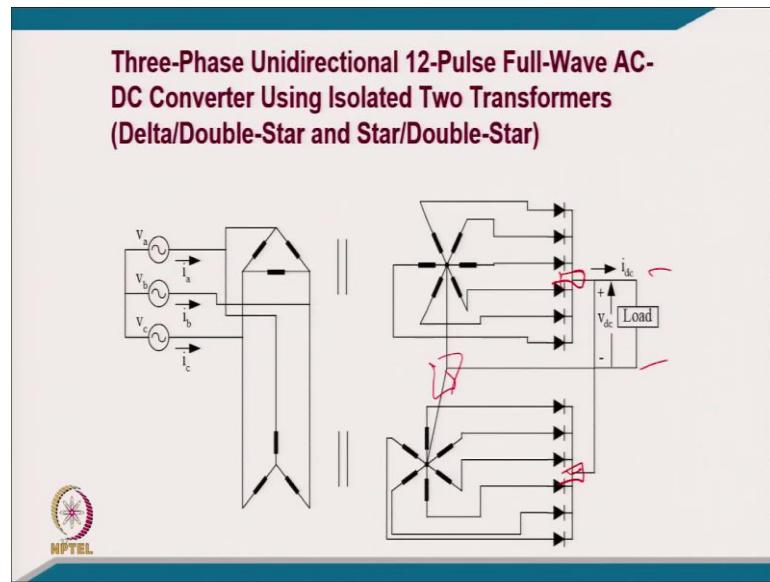
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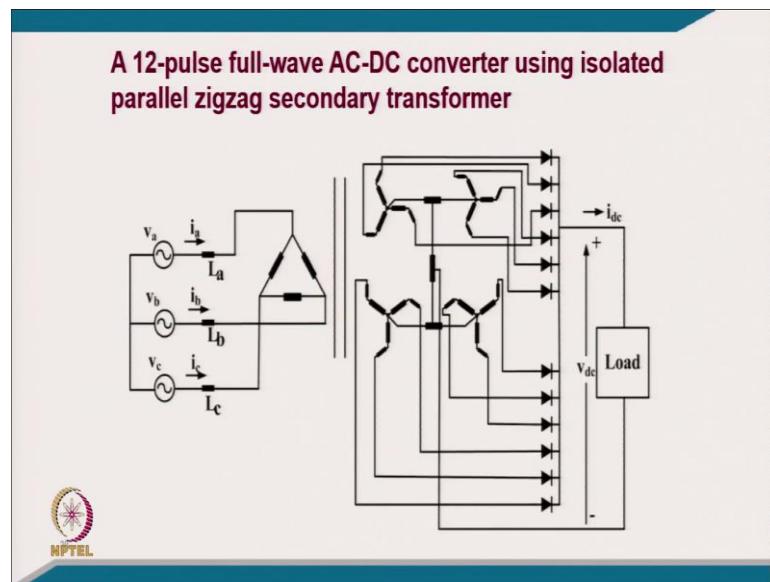
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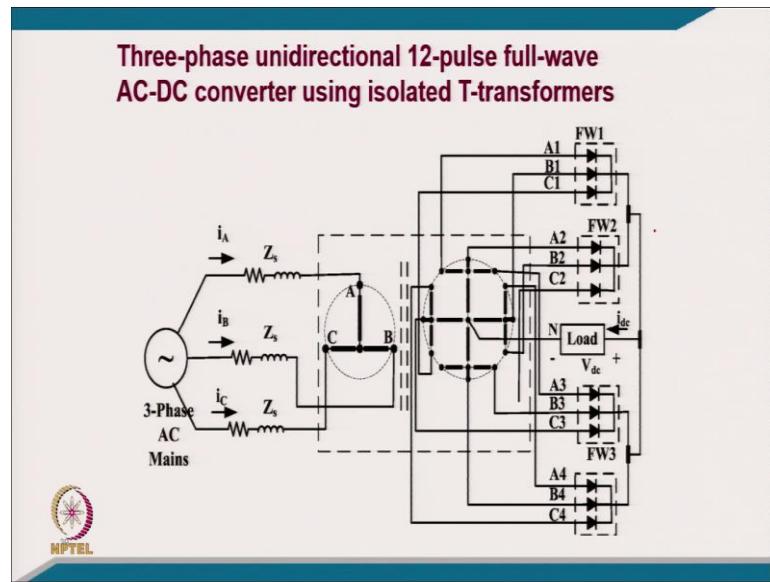
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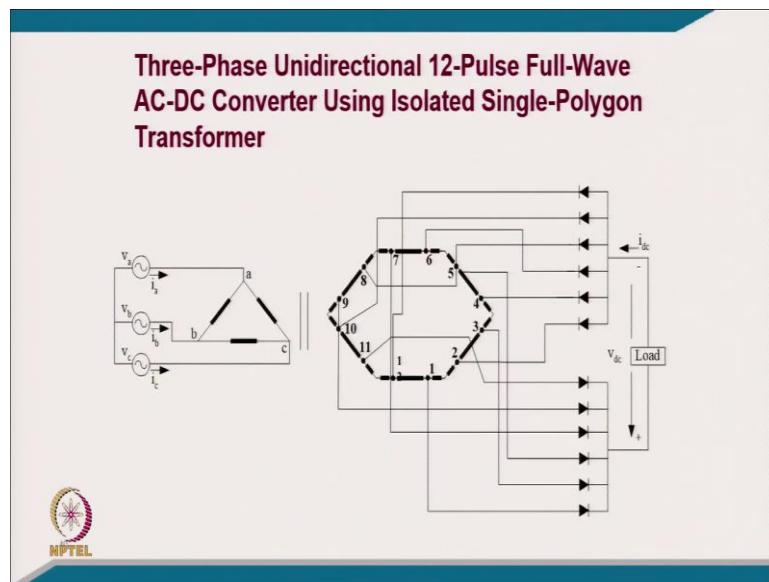
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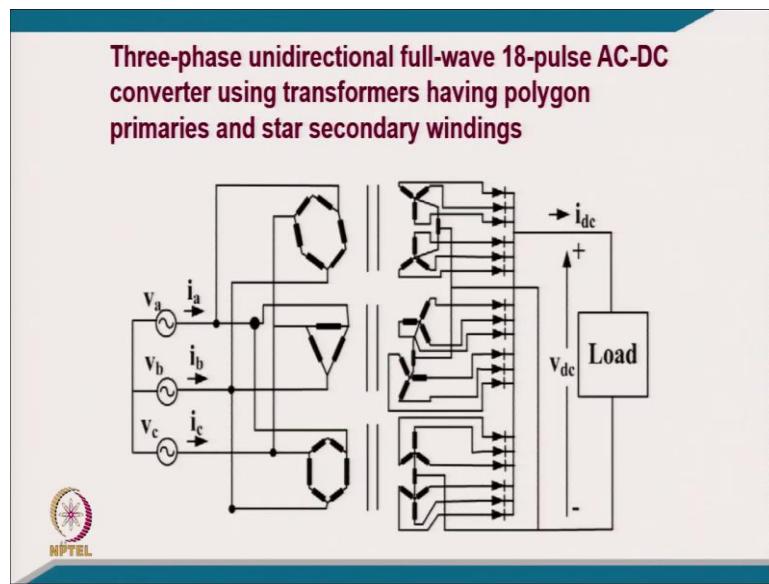
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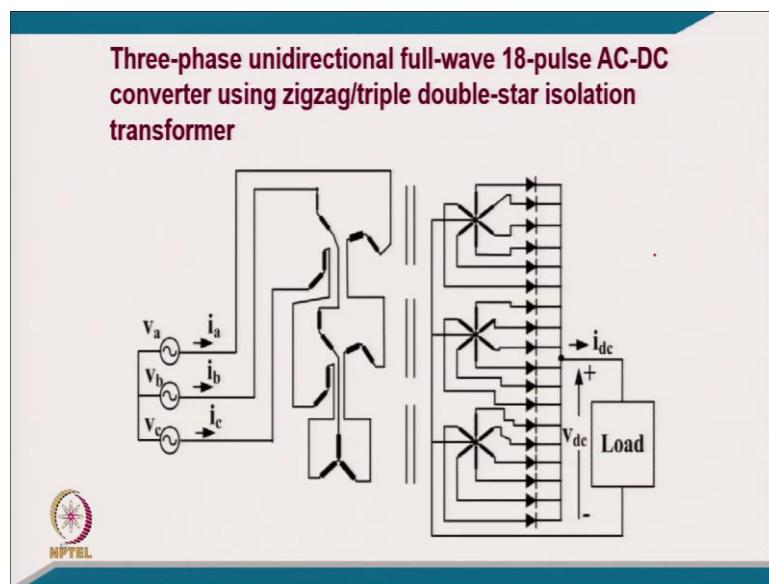
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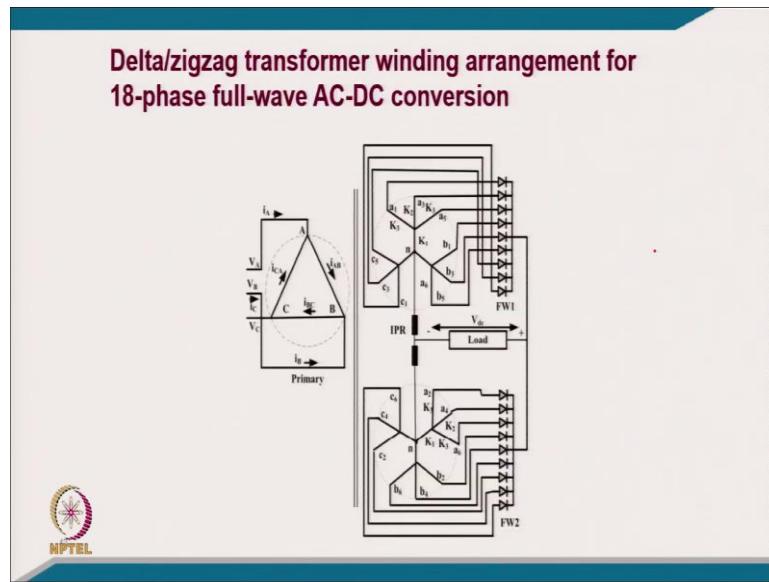
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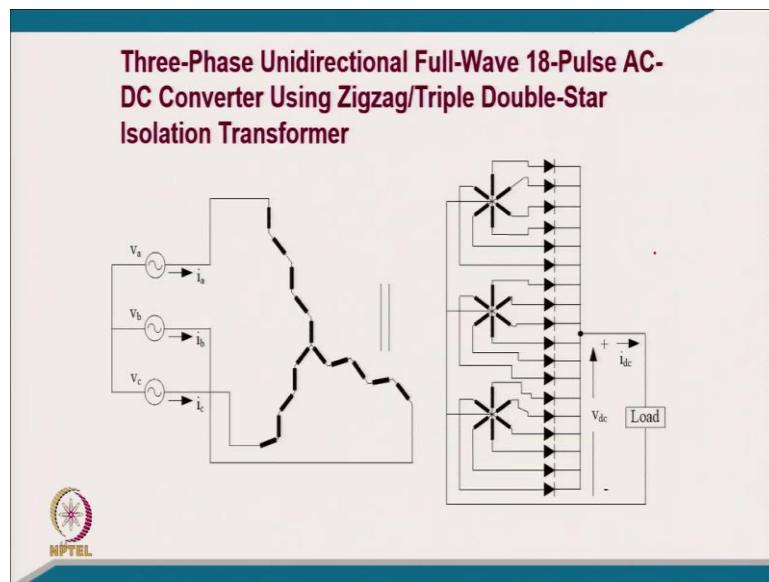
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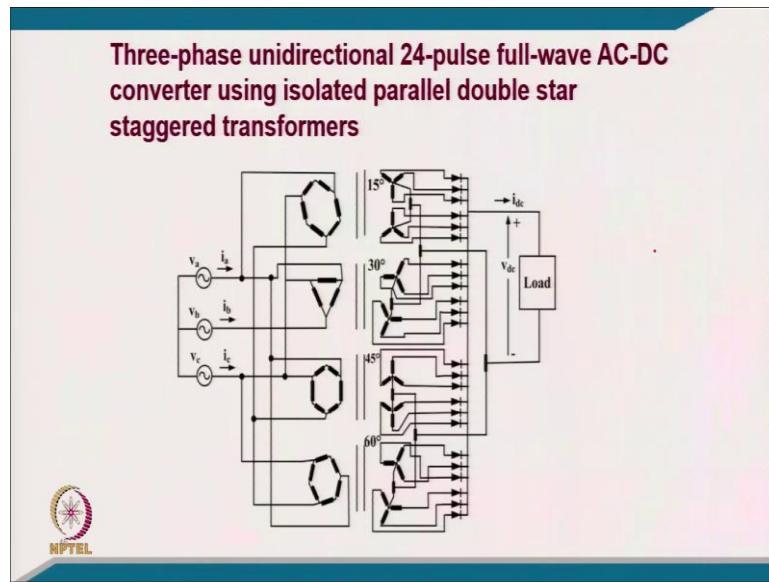
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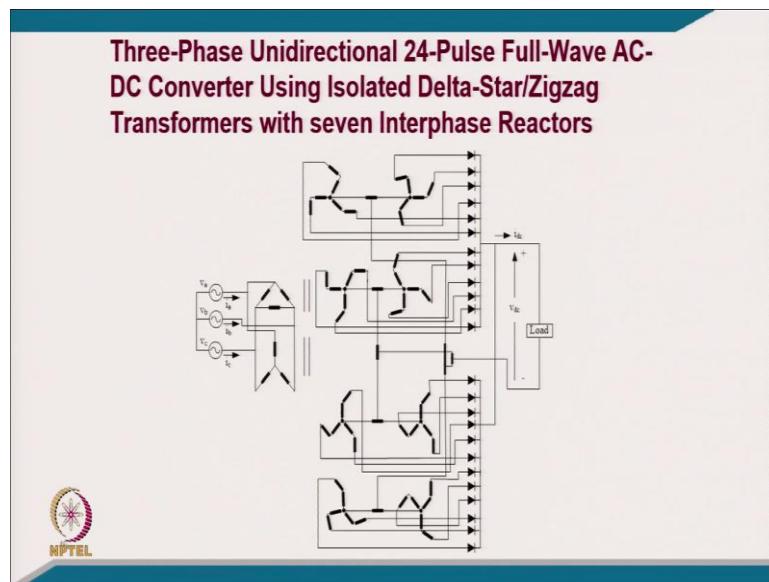
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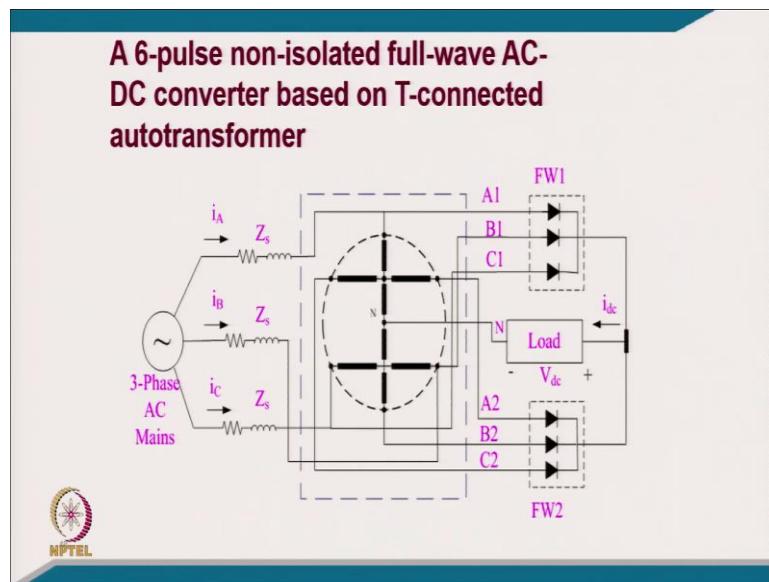
Non-Isolated Unidirectional Multipulse Full-Wave AC-DC Converters

These are possible with the transformers connections with neutral terminal as,

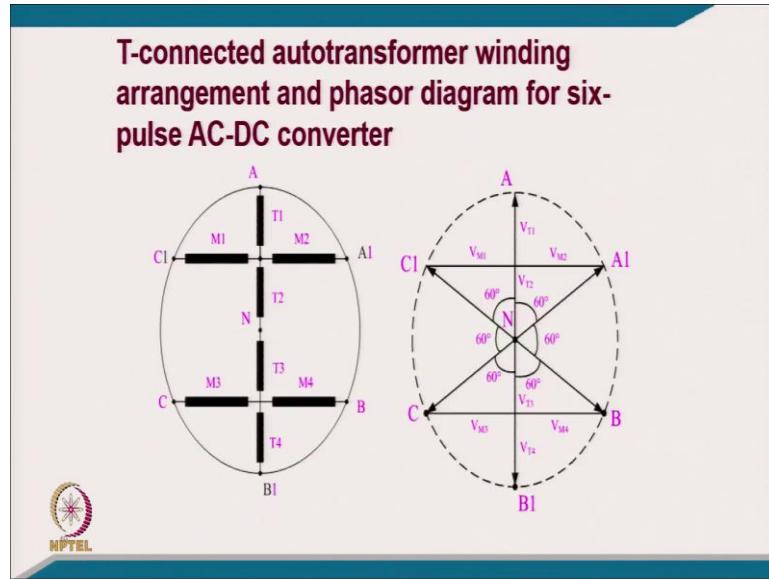
- Star Connection
- Zig-zag Connection
- T-Connection
- Scott Connection



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Design of T-connected transformer for six-pulse AC-DC converter

- ❑ The T-connected transformer for six-pulse AC-DC converter is made up of two single-phase transformers, M (main) and T (teaser) connected orthogonally on primary and provides a neutral point.
- ❑ The transformer T has four windings (connected vertically) while the transformer M has four windings (connected horizontally).
- ❑ The voltages of these windings in terms of the supply phase voltage V_A can be determined as:
$$V_{T1} = V_A (1 - \cos 60^\circ) = 0.5 V_A$$
$$V_{T2} = V_A \cos 60^\circ = 0.5 V_A$$

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$$V_{M1} = V_A \sin 60^\circ = 0.866 V_{LP}$$
$$V_{M2} = V_{M1}$$

□ The values of constants giving winding voltage as the fraction of input phase voltage for 12-pulse, 18-pulse and 24-pulse converter configurations can be determined in a similar way and these are found as:

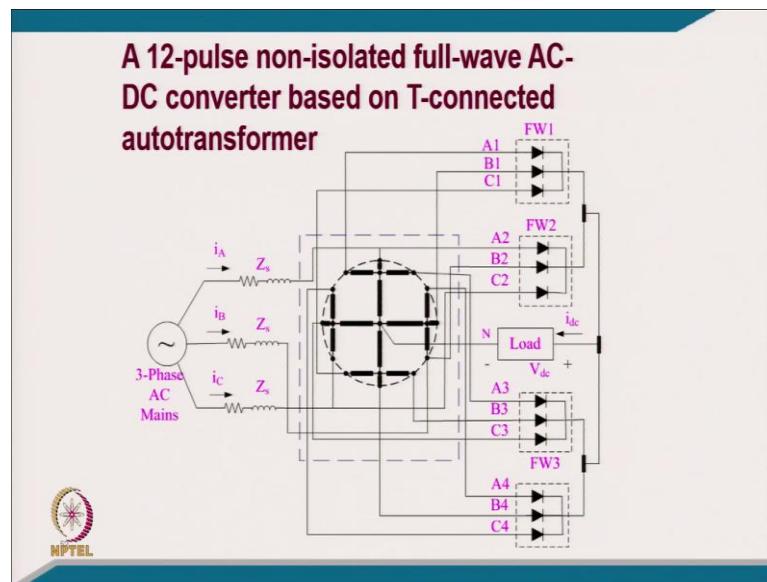
12-Pulse converter: $K_1=0.07735$; $K_2=0.5$; $K_3=0.2886$;

18-Pulse converter: $K_{21}=0.0603$; $K_{23}=0.1736$;
 $K_{23}=0.766$; $K_{24}=0.5$; $K_{25}=0.1736$; $K_{26}=0.1188$;
 $K_{27}=0.866$; $K_{28}=0.342$; $K_{29}=0.6428$

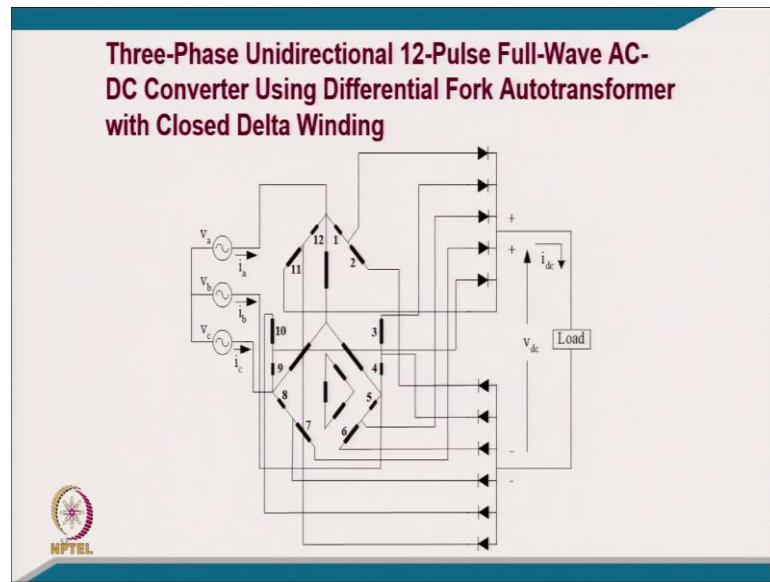
24-Pulse converter: $K_{31}=0.0114$; $K_{32}=0.0333$;
 $K_{33}=0.0529$; $K_{34}=0.2356$; $K_{35}=0.1666$; $K_{36}=0.0863$;
 $K_{37}=0.2357$; $K_{38}=0.2886$



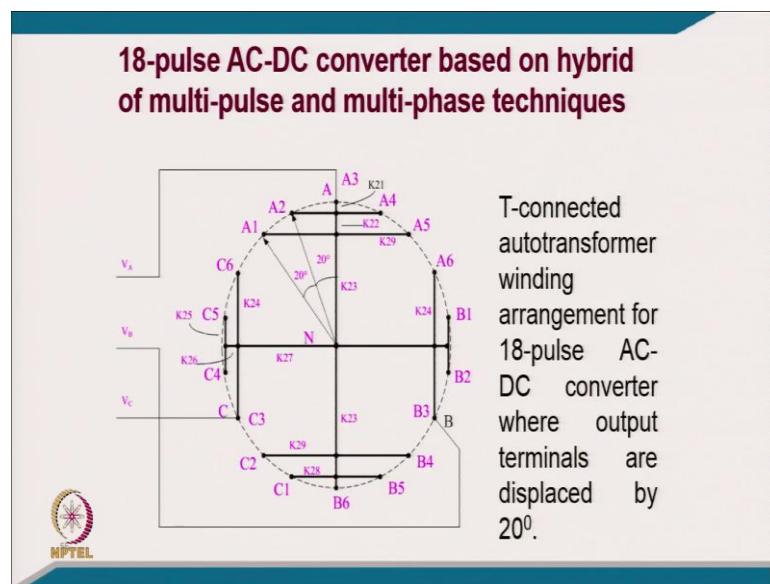
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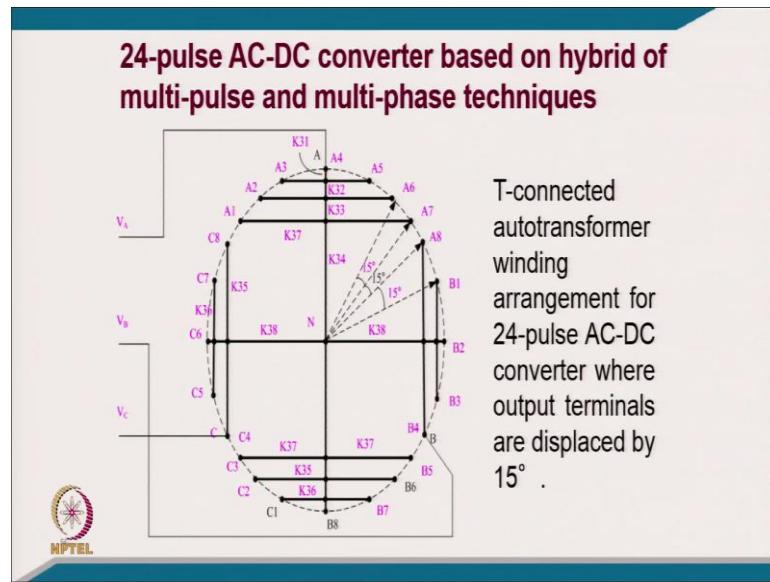
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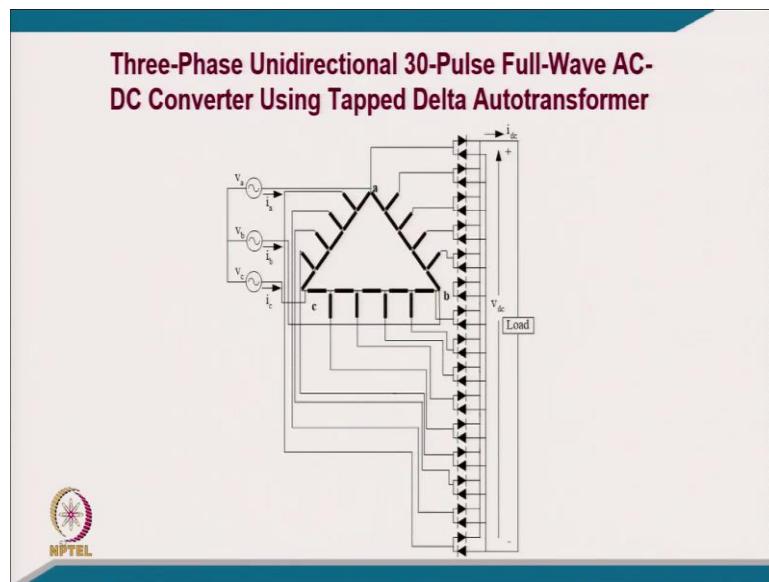
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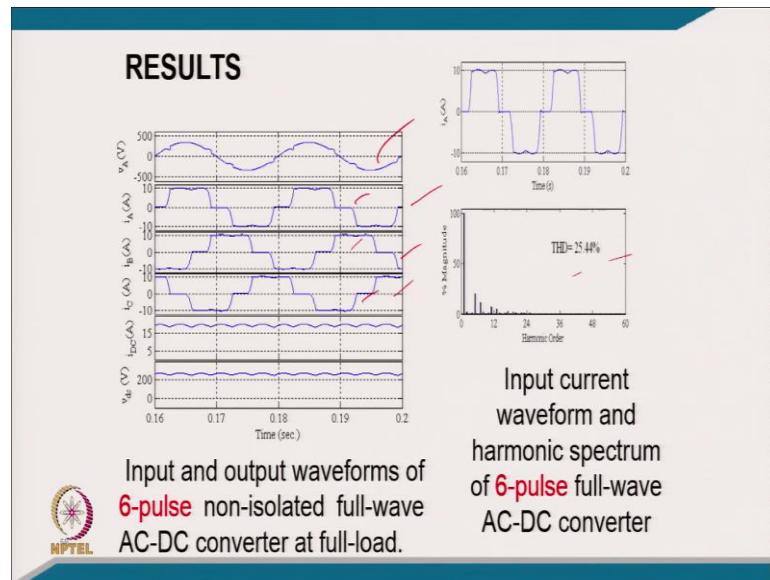
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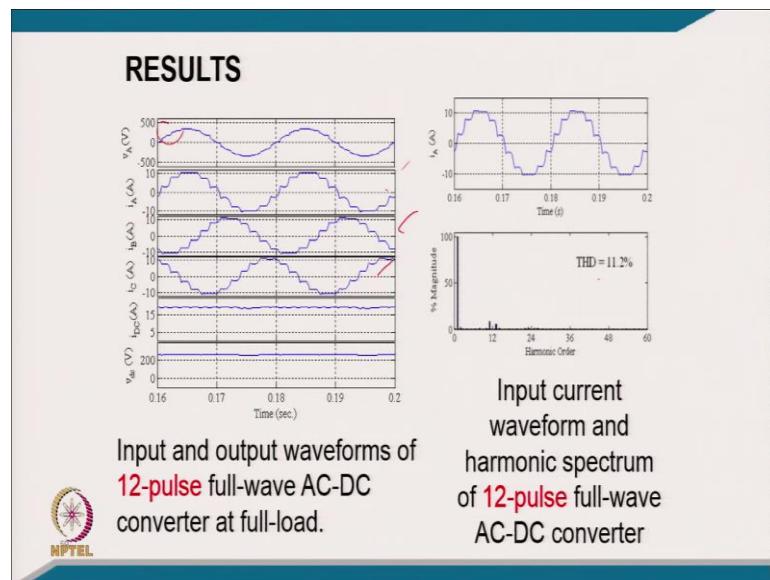
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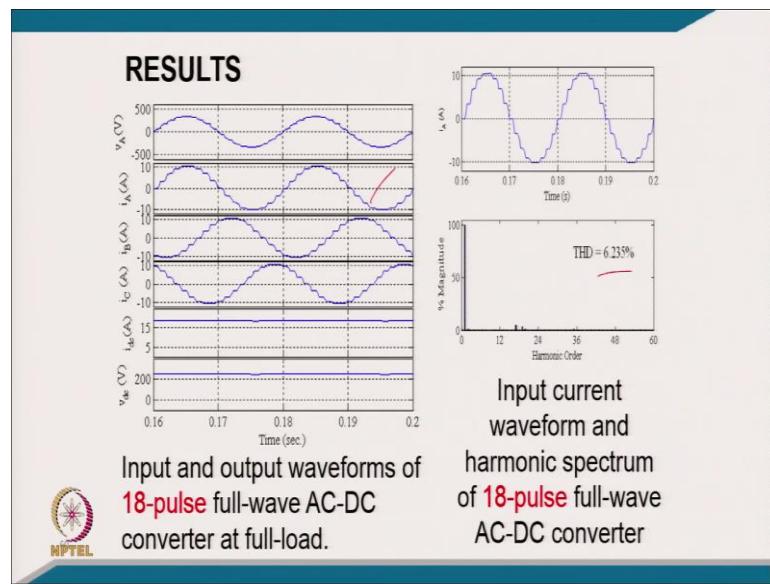
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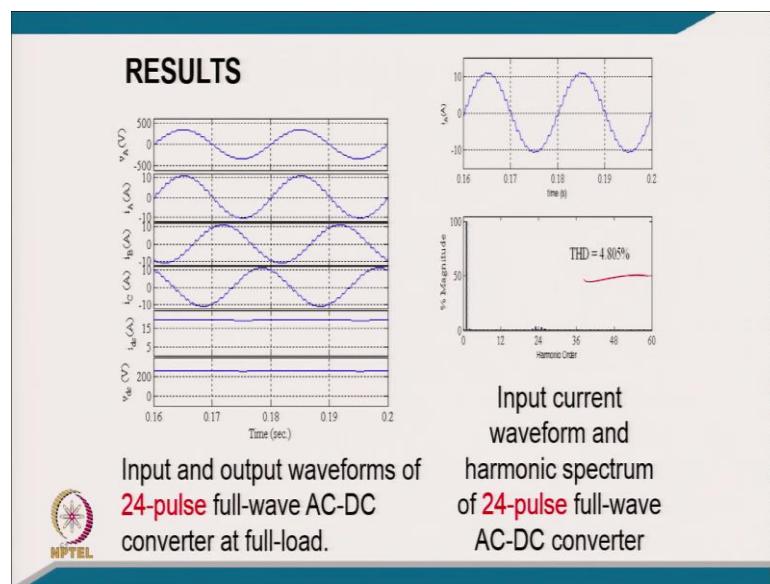
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Topology	Input Power, % Full-Load	%THD of V_A	AC Mains Current I_A (A)	% THD of I_A	Distortion Factor, DF	Displacement Factor DPF	Power Factor, PF	DC Voltage V_{dc} (V _{dc})	Load Current I_{dc} (A)	RF
6-pulse	20	2.05	1.675	28.67	0.9611	0.9989	0.960	276.5	4.09	4.43
	40	3.42	3.288	27.68	0.9632	0.9958	0.959	273.4	8.09	4.00
	50	4.01	4.077	27.24	0.964	0.9943	0.958	271.9	10.06	3.74
	60	4.57	4.857	26.83	0.9648	0.9929	0.958	270.5	12.0	3.49
	80	5.58	6.387	26.09	0.9661	0.9904	0.956	267.5	15.83	3.04
	100	6.49	7.879	25.44	0.9671	0.9881	0.955	264.7	19.58	2.69



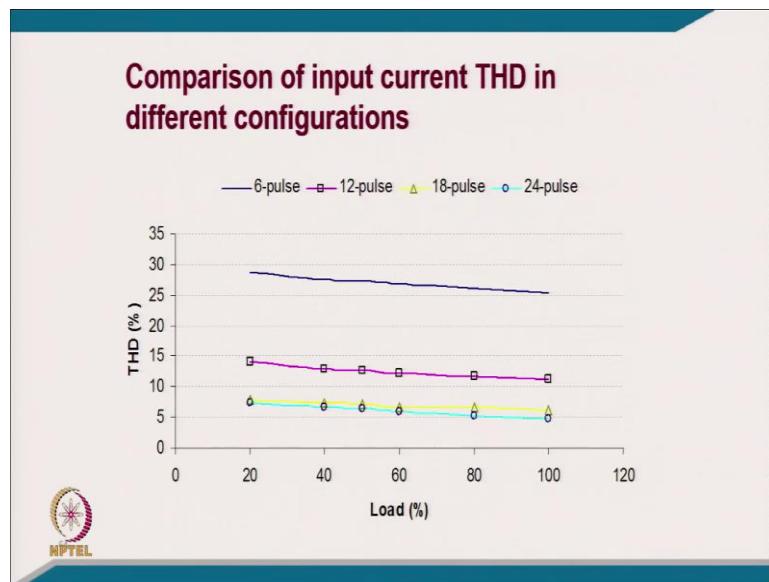
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Sr. No.	Topology	% THD of V_A	AC Mains Current I_A (A)		% THD of I_A		Distortion Factor		Displacement Factor		Power Factor		DC Voltage (V)	
			Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full
			Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load
1	A*	4.24	1.647	7.815	27.58	24.09	0.9825	0.9712	0.9945	0.9771	0.9586	0.949	285.3	277
2	6-pulse	6.49	1.675	7.879	28.67	25.44	0.9611	0.9671	0.9889	0.9881	0.9601	0.9556	276.5	264.7
3	12-pulse	4.97	1.621	7.55	14.08	11.2	0.9901	0.9926	0.9999	0.9959	0.99	0.9985	275.9	262.3
4	18-pulse	4.00	1.671	7.394	7.872	6.235	0.9968	0.9973	0.9977	0.9963	0.9945	0.9936	274.5	254.4
5	24-pulse	3.70	1.63	7.605	7.458	4.805	0.9971	0.9982	0.9938	0.9998	0.991	0.998	276.4	264.3

*Topology 'A' is a T-connected isolated 6-pulse AC-DC converter having 1:0.5 transformation ratio.



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Isolated Unidirectional Multipulse Bridge AC-DC Converters

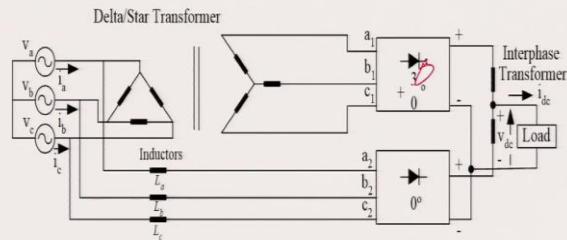
These are possible with different transformers connections as,

- Delta Star Connection
- Scott Connection
- Polygon

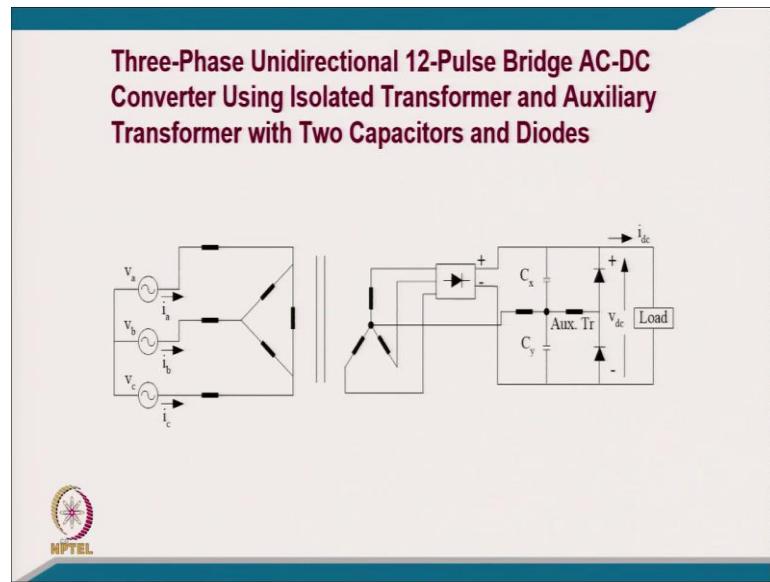


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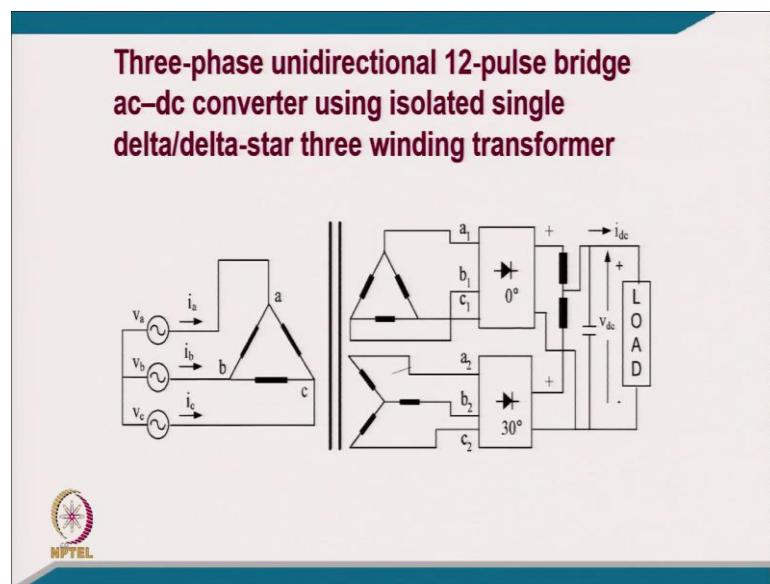
Three-Phase Unidirectional 12-Pulse Bridge AC-DC Converter Using Delta-Star Connected Transformer



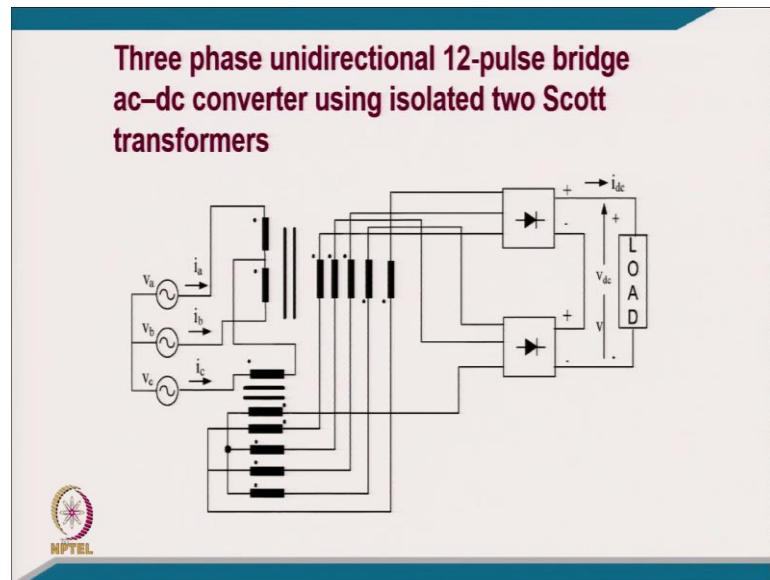
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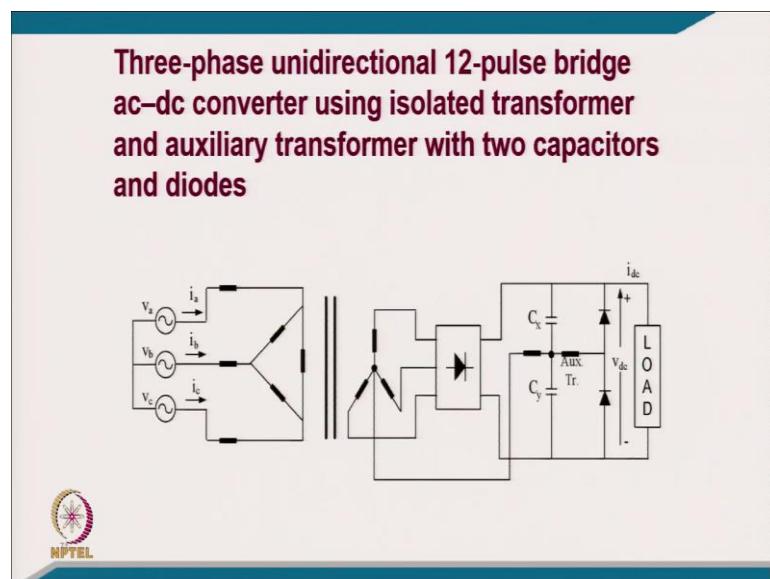
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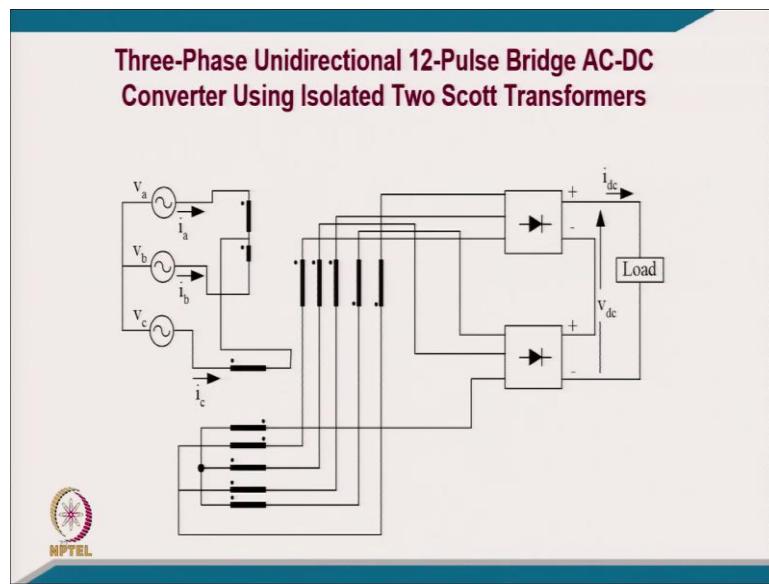
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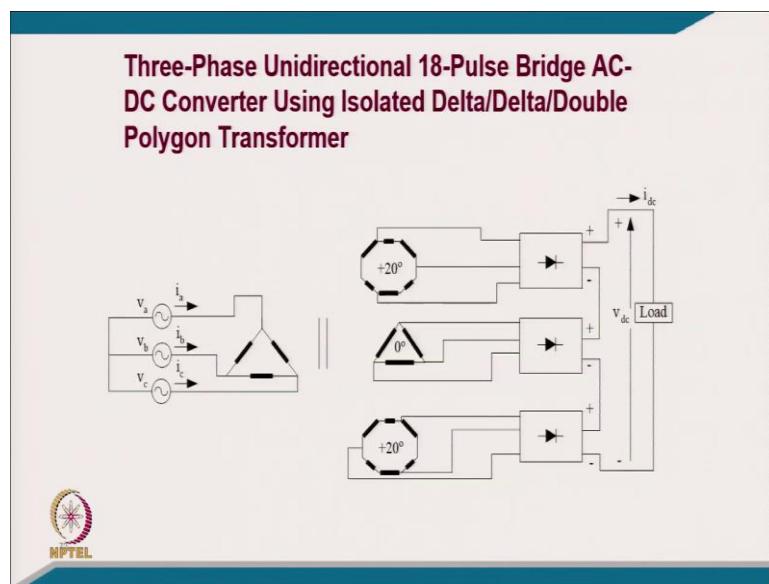
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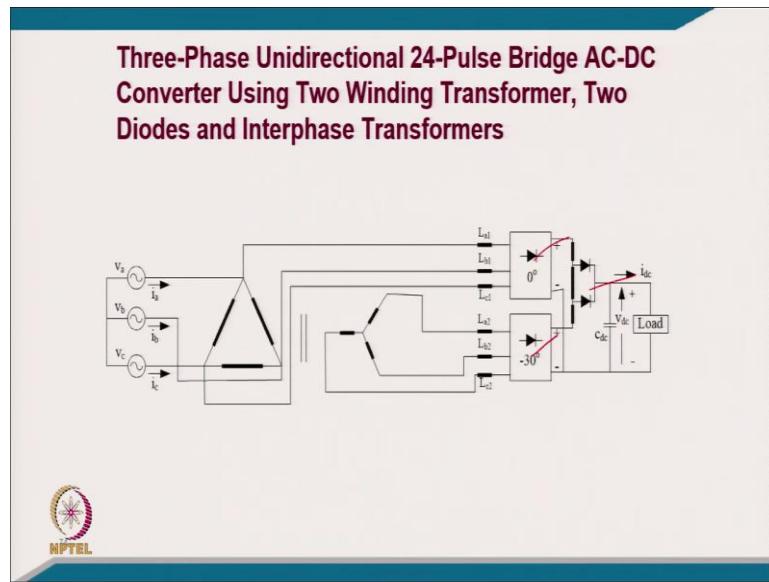
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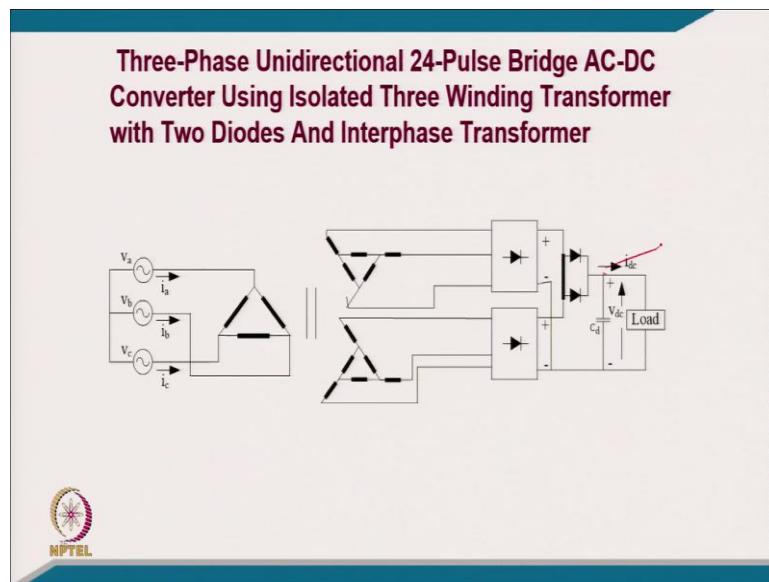
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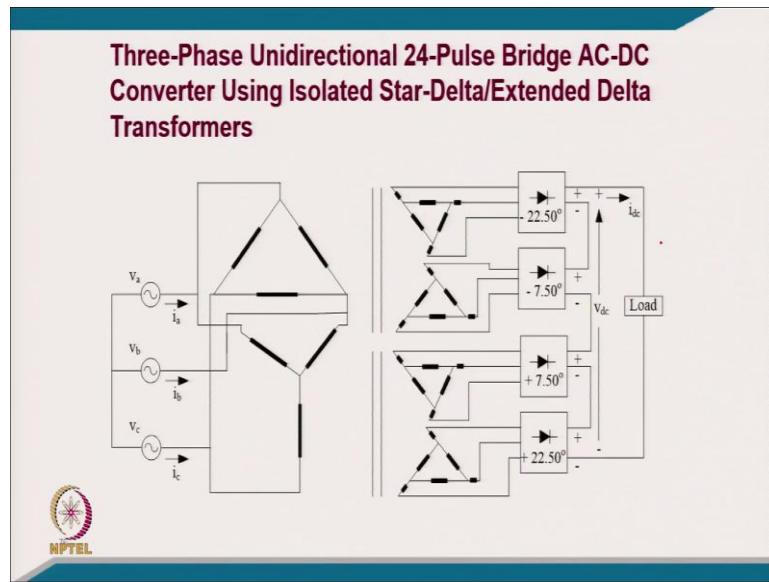
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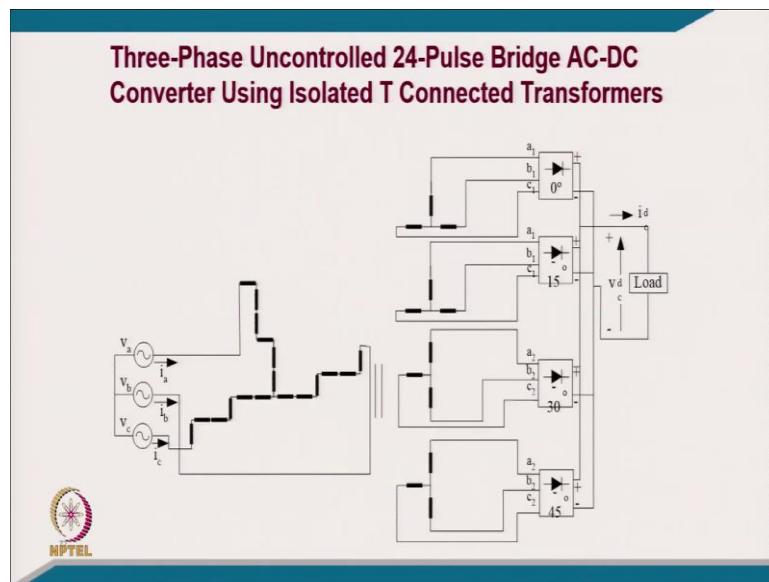
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Non-Isolated Unidirectional Multipulse Bridge AC-DC Converters

Autotransformer Connection Based Configurations

- Star Connected Autotransformer
- Delta Connected Autotransformer
- Polygon Connected Autotransformer
- Delta-Polygon Connected Autotransformer
- Hexagon Connected Autotransformer
- T- Connected Autotransformer
- Zigzag Autotransformer

Phase Number Based Configurations

- Nine-Phase AC-DC Converters
- Fifteen-Phase AC-DC Converters



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Realization of 12 pulse converter

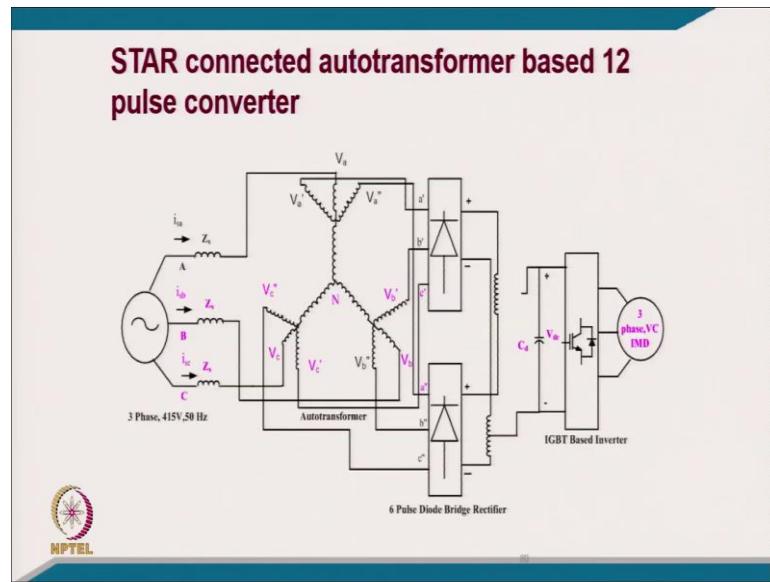
Conventional wye delta transformer

- Large kVA rating of transformer
- More cost
- Difficult to make identical wye and delta windings

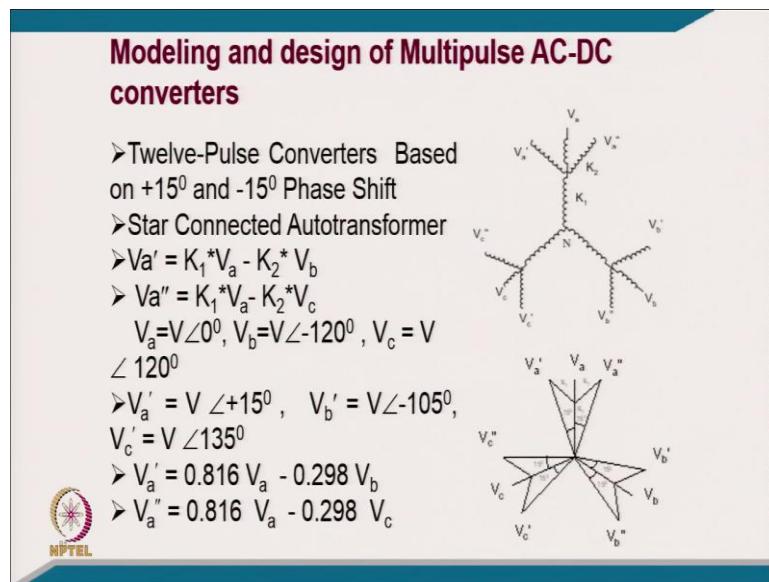


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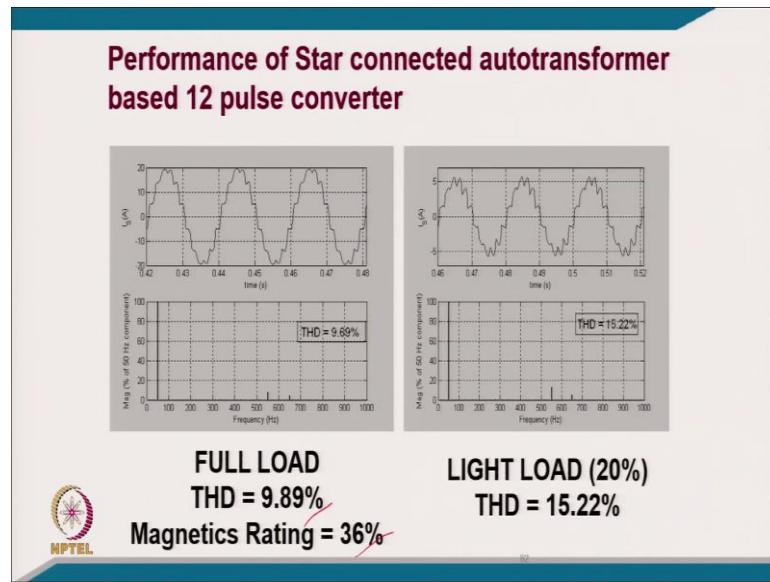
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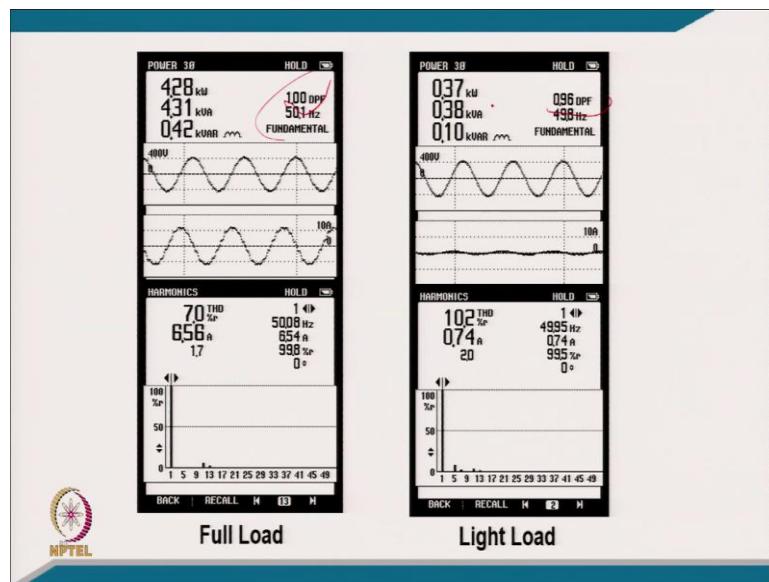
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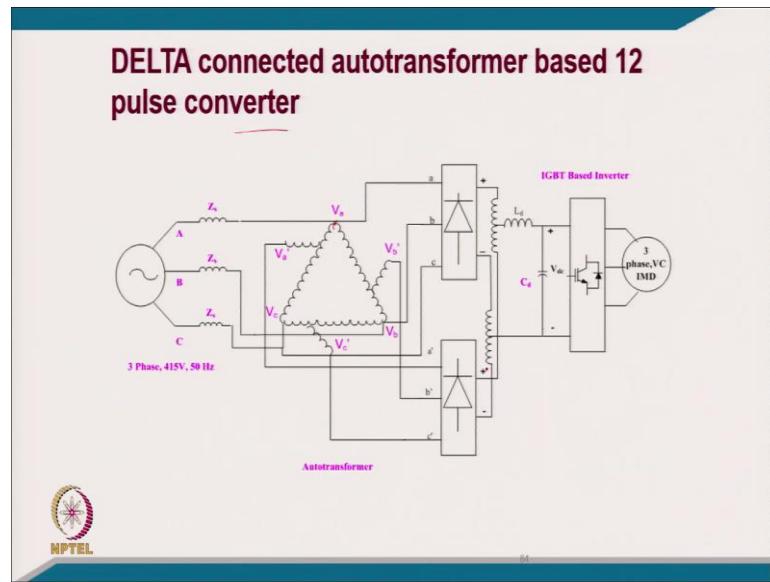
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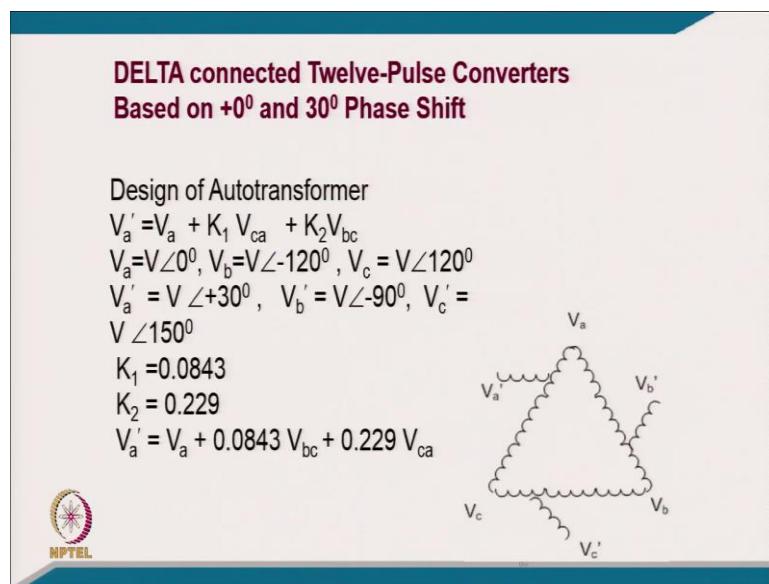
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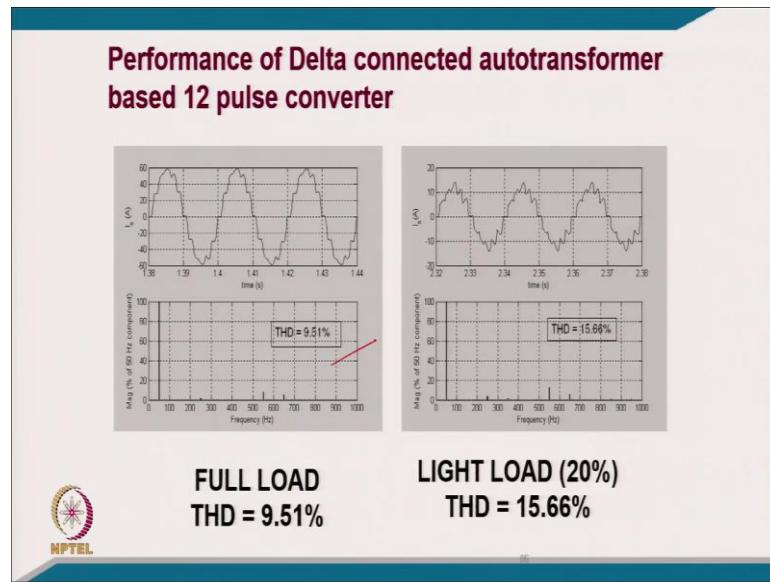
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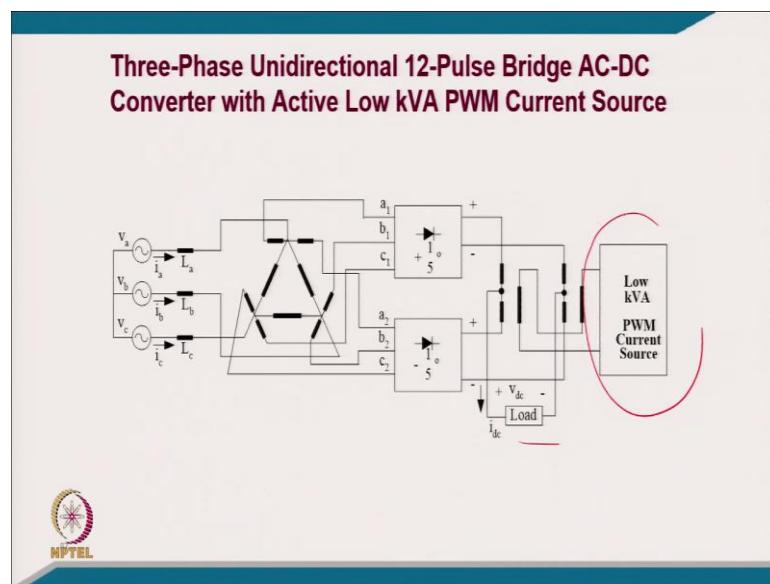
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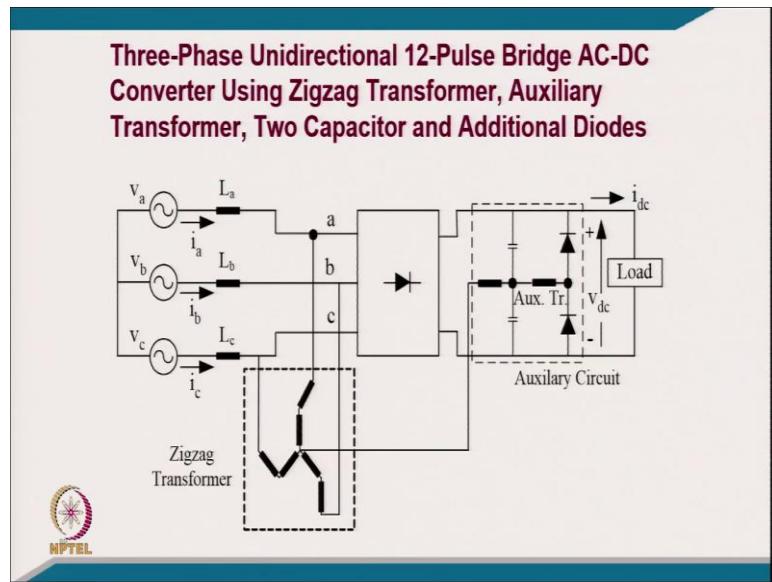
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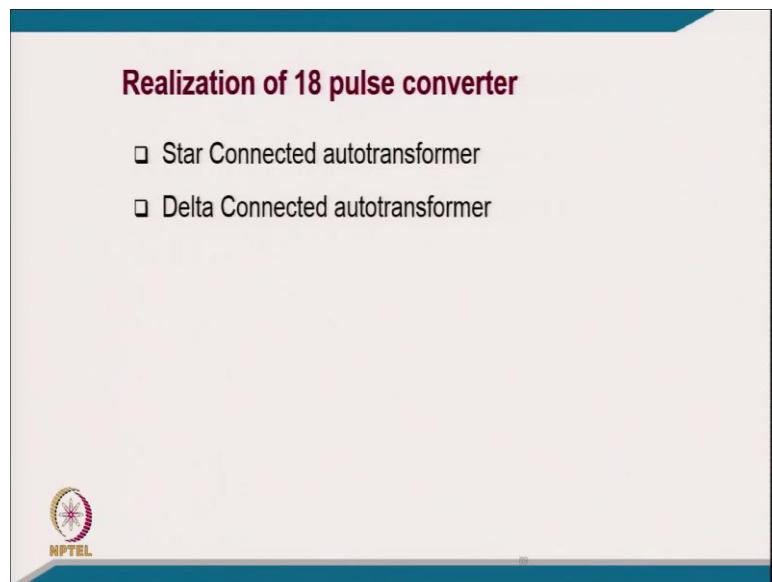
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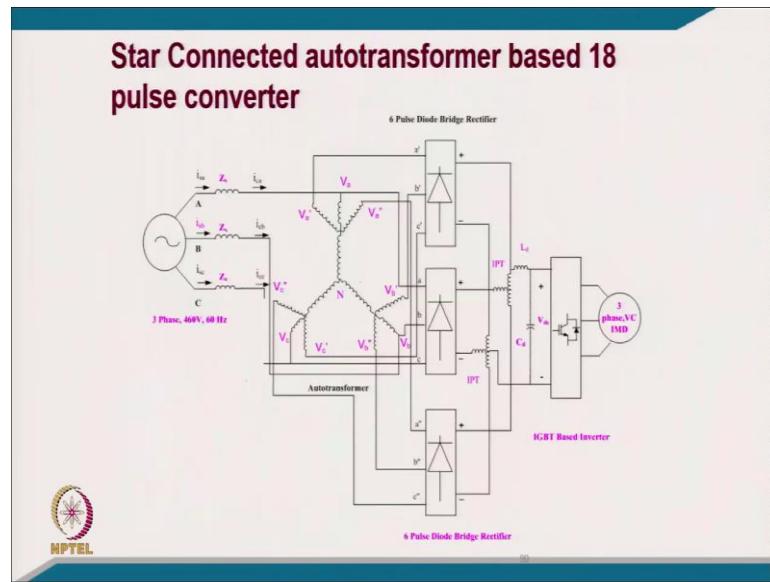
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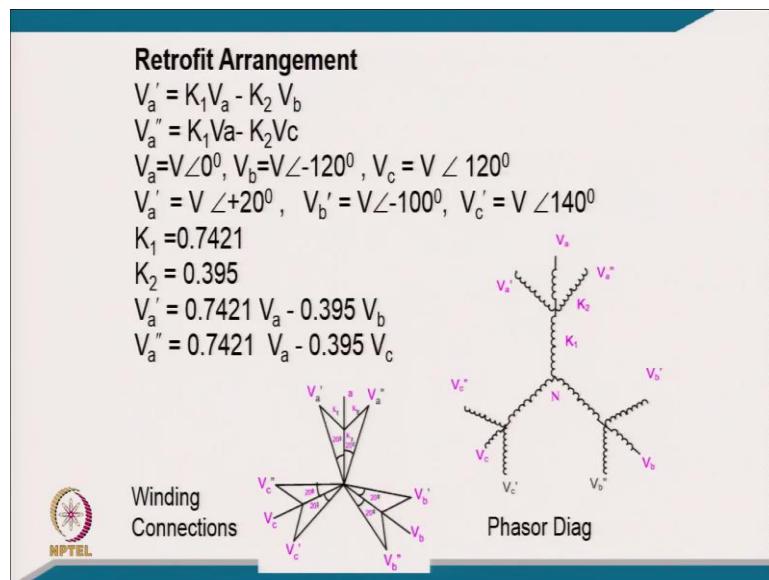
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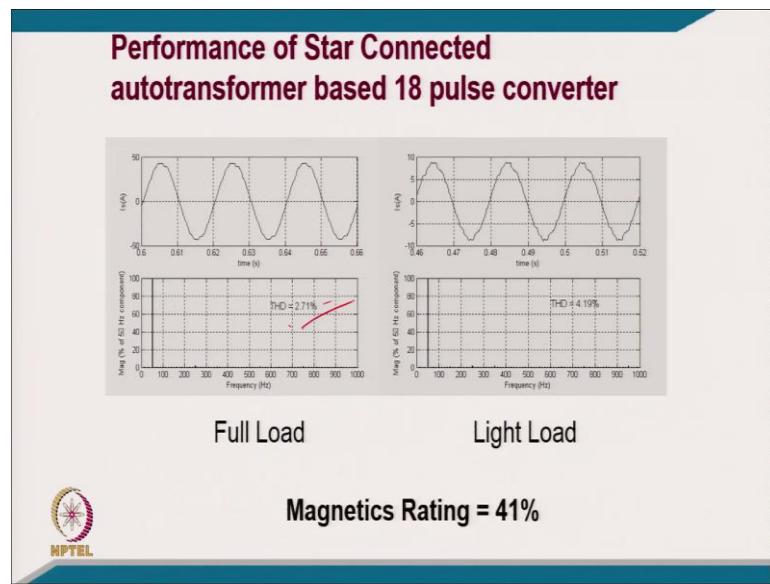
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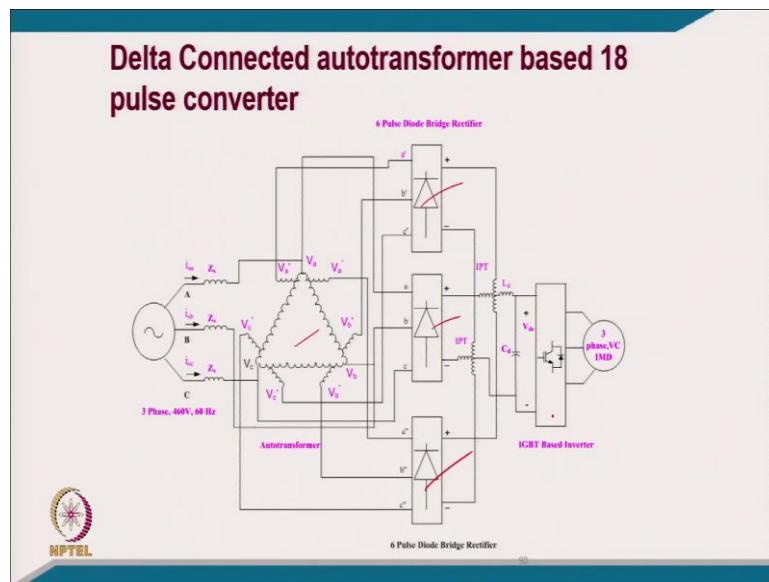
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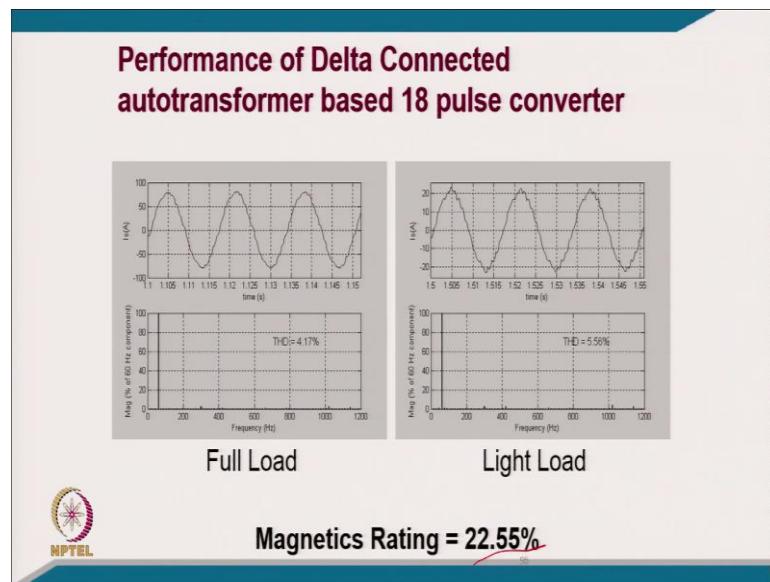
Delta Connected autotransformer based 18 pulse converter

$$V_a' = V_a + K_1 V_{ca} - K_2 V_{bc}$$
$$V_a'' = V_a + K_1 V_{ab} + K_2 V_{bc}$$
$$V_a = V \angle 0^\circ, V_b = V \angle -120^\circ, V_c = V \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_a' = V \angle +20^\circ, V_b' = V \angle -100^\circ, V_c' = V \angle 140^\circ$$
$$K_1 = 0.0402, K_2 = 0.177$$
$$V_a' = V_a + 0.0402 V_{ca} - 0.177 V_{bc}$$
$$V_a'' = V_a + 0.0402 V_{ab} + 0.177 V_{bc}$$

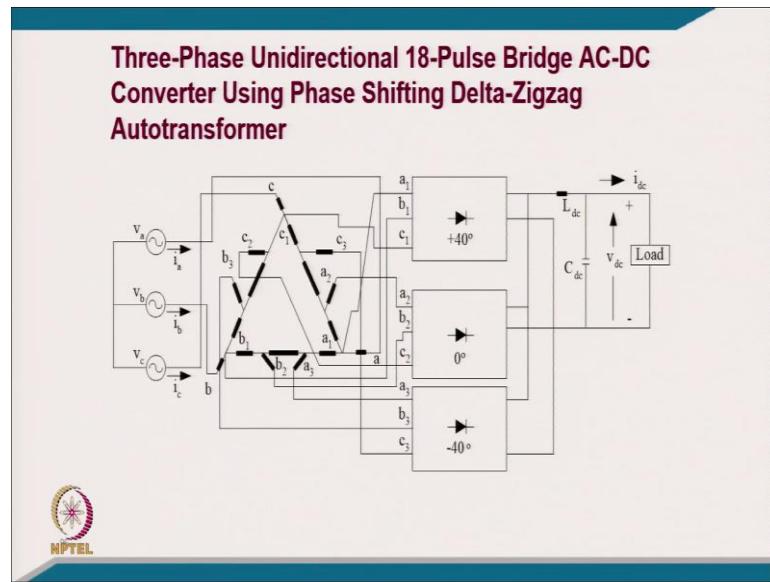
Winding Connections

Phasor diagram

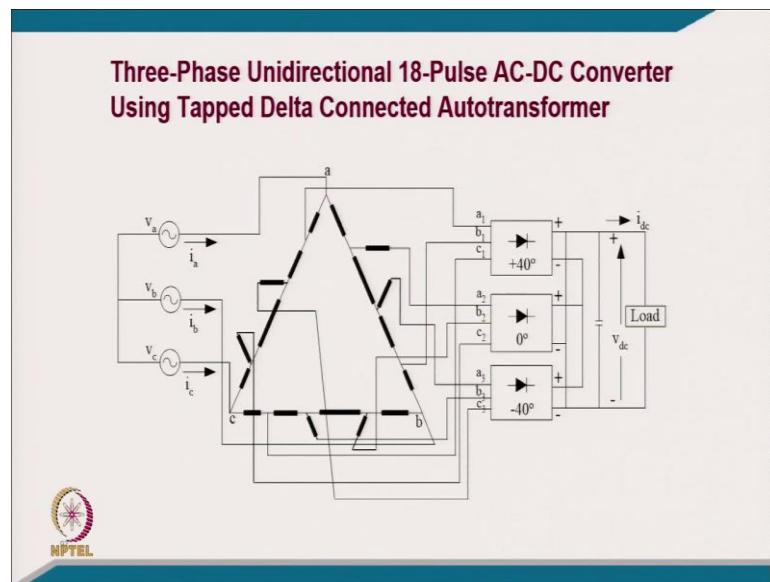
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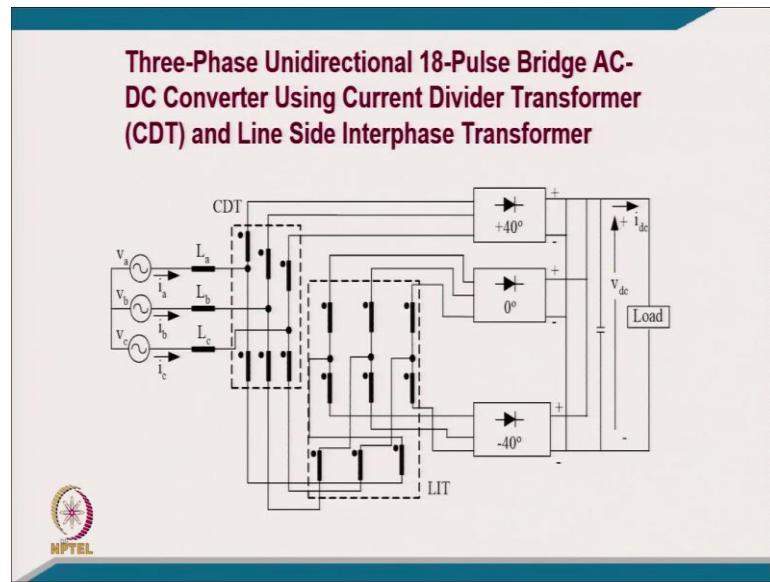
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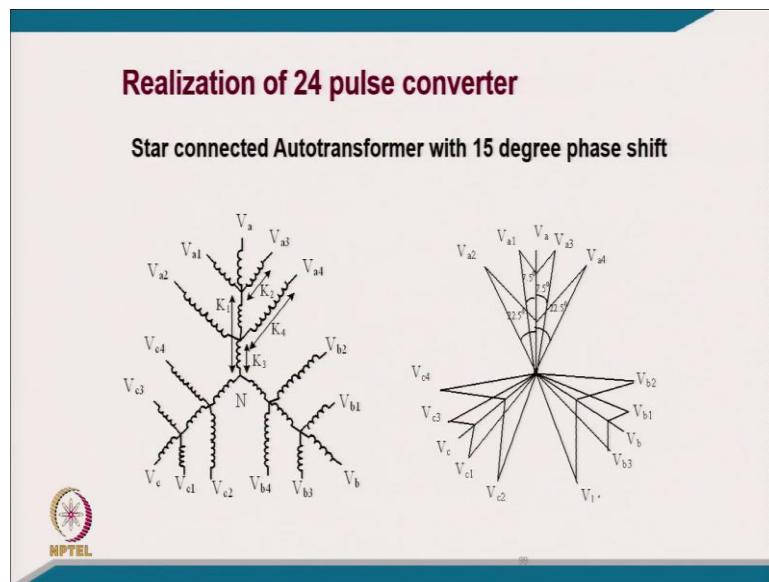
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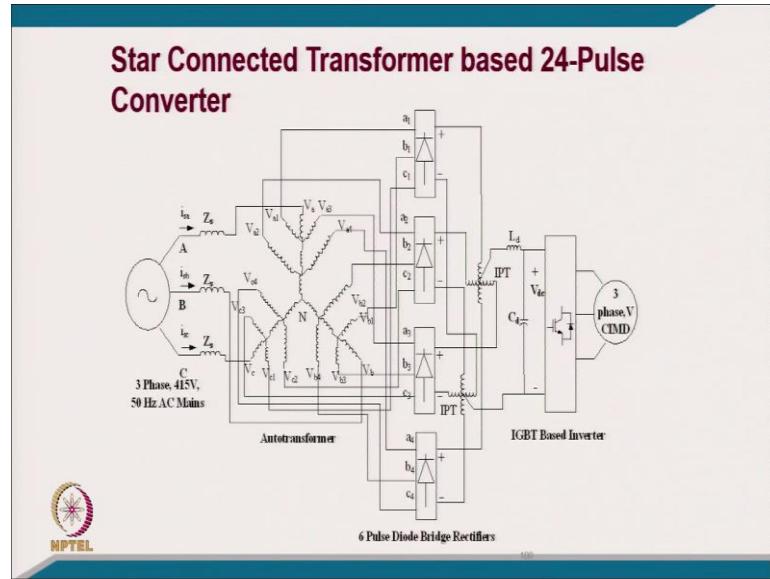
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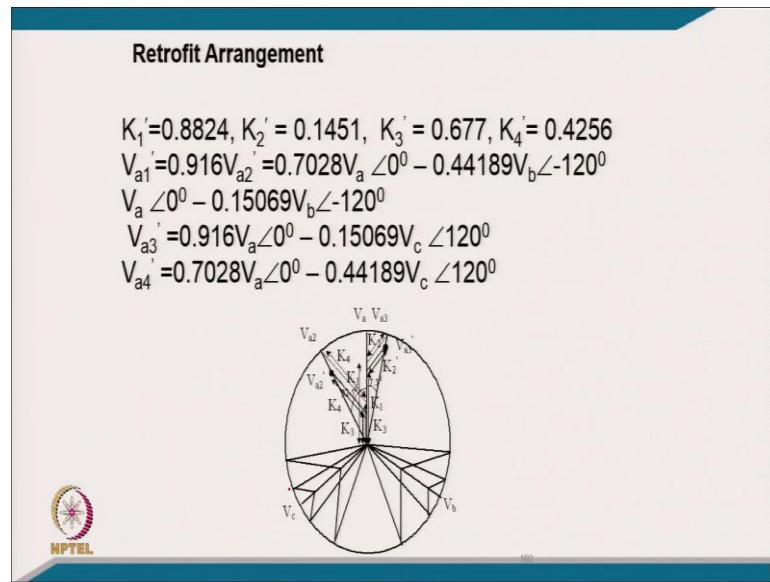


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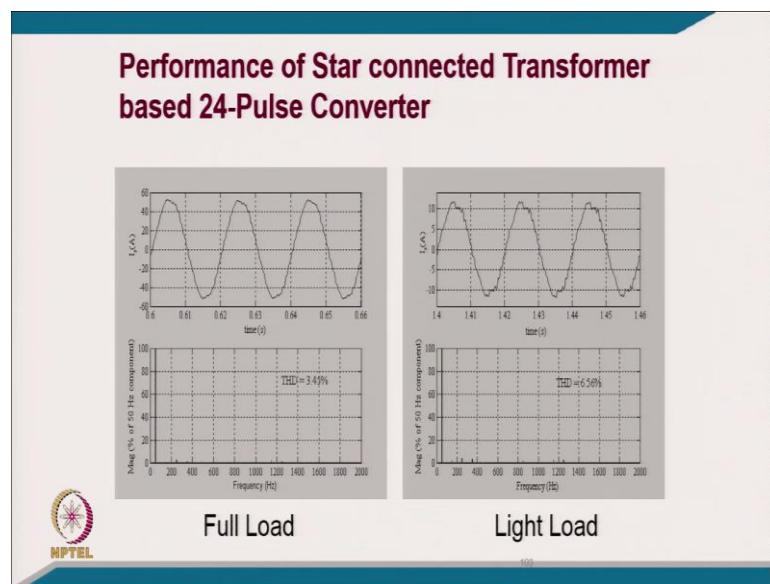
$$V_{a1} = K_1 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_2 V_b \angle -120^\circ$$
$$V_{a2} = K_3 V_a - K_4 V_b \angle -120^\circ$$
$$V_{a3} = K_1 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_2 V_c \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_{a4} = K_3 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_4 V_c \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_{a1} = V \angle 7.5^\circ, V_{b1} = V \angle -112.5^\circ, V_{c1} = V \angle 127.5^\circ$$
$$V_{a2} = V \angle 22.5^\circ, V_{b2} = V \angle -97.5^\circ, V_{c2} = V \angle 122.5^\circ$$
$$V_{a3} = V \angle -7.5^\circ, V_{b3} = V \angle -127.5^\circ, V_{c3} = V \angle 112.5^\circ$$
$$V_{a4} = V \angle -22.5^\circ, V_{b4} = V \angle -142.5^\circ, V_{c4} = V \angle 97.5^\circ$$
$$K_1 = 0.916, K_2 = 0.15069,$$
$$K_3 = 0.7028 \text{ and } K_4 = 0.44189$$

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Nine-Phase AC-DC Converters

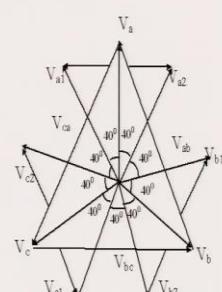
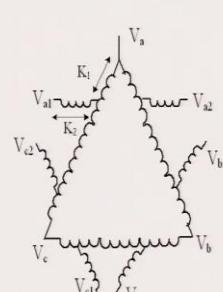
Delta Connected Autotransformer
Phase shift = $360^\circ / \text{Number of output phases}$

$$V_{a1} = V_a + K_1 V_{ca} - K_2 V_{bc}$$
$$V_{a2} = V_a + K_1 V_{ab} + K_2 V_{bc}$$
$$V_a = V \angle 0^\circ, V_b = V \angle -120^\circ, V_c = V \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_{a1} = V \angle 40^\circ, V_{b1} = V \angle -80^\circ, V_{c1} = V \angle 160^\circ$$
$$V_{a2} = V \angle -40^\circ, V_{b2} = V \angle -160^\circ, V_{c2} = V \angle 80^\circ$$


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Nine-Phase AC-DC Converters

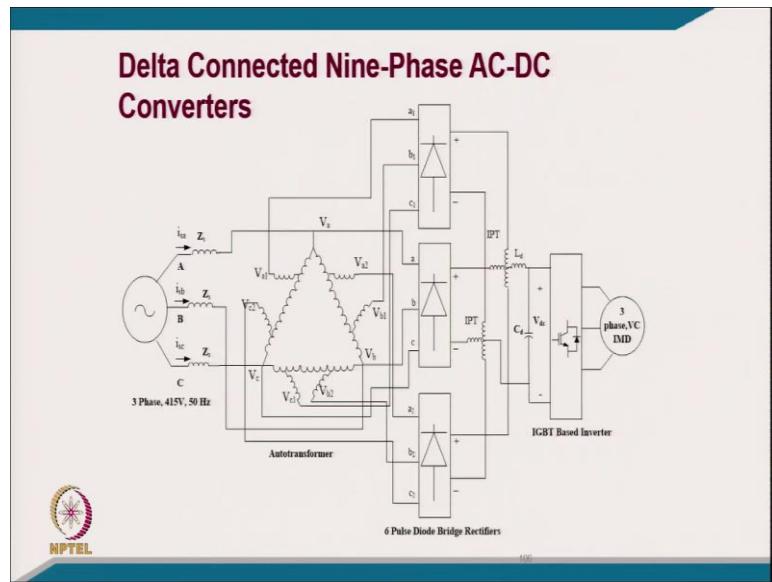


$K_1 = 0.156, K_2 = 0.293$

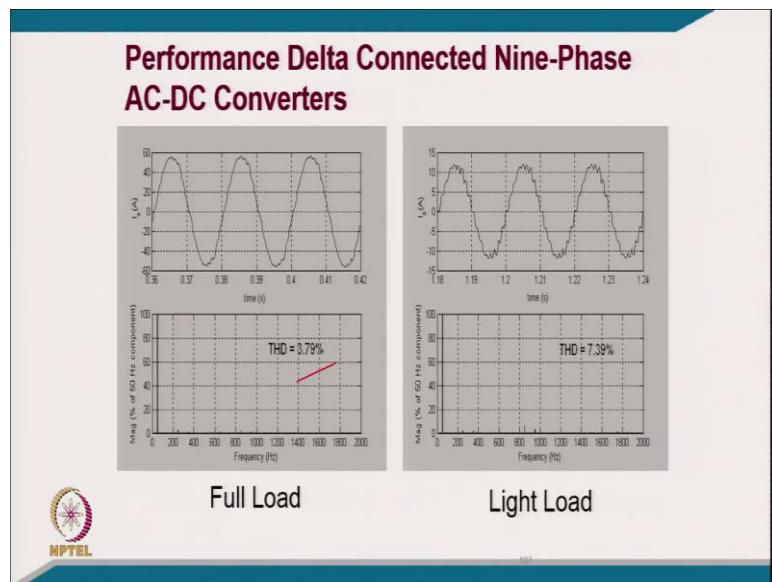
$$V_{a1} = V_a + 0.156 V_{ca} - 0.293 V_{bc}$$
$$V_{a2} = V_a + 0.156 V_{ab} + 0.293 V_{bc}$$


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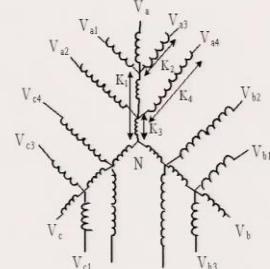
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Fifteen-Phase AC-DC Converters

Star Connected Autotransformer

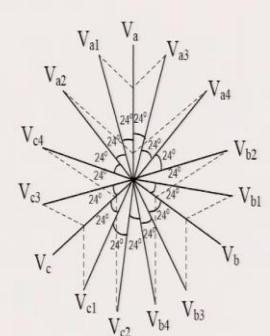
$$V_{a1} = K_1 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_2 V_b \angle -120^\circ$$
$$V_{a2} = K_3 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_4 V_b \angle -120^\circ$$
$$V_{a3} = K_1 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_2 V_c \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_{a4} = K_3 V_a \angle 0^\circ - K_4 V_c \angle 120^\circ$$
$$V_a = V \angle 0^\circ, V_b = V \angle -120^\circ, V_c = V \angle 120^\circ$$


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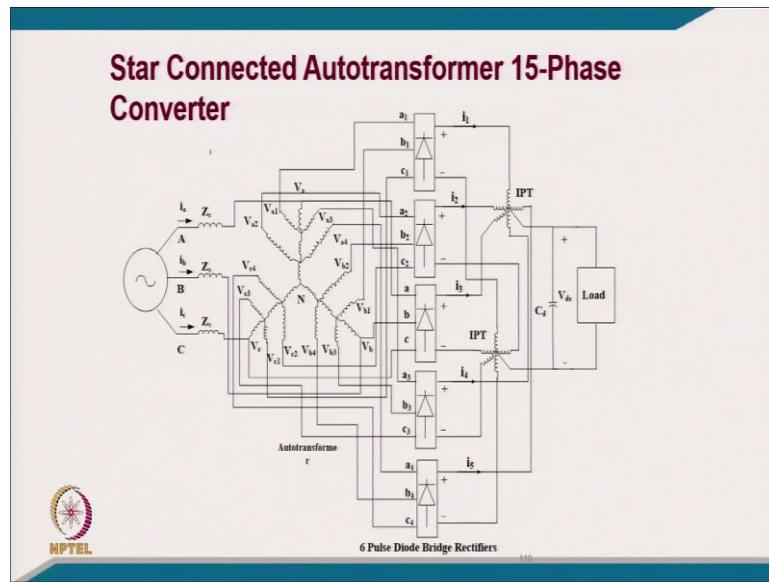
Fifteen-Phase AC-DC Converters

Star Connected Autotransformer

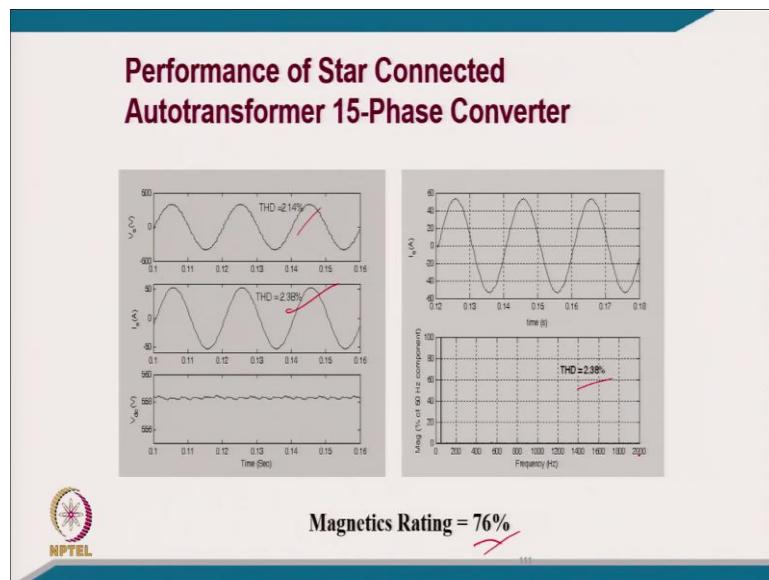
$$V_{a1} = V \angle 24^\circ, V_{b1} = V \angle -96^\circ, V_{c1} = V \angle 144^\circ$$
$$V_{a2} = V \angle 48^\circ, V_{b2} = V \angle -72^\circ, V_{c2} = V \angle 168^\circ$$
$$V_{a3} = V \angle -24^\circ, V_{b3} = V \angle -144^\circ, V_{c3} = V \angle 96^\circ$$
$$V_{a4} = V \angle -48^\circ, V_{b4} = V \angle -168^\circ, V_{c4} = V \angle 72^\circ$$


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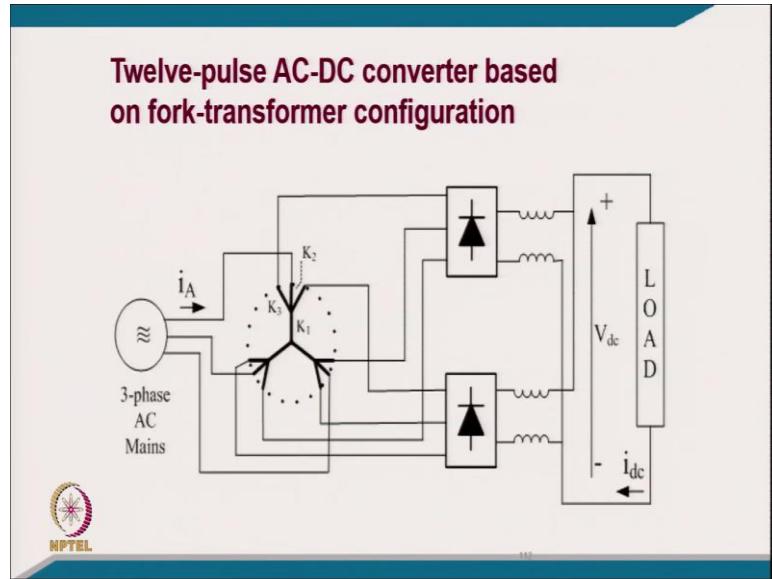
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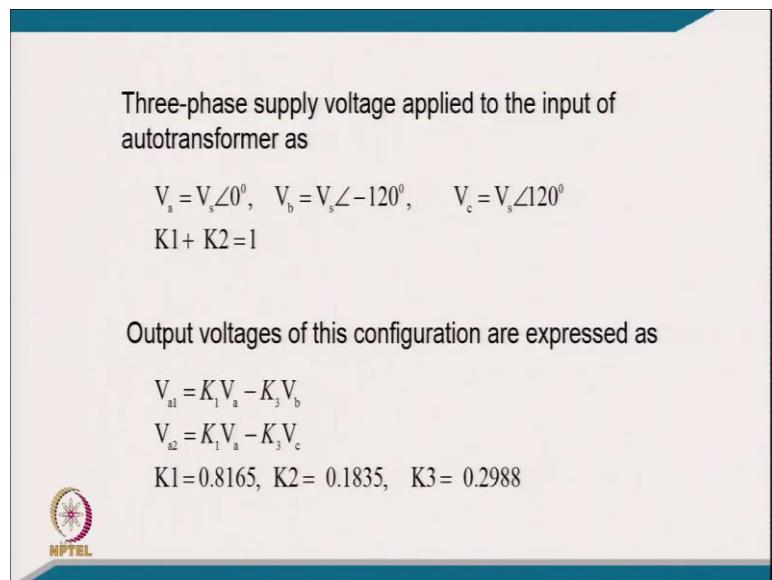
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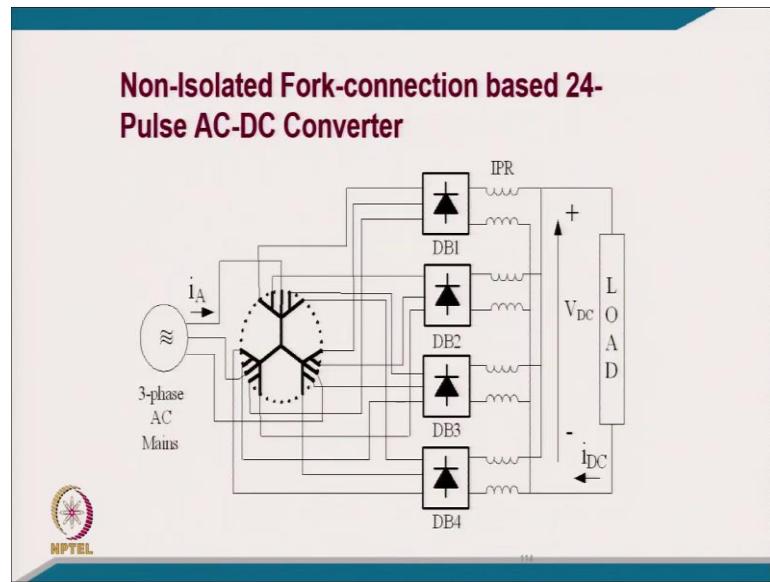
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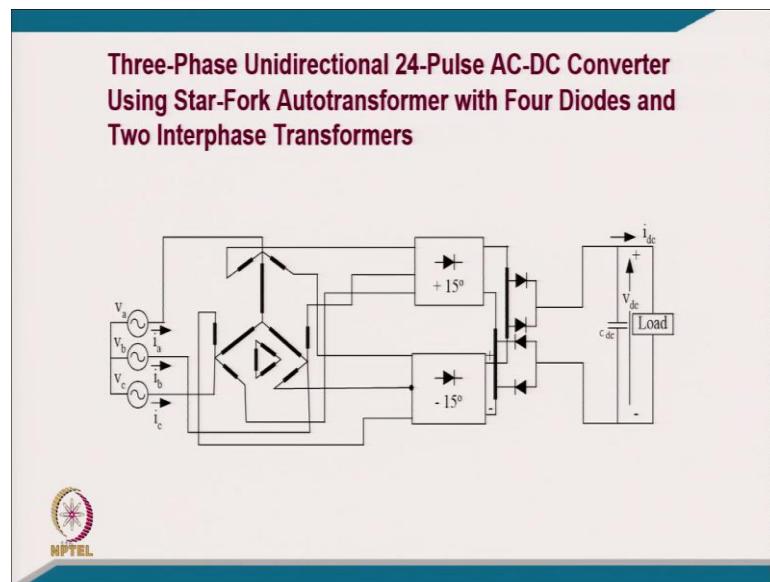
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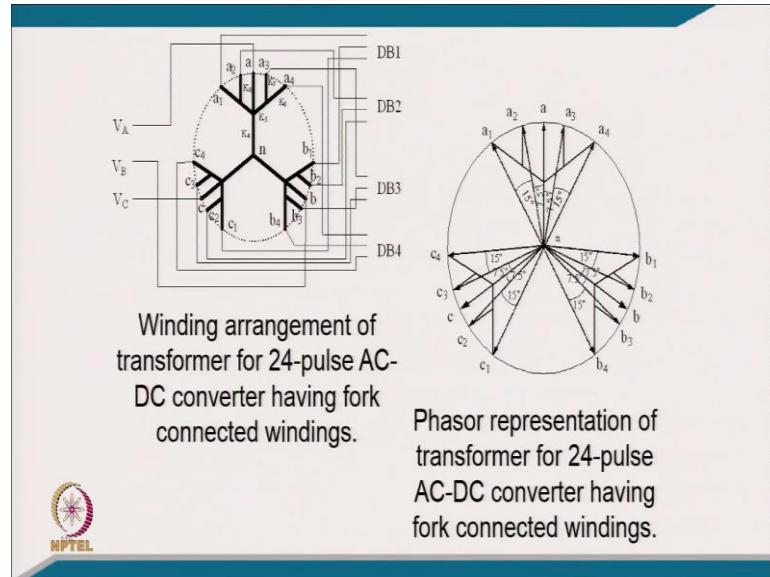
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The four sets of required voltages for the converters DB1 to DB4 are:

$$V_{a1} = V_s \angle 22.5^\circ, V_{b1} = V_s \angle -97.5^\circ, V_{c1} = V_s \angle -217.5^\circ$$

$$V_{a2} = V_s \angle 7.5^\circ, V_{b2} = V_s \angle -112.5^\circ, V_{c2} = V_s \angle -232.5^\circ$$

$$V_{a3} = V_s \angle -7.5^\circ, V_{b3} = V_s \angle -127.5^\circ, V_{c3} = V_s \angle -247.5^\circ$$

$$V_{a4} = V_s \angle -22.5^\circ, V_{b4} = V_s \angle -142.5^\circ, V_{c4} = V_s \angle -262.5^\circ$$

The output voltages can be expressed as follows:

$$V_{a1} = K_4 V_a - K_5 V_b - K_6 V_c$$

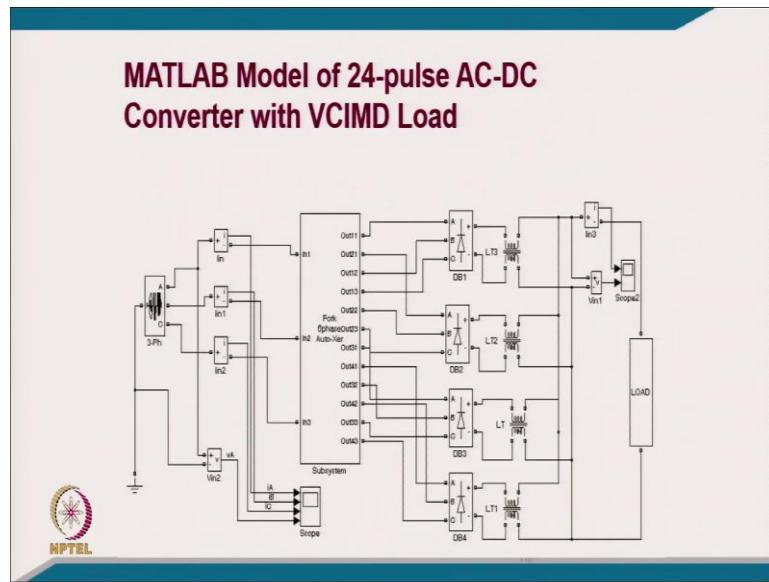
$$V_{a2} = K_4 V_a - K_5 V_b + K_7 V_c$$

$$V_{a3} = V_{a2} \angle -15^\circ$$

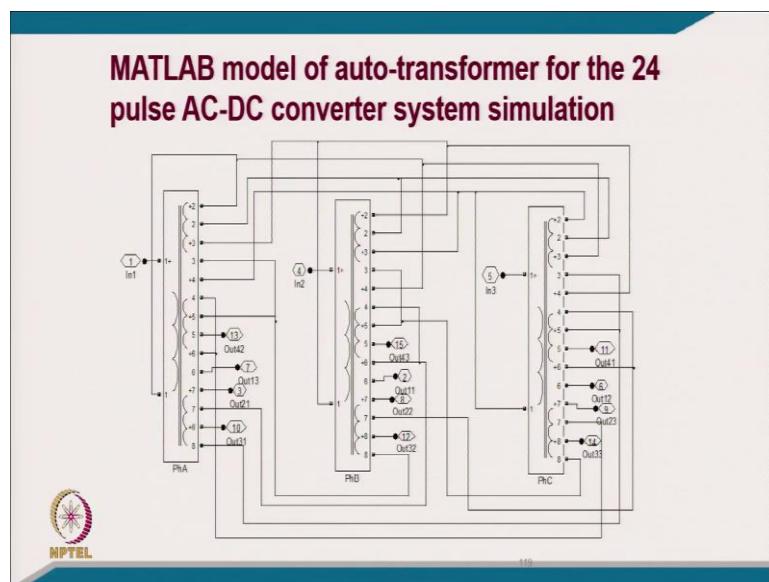
$$K_8 = 1 - K_4$$

$$K_4 = 0.7029, K_5 = 0.1507, K_6 = 0.2912, K_7 = 0.2132, K_8 = 0.2911$$

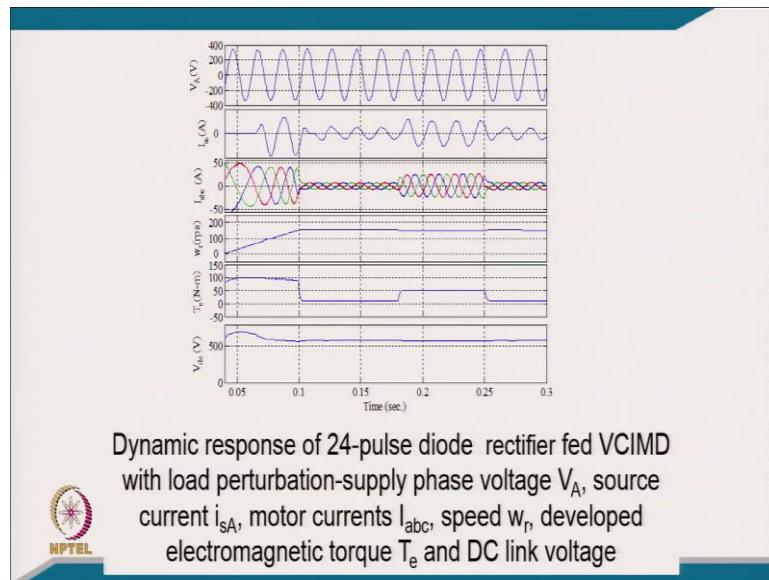
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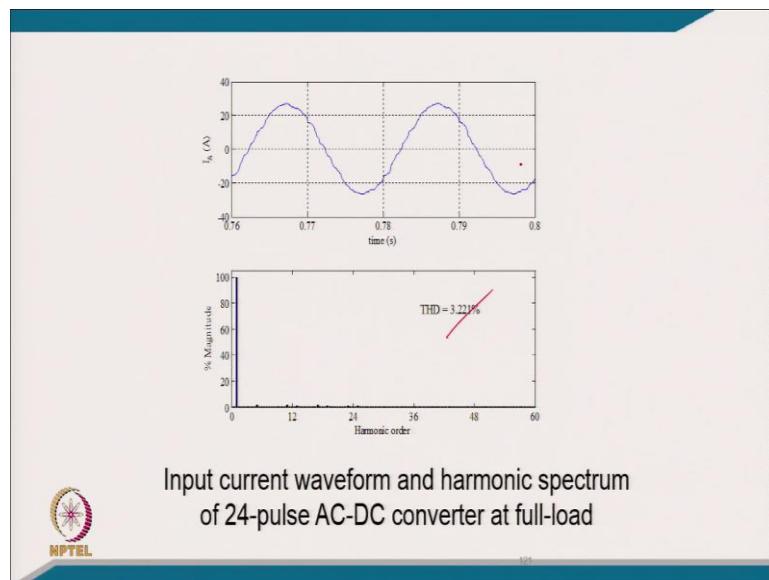
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Topology	Load	AC Mains Current I_{ac} (A)		% THD of I_{ac}		Distortion Factor DF		Displacement Power Factor DPF		Power Factor PF		DC Voltage (V)	
		Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full
		Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load
6-pulse	10.58	8.701	19.12	74.88	31.24	0.9110	0.9491	0.9798	0.9768	0.8926	0.9271	552.9	542.8
12-pulse	5.224	8.578	18.87	9.697	8.98	0.9946	0.9946	0.9893	0.9898	0.9840	0.9845	555.7	549.4
24-pulse	3.036	8.378	18.74	3.974	3.221	0.9990	0.9991	0.9931	0.9891	0.9921	0.9882	578.2	570.7



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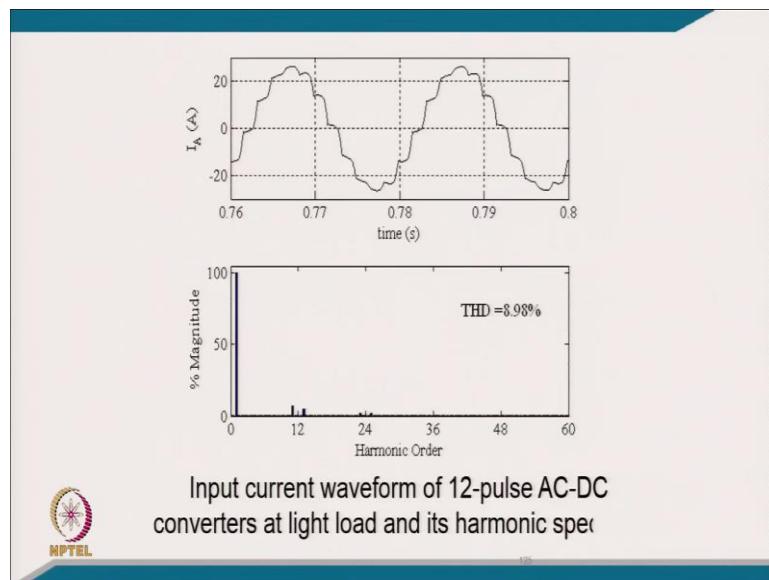
Comparison of power quality parameters of 12-pulse and 24-pulse AC-DC converters with varying load											
Topology	12-pulse	Load	THD of V_{ac} (%)	AC Mains Current I_{ac} (A)	THD of I_{ac} (%)	Distortion Factor, DF	Displacement Power Factor, DPF	Power Factor, PF	DC Voltage (V)	Load Current I_{dc} (A)	Ripple Factor, RF (%)
		20%	2.851	8.578	9.697	0.9946	0.9893	0.9840	555.7	10.28	0.006
		40%	3.494	11.03	9.533	0.9948	0.9897	0.9846	554.2	13.21	0.002
		60%	3.981	13.58	9.383	0.9948	0.9899	0.9848	552.6	16.48	0.004
		80%	4.674	16.22	9.179	0.9946	0.9900	0.9847	551.0	19.85	0.003
	24-pulse	100%	5.224	18.87	8.98	0.9946	0.9898	0.9845	549.4	23.24	0.002
	24-pulse	20%	2.028	8.378	3.974	0.9990	0.9931	0.9921	578.2	10.25	0.0002
	24-pulse	40%	2.286	10.73	3.763	0.9988	0.9922	0.9910	576.4	13.14	0.0001
	24-pulse	60%	2.550	13.31	3.556	0.9992	0.9910	0.9902	574.5	16.33	0.002
	24-pulse	80%	2.785	16.00	3.376	0.9990	0.9901	0.9891	572.7	19.66	0.003
	24-pulse	100%	3.036	18.74	3.221	0.9991	0.9891	0.9882	570.7	23.04	0.002



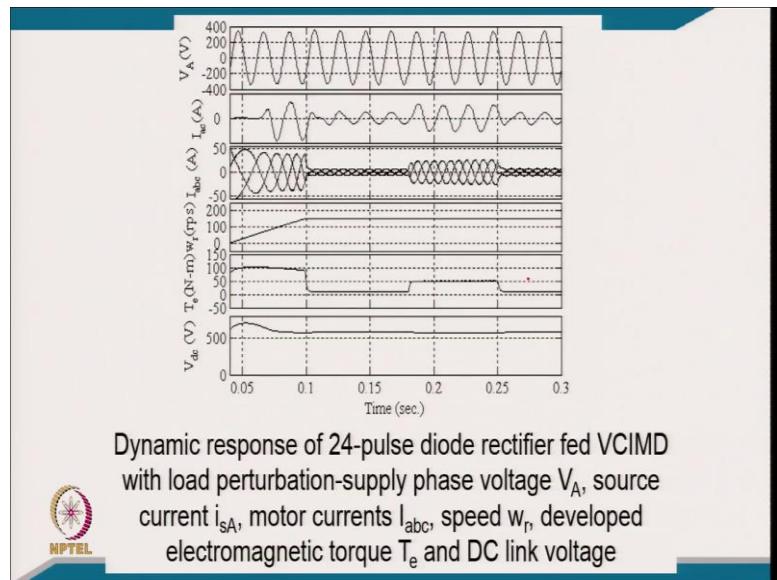
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Topology	Load	AC Mains Current I_{ac} (A)		% THD of I_{ac} at		Distortion Factor DF		Displacement Power Factor DPF		Power Factor PF		DC Voltage (V)	
		Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full	Light	Full
		Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load	Load
6-pulse	10.58	8.701	19.12	74.68	31.24	0.9110	0.9491	0.9798	0.9768	0.8926	0.9271	552.9	542.8
12-pulse	5.224	8.578	18.87	9.697	0.98	0.9946	0.9946	0.9893	0.9898	0.9840	0.9845	555.7	549.4
24-pulse	3.036	8.378	18.74	3.974	3.221	0.9990	0.9991	0.9931	0.9891	0.9921	0.9882	578.2	570.7

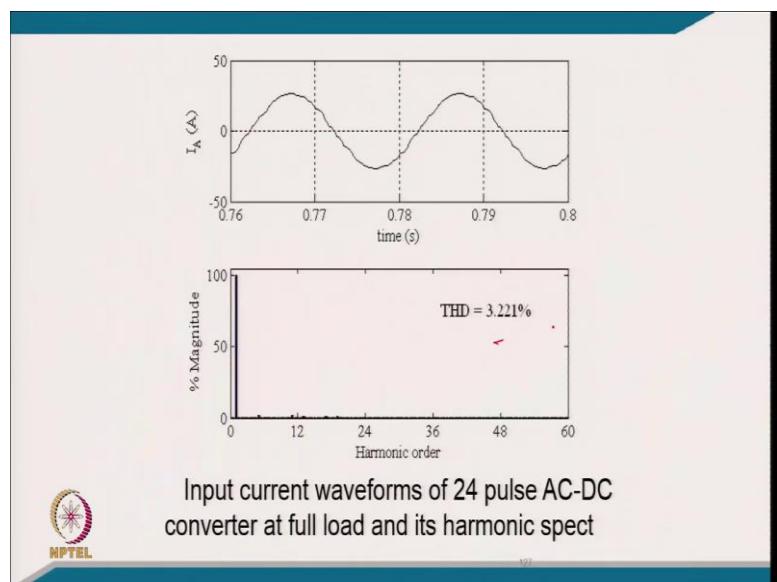
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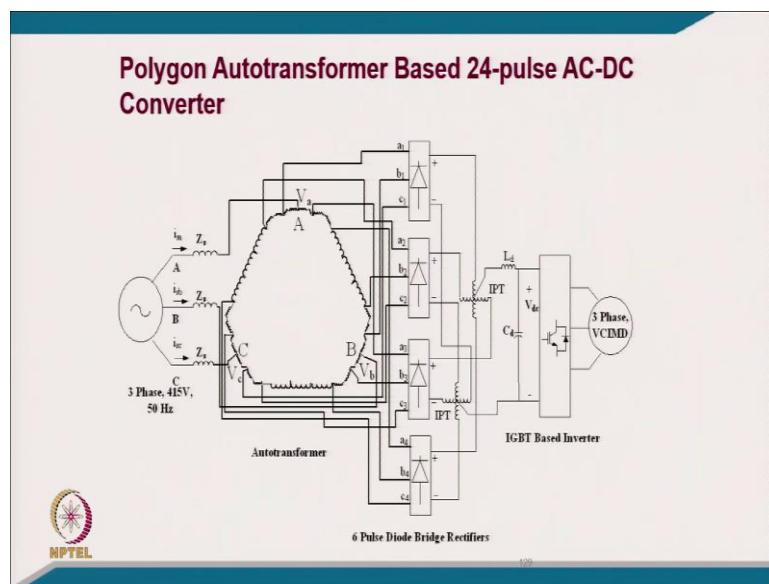
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Comparison of magnetic ratings in different AC-DC converters

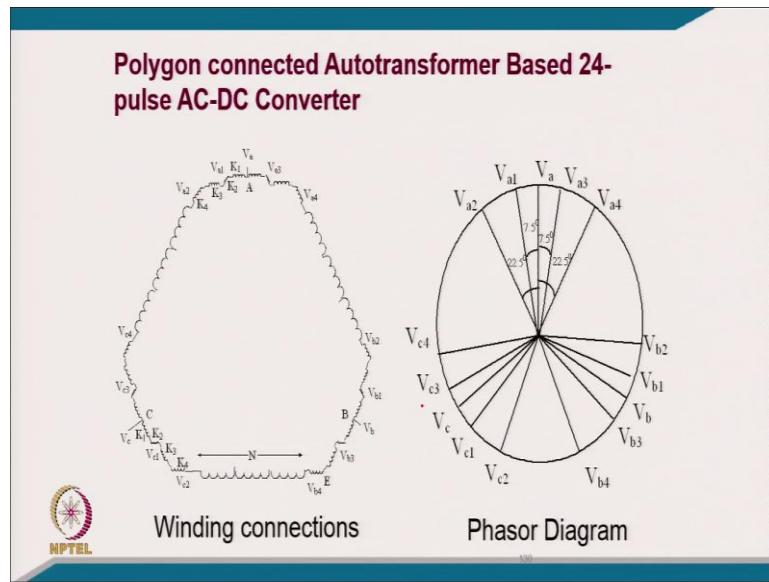
Sr. No.	Topology	Main Transformer rating (% of load)	Interphase transformer rating (% of load)	Total magnetic rating (% of load)
1	12-pulse	28.68	7.50	36.18
2	24-pulse	49.2	7.36	56.56

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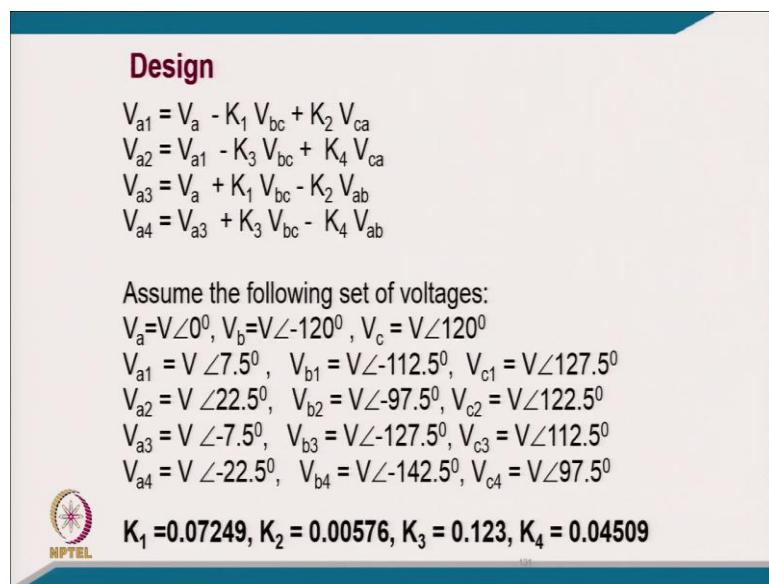
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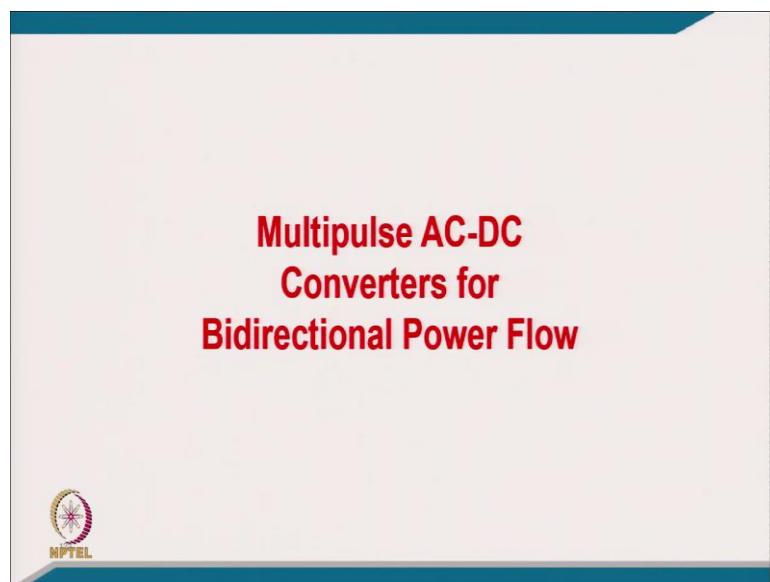
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Load (%)	THD (%)		CF of I_s	DF	DPF	PF	V_{dc} (V)
	I_s	V_t					
20	5.22	1.76	1.43	.998	.989	.988	557
40	4.65	1.90	1.43	.999	.990	.989	553
60	4.41	2.31	1.43	.999	.989	.989	551
80	4.05	2.51	1.44	.999	.988	.988	547
100	3.20	2.73	1.44	.999	.988	.988	546

Power Quality Indices under varying Loads for 24-pulse AC-DC converter (Polygon)



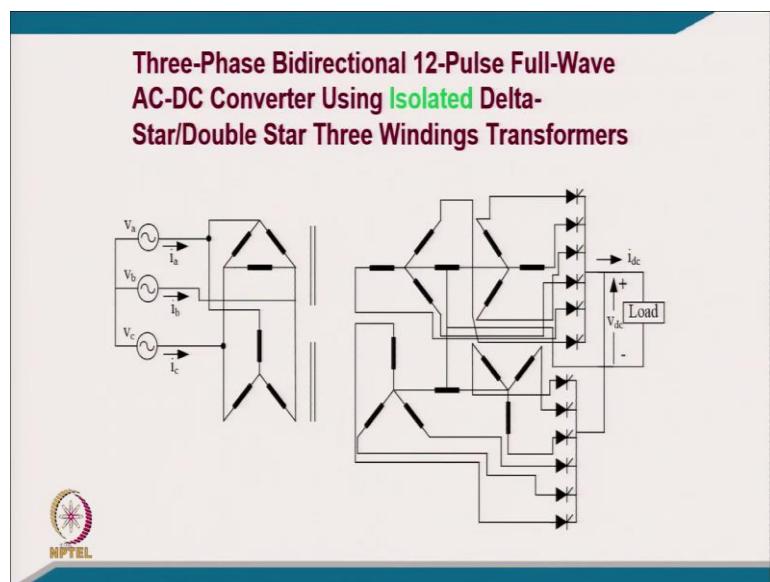
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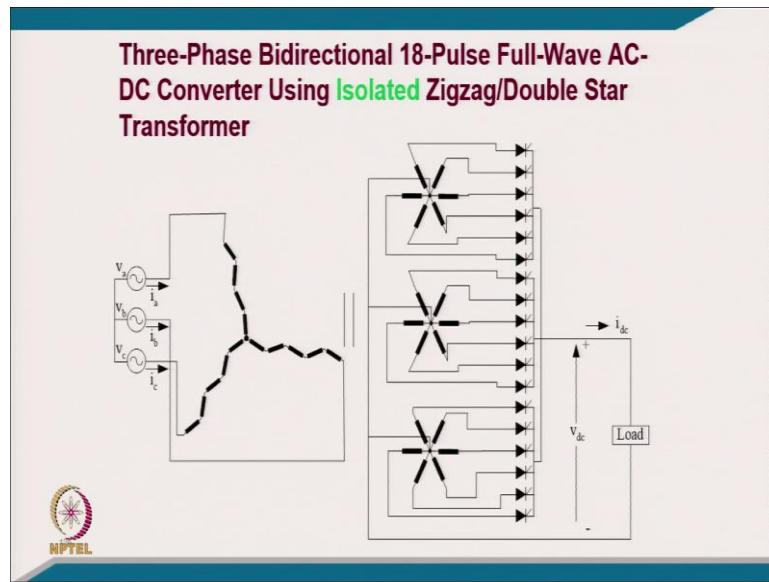
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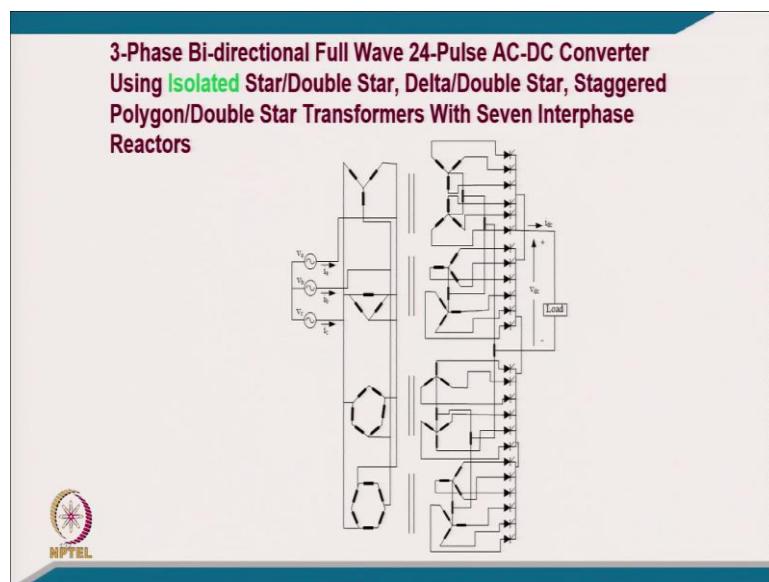
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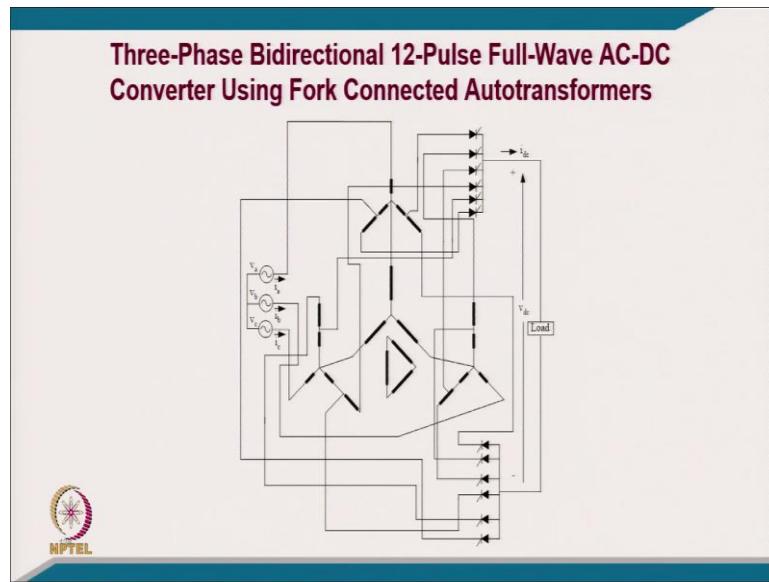
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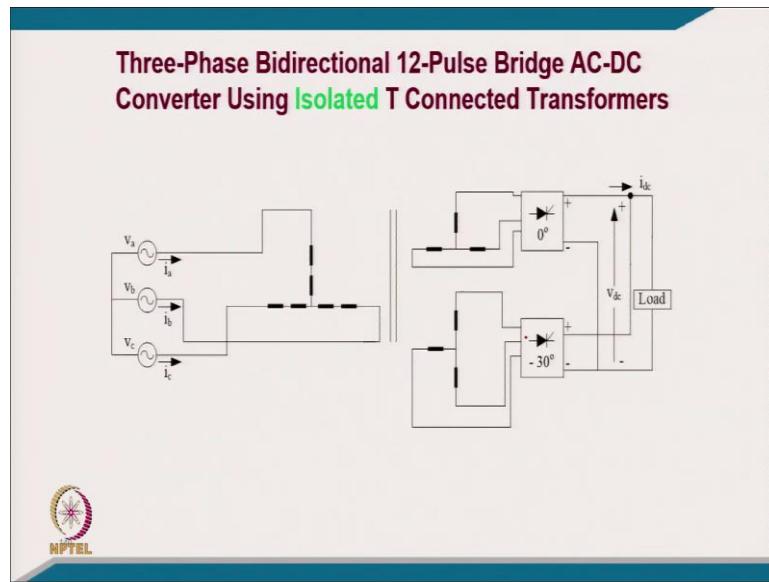
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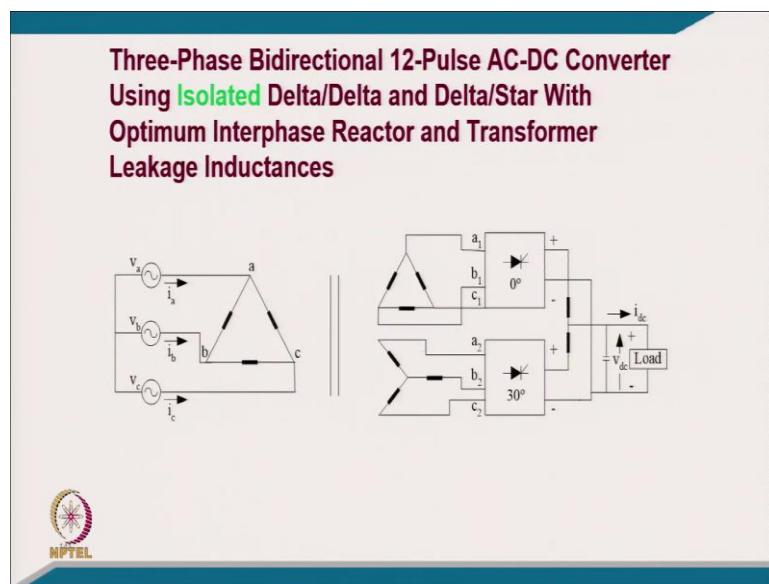
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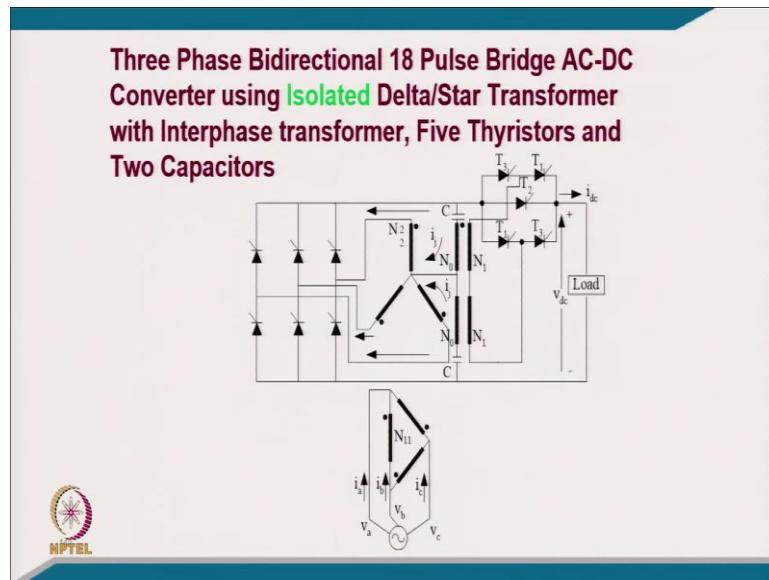
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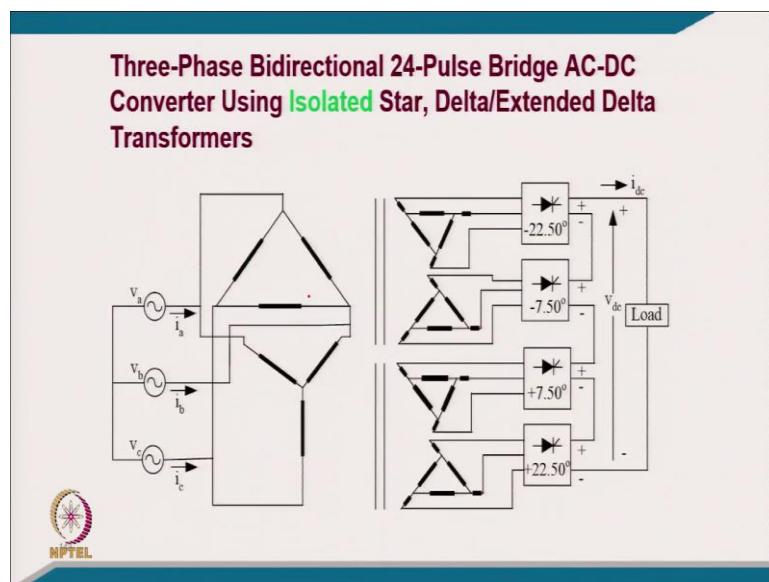
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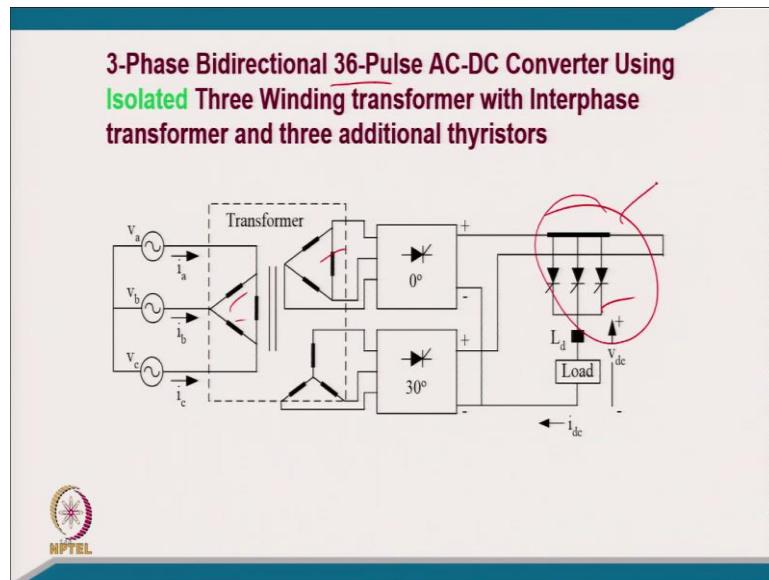
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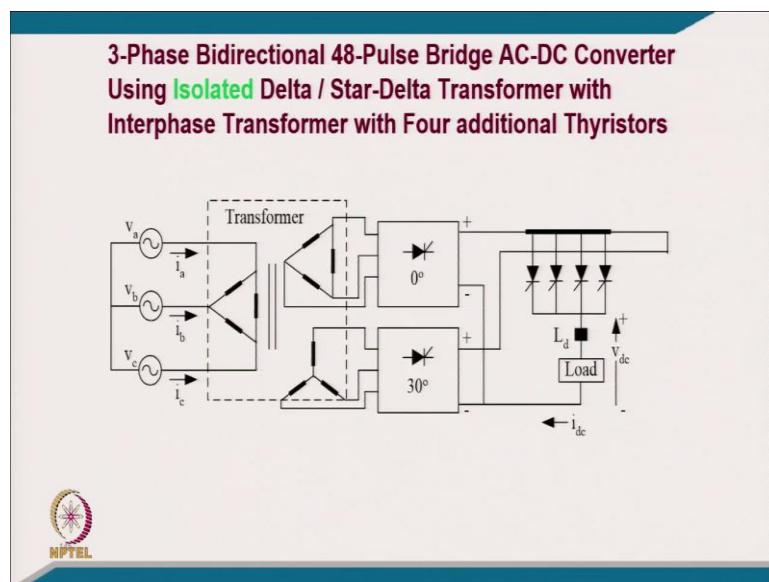
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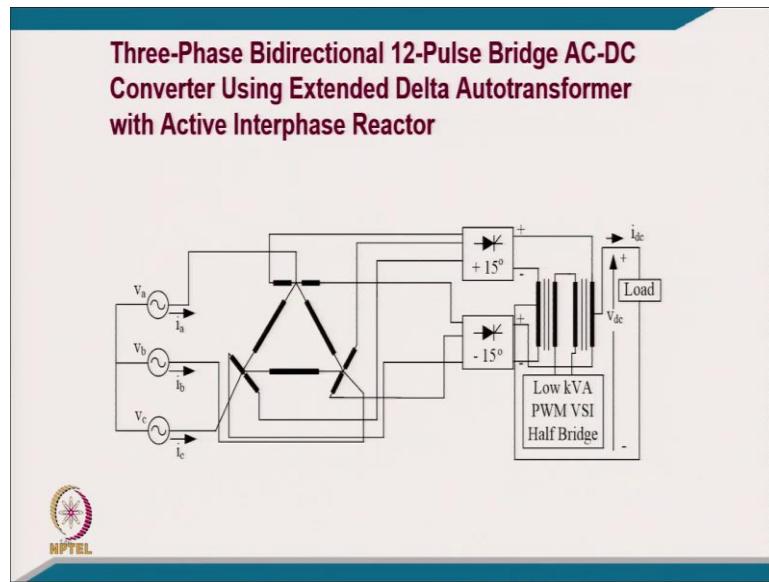
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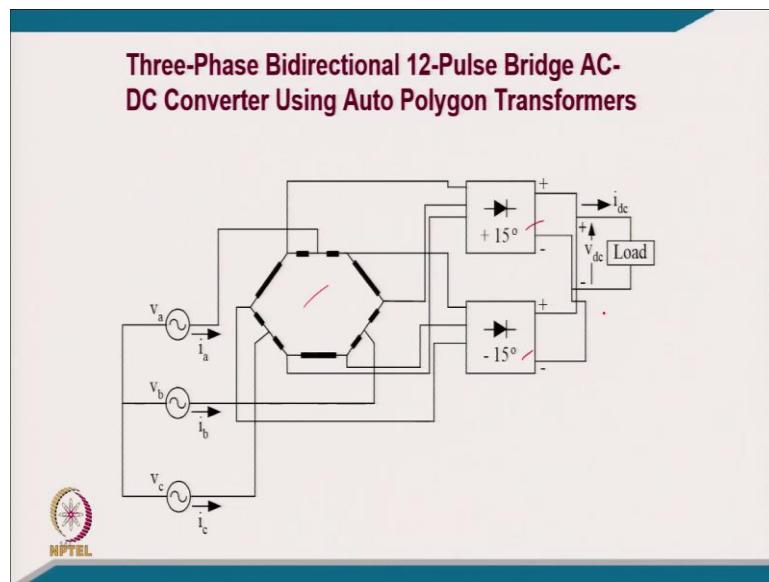
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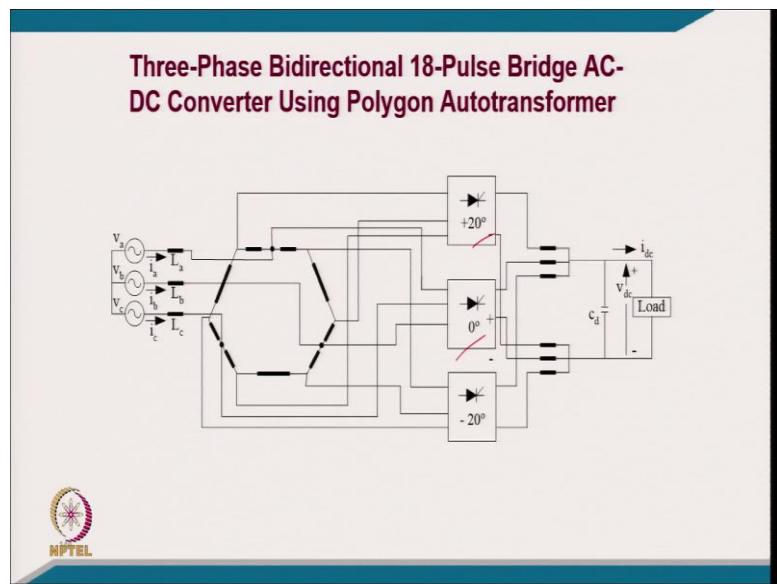
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