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POWER SYSTEMS – III

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words
as far as practicable.*

GROUP – A

(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any *ten* of the following : $10 \times 1 = 10$

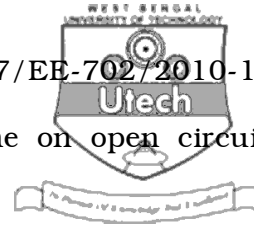
i) The capacitance & inductance per unit length of a line operating at 110 kV are $0.1 \mu\text{F}$ & 2 mH . The surge impedance loading of the line is

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| a) 40 MVA | b) 30 MVA |
| c) 27 MVA | d) None of these. |

ii) A synchronous condenser is a/an

- a) d.c. generator
- b) induction motor
- c) overexcited synchronous motor
- d) underexcited synchronous motor.

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viii) An uncompensated transmission line on open circuit leads to

- a) Ferranti effect
- b) Line-charging current flowing into generators is more
- c) Both (a) & (b)
- d) None of these.

ix) In a two plant system, the load is connected to plant no. 2. The loss coefficients

- a) B_{11}, B_{12}, B_{22} are non-zero
- b) B_{11} is non - zero but B_{12} and B_{22} are zero
- c) B_{11} and B_{12} are non - zero but B_{22} is zero
- d) B_{11} and B_{22} are non - zero but B_{12} is zero.

x) Load compensation is used to improve

- a) voltage profile and power factor
- b) voltage profile and reactive power
- c) reactive power and power factor
- d) none of these.

xi) Lightning arrester should be located

- a) near the circuit breaker
- b) away from the circuit breaker
- c) near the transformer
- d) away from the transformer.



- xii) Steady state stability of the power system is improved by
- a) reducing fault clearing line
 - b) using double circuit line instead of single circuited line
 - c) single pole switching
 - d) decreasing generation inertia.

GROUP – B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 5 = 15$

2. Explain reflection coefficient, surge impedance and surge impedance loading.
3. Explain why series compensation leads to improvement in system stability. Compare the performances of series and shunt capacitors in a power system.
4. a) What do you mean by a $1.2/50 \mu s$ lightning surge ? 2
b) How is the rating of surge arrester determined for each phase in a 3-phase 220 V kV system ? 3
5. How do you model the tie-line power flow in a two area system using analytical technique ?
6. Explain the phenomena of lightning and the travelling waves caused by it on transmission lines.



GROUP – C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

7. a) Describe the solution methodology of economic load despatch with transmission loss. What are penalty factor and incremental transmission loss ? 8
- b) Determine economic operating point for the following three units when delivering a load of 850 MW : 7

Unit 1 : Coal fired steam unit :

$$P_{1\max} = 600 \text{ MW}, P_{1\min} = 150 \text{ MW}$$

Input-output curve :

$$H_1 = 510 + 7 \cdot 2 P_1 + 0 \cdot 00142 P_1^2 \text{ MBtu/hr}$$

Unit 2 : Oil fired steam unit :

$$P_{2\max} = 400 \text{ MW}, P_{2\min} = 100 \text{ MW}$$

Input-output curve :

$$H_2 = 310 + 7 \cdot 85 P_2 + 0 \cdot 00194 P_2^2 \text{ MBtu/hr}$$

Unit 3 : Oil fired steam unit :

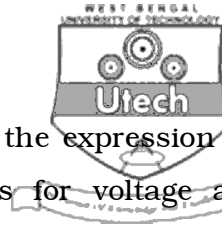
$$P_{3\max} = 200 \text{ MW}, P_{3\min} = 50 \text{ MW}$$

Input-output curve :

$$H_3 = 78 + 7 \cdot 97 P_3 + 0 \cdot 00482 P_3^2 \text{ MBtu/hr}$$

Cost of coal : 1.1 \$/MBtu

Cost of oil : 1.0 \$/MBtu



8. a) What is basic impulse level ? Derive the expression for reflection and refraction co-efficients for voltage and current travelling waves. 8

- b) The line is open circuited with a receiving end voltage of 220 kV. Find the rms value and phase angle of the following :

- i) The incident and reflected voltages to neutral at the receiving end.
- ii) The incident and reflected voltages to neutral at 200 km from the receiving end.

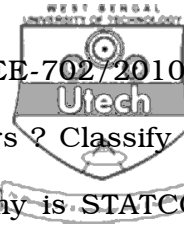
$$\alpha = 0.163 \times 10^{-3}, \beta = 1.068 \times 10^{-3} \quad 7$$

9. a) What is the significance of reactive power in power system ? Prove that voltage regulation in a transmission line mainly depends on reactive power. 2 + 5

- b) An inductive load draws power of (2 + j1) MVA at a receiving end bus of a radial three phase line. The receiving end bus voltage is 11 kV at 50 Hz and the system reactance is 0.5 Ω /phase. Calculate

- i) the receiving end current
- ii) voltage regulation
- iii) the sending end voltage and
- iv) the short capacity of the system.

Assume the system to be lossless. 8



10. What is FACTS ? What are FACTS controllers ? Classify the FACTS controllers. What is STATCOM ? Why is STATCOM used in load flow ?

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11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 3 × 5

- a) Spinning reserve
- b) Exciter and its role in AVR loop of the alternator
- c) Bewly's Lattice diagram
- d) Gapless surge arrester
- e) Hydrothermal scheduling.

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