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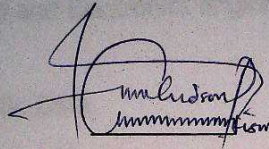
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This project is dedicated to our Almighty God the Omni – potent and to my parents: Deaconess and Mr. Peter for their encouragement, support and constant prayers for my success in my academy pursuit as well as to the staff of student to Electrical/Electronic Engineering of Nuhu Bamalli Polytechnic (Zaria).

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## CHAPTER ONE

### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

The circuit is a simple form of basic of UPS (uninterrupted power supply) which standby capacity to maintain the supply with no electrical supply depend on the load taken from the UPS and also the amporae hour capacity of the battery by using 7A/H 12V battery and loaded from 6s regulated was 0.5amp and no load the unregulated supply then regulated would be maintain for 14 hours create A/h capacitor battery would provided a longer stand by time and vice versa.

### 1.2 AIMS AND OBJECTIVE OF THE PROJECT

The aims and the objective of this are as stated below:

- i. To provide a design that is affordable compare to the important types of UPS
- ii. Develop (design and construction) a portable, reliable and efficient basic UPS with ease in ease of power failure
- iii. Select appropriate material (local material) suitable for the construction of the basic UPS

### 1.3 MOTIVATION

The uninterruptible power supply (UPS) circuit is very simple for among the UPS circuit. This circuit is a form of the commercial UPS at low price which at least 90% can be affordable. It can be adopted for the other regulate and volt by using too 12voltagebatteries in series and 7815 regulator.

### 1.4 SCOPE AND LIMITATIONS

UPS – back up power when light goes of from the National grid for the operator of the computer to have time to save, and switch the set



## CHAPTER TWO

### LITERATURE REVIEW

#### 2.1 LITERATURE REVIEW OF THE COMPONENT USED

Transformer: The transformer in its simplest form, consist of the two inductive coils which are electrical separated but magnetically linked through a part of low reduction. A charging current in one winding induce a charging in electromotive force e.m.f in that winding.

If one is connected to a source of alternating voltage, an alternating flux is set up in the laminating core, most of which is linked with the other coil in which it produced mutually induced e.m.f. If the second circuit energy is transected the first coil is called the seconding winding the second winding. The diagram is show below.

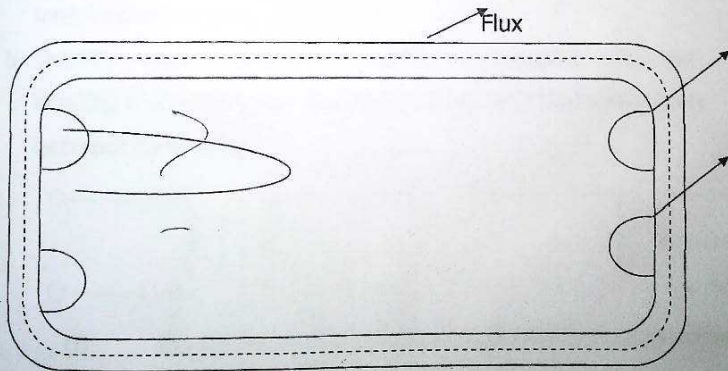


Figure 2.1 ideal transformers.

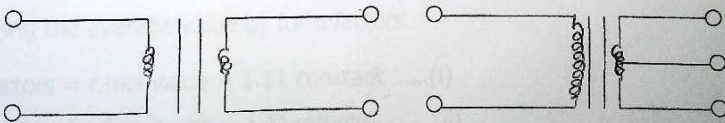
## USES OF TRANSFORMER

1. To step down or step up input AC voltage to lower or high voltage respectively
2. Is a transducer

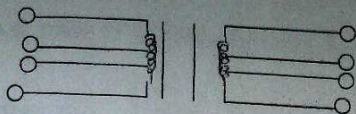
## CLASSIFICATION OF TRANSFORMER

Transformers are classified according to the physical size, power rating winding, core types, and functions son on.

1. Winding: - The winding in transformer makes it possible for churching a magnetic field in the core which links the same or other winding and induced a churching e.m.f in that winding.
  - a. Auto - transformer:- This is a single wound transformer with intermediate tapping
  - b. Double - wound transformer:- as the name suggest, it has two winding the primary and secondary. It has electrically insulation between its winding.



(i) Double wound transformer (ii) Double wound transformer with centre tapped



iii. Double wound transformer with separate secondary and multi-tapped primary

### 2.3 E.M.F EQUATION OF A TRANSFORMER

Let  $N_1$  = Number of turns in primary

$N_2$  = number of turns in secondary

$Q_m$  = Maximum flux in core in wbe =  $BMXA$

$F$  = frequency of A.C input

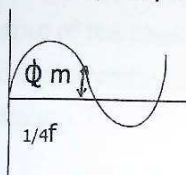


Fig. 2A An AC. Wave form

Flux increase from zero value to maximum value  $Q_m$  in one quarter of cycle i. e  $1/4$  of sec.

$$\text{Average rate of change of flux} = \frac{\text{flux} = Q_m}{1/4f} = 4Q_m f \text{ volt}$$

Now, rate of change of flux per turns means induces e.m.f is obtained by multiplying the average value by form factors.

$$\text{Form factors} = \text{r.m.s value} = 1.11 \text{ constant} \dots\dots(i)$$

$$\text{r. m.s value of e.f.m /turns} = 1.11 \times 4f q_m v \dots\dots(ii)$$

Now r.m.s value of induces e.m.f. in the whole of primary

Winding = induces e.m.f/turns x no of primary many turns

$$E_1 = 4.44 f N_1 Q_m = 4.44 F N_1 B M A \dots\dots\dots(iii)$$

Similarly, r.m.s. value of the induces e.m.f. in secondary winding

$$E_2 = 4.4FN_2 Q_m = 4.44FN_2 B_m A \dots\dots\dots (iv)$$

In an ideal transformer on no load

$$V_1 = E_1 \text{ and } V_2 = E_2 \dots\dots\dots (v)$$

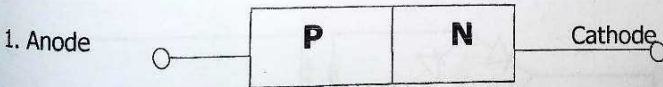
Where  $V_2 = E_1$  is the terminal voltage.

### RECTIFICATION

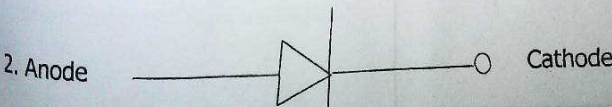
The output of the power – supply from transformer is declared t a section marked diode rectification is to convert the A.C voltage input to pulsating D.G voltage.

### DIODE

The diode is a semi conductor device with large, the panel inside diode function as a rectifier because the will allow current to flow only one direction.



**Structure**

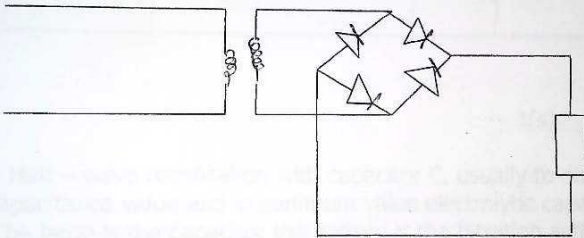


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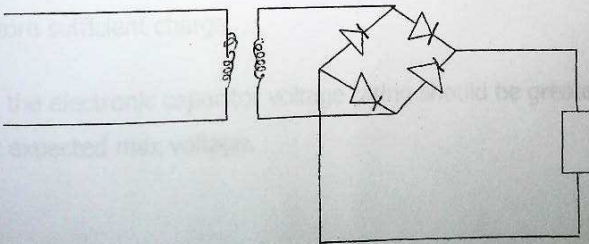
### Full – wave bridge rectifier

The bridge circuit regulates with four diode instead of two but avoided the need for a centre tapped input transformer, the bridge rectifier may be four separate diode or molded into one assembly.

During the first half – cycle two of the diode conduct and two are blocked and in the alternative half – half cycle the first two are blocked while other two conduct as show in figure 2.3.0 below.



(a) During the first half – cycle D<sub>1</sub> and D<sub>2</sub> conduct



- (b) During the second half -wave rectification.
- (c) The capacity provide an output D.C that is smooth because the D.C is pulsating at 120 pulse/sec. there is also less ripple because the ripple are close together.

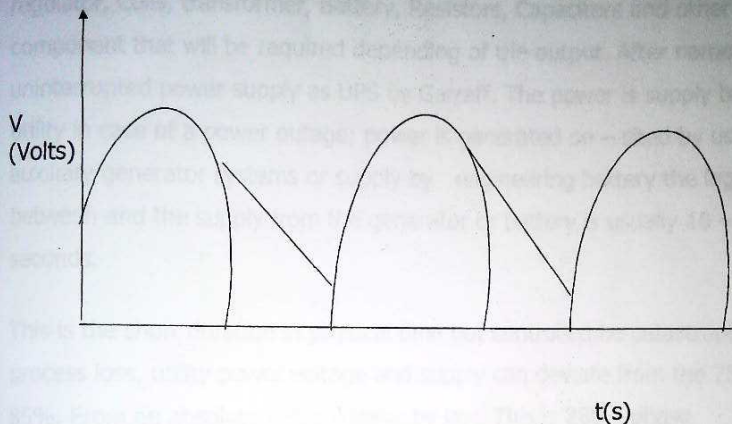


fig. 2.4 Half - wave rectification with capacitor C. usually to obtain fairly large capacitance value and in minimum value electrolytic capacitor is used. The large is the capacitor the battery is the filtration action.

The value of the capacitor is chose to be varying large in other.

- O To prevent small reactance to be pulsating rectifier put
- O To store sufficient charge.

Finally, the electronic capacitor voltage rating should be greater that the current expected max voltage.



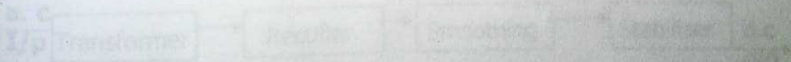
## 2.4 HISTORICAL BACKGROUND OF THE UPS

Towards the end of the 19th century, scientist began to invent equipment that will be used when there is no electricity supply by Len Jones by using regulator, Coils, transformer, Battery, Resistors, Capacitors and other component that will be required depending of the output. After named as uninterrupt power supply as UPS by Garraff. The power is supply by the utility in case of a power outage; power is generated on – sited by using auxiliary generator systems or supply by engineering battery the lag time between and the supply from the generator or battery is usually 10 – 30 seconds.

This is the short duration in physical time but controlled be catastrophic in process loss, utility power voltage and supply can deviate from the 75% to 85%. From an absolute value voltage by law. This is 280 – phase

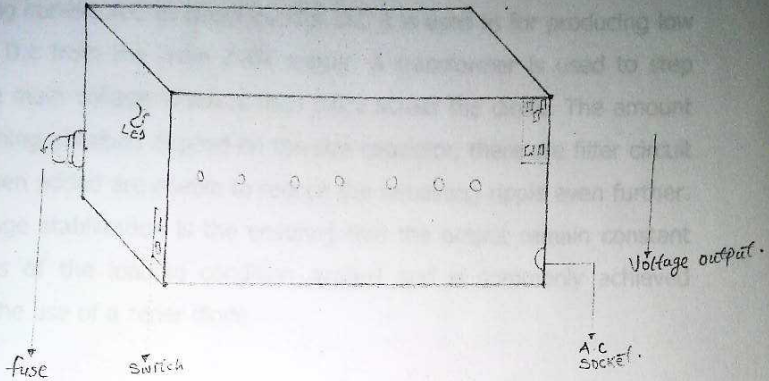
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### 3.2 BLOCK DIAGRAM (PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION)



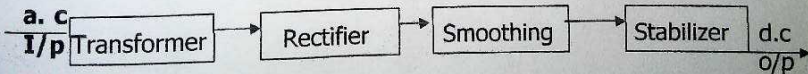
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### 3.1 DESIGN



The project was design using plastic rubber. With the following measurement length 21cm and Breath 11.8cm.

### 3.2 BLOCK DIAGRAM (PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION)

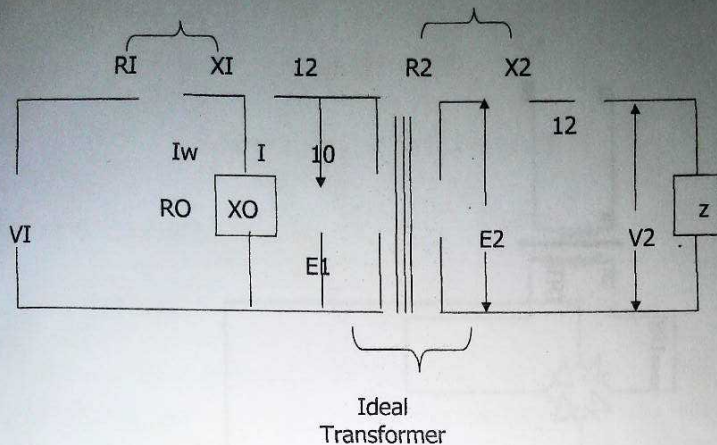


## **BLOCK DIAGRAMM OF UPS (UNINTERRUPTED POWER SUPPLY)**

Principle of operation: the rectification unit is the process of converting alternating current A.C to direct current D.C it is used in for producing low – power D.c from the main 240V supply. A transformer is used to step down the main voltage which is then place across the diode. The amount of smoothing obtained depend on the size capacitor, there are filter circuit which when added are enable to reduce the remaining ripple even further. The voltage stabilization is the ensuring that the output remain constant regardless of the loading condition applied and is commonly achieved through the use of a zener diode

### **3.3 CALCULATION**

The performance of a transformer can be calculated on the basic of its equivalent circuit which contains on the diagram below.



The no - load current  $I_0$  is simulated by pure inductance  $X_0$  taking the magnetizing component  $I_u$  and a non - inductive resistance  $R_0$  taking the working component  $I_w$  connected in parallel across the primary circuit.

The value of  $E_1$  is obtained by subtracting vectorially  $I_1 Z_1$  from  $V_1$ . The value  $X_0 = E_1 / I_0$  and of  $R_0 = E_1 / I_w$ . It is clear that  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are related to each other by expression.

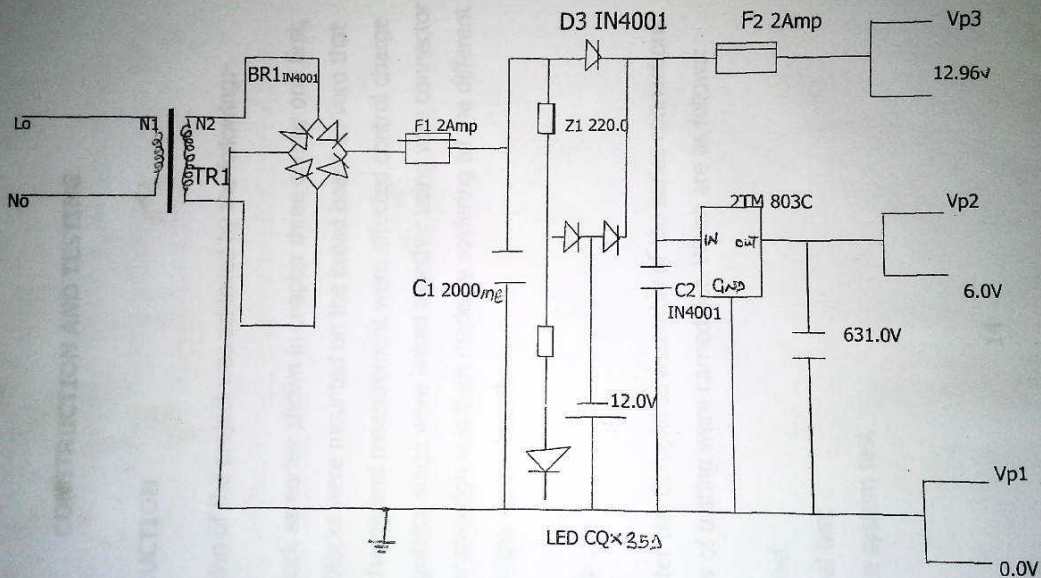
$$E_2 / E_1 = N_2 / N_1 = K$$

To make transformer calculation simpler, it is preferable to transfer voltage. Current and impedance either to the primary or to the secondary. In that case, we would have to work in one winding only which is more convenient. From transferring secondary impedance to primary  $K_2$  is used.

$$R_2 = R_2 / k_2, X_2 = X_2 / k_2, Z_2 = Z_2 / k_2$$

Where  $E_2 = E_2 / K = E_1$  is the primary equivalent of the secondary induced voltage.

## CIRCUIT DIAGRAM OF UNINTERRUPTED POWER SUPPLY (UPS)



## **CHAPTER FOUR**

### **CONSTRUCTION AND TESTING**

#### **4.1 CONSTRUCTION**

The construction of the project was achieved by the following:-

The design block as earlier shown in chapter three one by one first, the different blocks were mounted on the bread board so vero that adjustment, charge and measurement were affected control charge circuit and regulator stage were linked together using wire connector paramount construction was then made by soldering all the different component on the vero – board.

#### **4.2 TESTING**

Before And after the Completed assembly of the series connections different types of testing were carried out. Which are as follows:

1. Wiring test
2. Individual test
3. Complete system test

## CHAPTER FIVE

Explanation of the several:- test carried out

1. Wiring test:- The wiring test of the circuit was done on a vero-board. Short circuit and open circuit tests were done using a digital multi-meter (DMM). The wiring was found satisfactory.
2. Individual Component Test:- Before making use of the component, they were subjected to various tests to confirm well-being. Resistor and capacitor values were tested with a meter.

The diode:- the diode was subjected to test to ascertain its forward and reverse biased characteristics.

## CHAPTER FIVE

### SUMMARY, CONCLUSION: - RECOMMENDATIONS

#### 5.1 SUMMARY

After I have finished my construction came across a fault in my circuit with the resistor having lower value than that of the surrounding components when tested it did not work since there not short in the circuit. The resistor was soldered and the circuit worked.

#### 5.2 CONCLUSIONS

The design circuit of UPS (uninterrupted power supply) achieved with our design with regulated output voltage 6V and unregulated 12V as regulated in the circuit.

#### 5.3 RECOMMENDATIONS

The following recommendation where made:

1. Follow-up studies on this project should be undertaken <sup>en</sup> by other students but with modification ↵ ,
2. ~~the circuit worked~~



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