

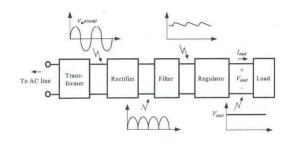


MECH 10 Fundamentals of Electronics



DC Power Supply

- A device that supplies electrical energy as direct current
- Functions
 - Voltage transformation
 - Energy conversion
 - Filtration
 - Regulation
 - Isolation
 - Protection





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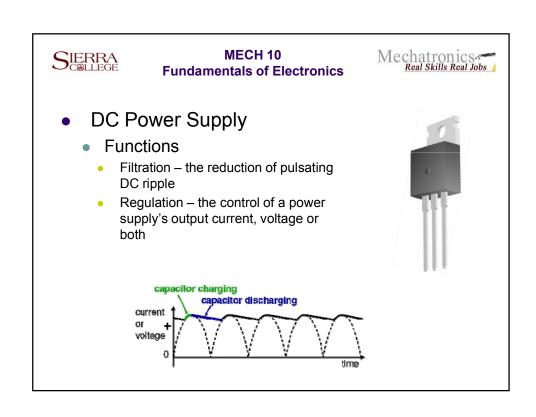
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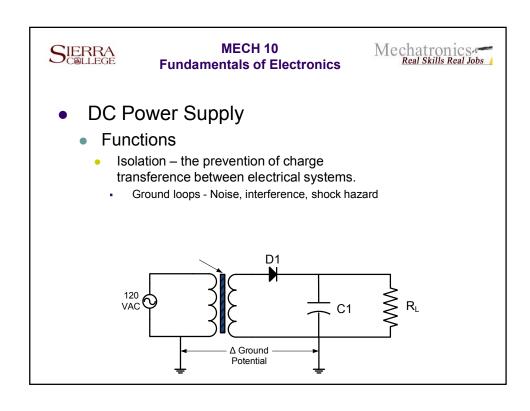
- Types
 - Linear regulates output using transistors operating in linear mode. Power is supplied as a continuous voltage and current
 - Switched Mode regulates output using transistors operating in saturation mode. Power is supplied as voltage pulses with controlled duty cycle

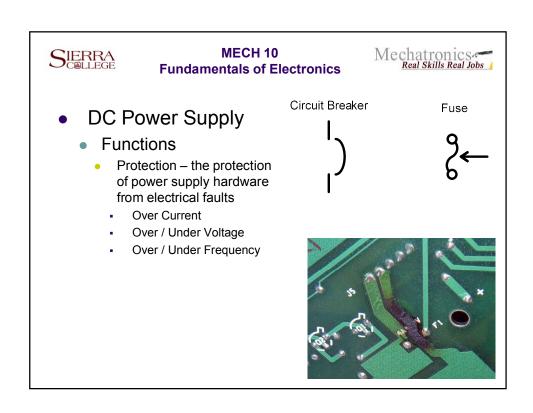


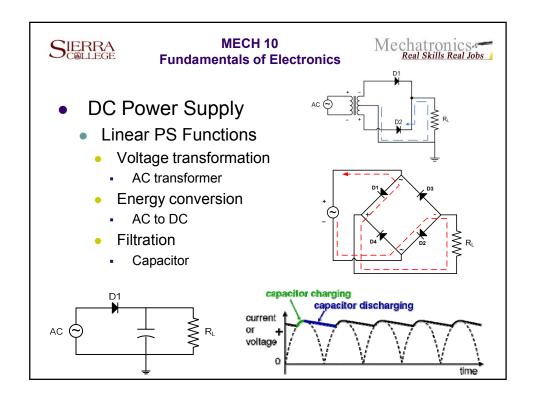


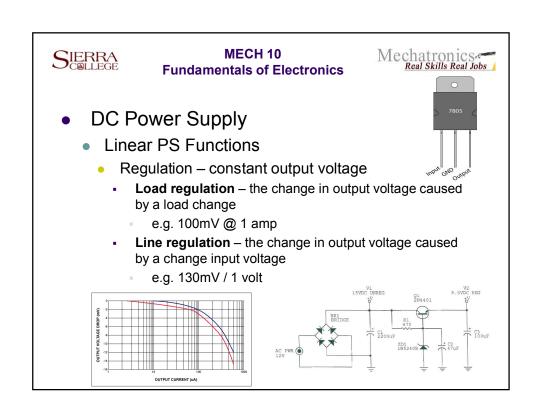
MECH 10 Fundamentals of Electronics • DC Power Supply • Functions • Voltage transformation – the use of an AC transformer to step down line voltage • Energy conversion – the conversion of electrical energy from alternating to direct current











Mechatronics Real Skills Real Jobs **MECH 10** SIERRA **Fundamentals of Electronics DC Power Supply** Switched Mode PS Functions Steps down the voltage with a high-frequency (40 to 200 kHz) transformer. The primary and secondary sides are insulated from each other. Converts AC into DC by rectifying and smoothing AC. **Energy Conversion** Rectifier Filtration DC OUT Capacitors Voltage transformation Pulse width Detection modulator circuit Primary - PWM Controls the high-frequency switching pulse width and frequency to stabilize the output. Secondary - filtered DC Isolation Transformer magnetic coupling

Sierra MECH 10 Mechatronics • DC Power Supply • Switched Mode PS Functions • Pulse width modulation Duty Cycle $V_{eff} = D \times V_{MAX} + (1-D) \times V_{min}$ Where; D = duty cycle (%) $V_{MAX} = \text{max voltage}$ $V_{MIN} = \text{min voltage}$



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- DC Power Supply
 - Linear v Switched

	Linear PS	SMPS
Size & Weight	Xfmr & heat sinks add bulk & size	Smaller & lighter (HF inductor v xfmr, heat sinks)
Efficiency	30 to 40% (function of V_{in} versus V_{out})	60 to 90% (low resistive losses between input & output, precise load regulation)
Radio Frequency Interference	Mild high frequency from AC rectifier	Strong due to current switching



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Lab 19 – MagLev Power Supply

Learning Objectives

- Measure the output of a bridge rectifier
- Measure ripple voltage from a DC power supply
- Visualize voltage ripple in a DC power supply output.
 Understand the benefits of filtered and regulated power supplies

		Points Possible
Documentation	Quality of documentation (neatness, clarity, spelling, grammar), Expected and measured values recorded on schematic diagram	10
Setup	Power supply voltages measured and calculated	5
Unfiltered Bridge Rectifier	Waveform captured, frequency calculated,	5
Filtered Bridge Rectifier	LED V _F , C1 voltage drop, V _{PP} , V _{R2} , I _{R2} , Q1 V _{PP} , ripple waveform captured	10
Conclusions	Questions answered completely & accurately.	20
	Total	50