The primary source of energyis the sun
The most important form of energy is the electrical energy
1 Kwh =Kcal <mark>860</mark>
The Calorific value of a solid fuel is expressed in cal/gm or kcal/kg
The three principal sources of energy used for the generation of electrical energy are and water, fuels and radioactive substances
Electrical energy is than other forms of energy. cheaper
The electrical, heat and mechanical energiesbe expressed in the same unitzs. can
continue to enjoy the chief source for the generation of electrical emergy. fuels
The basic unit of energy is joule
An alternator is a machine which converts into
mechanical energy, electrical energy
The major heat loss in a steam power station occurs in condenser, about 53%
The thermal efficiency of a steam power station is about 28%
Cooling towers are used where water is not available in sufficient quantity
The running cost of a medium power stations is aboutpaise per unit. 15
In a hydro - electric plant, spilways are used to discharge surplus water on the downstream side of dam
Francis and Kaplan turbines are used for heads 5 Surge tank is provided for the protection of pelton wheel
Of all the plants, minimum quantity of fuel is required in nuclear power
The cost of fuel transportation is minimum inPlant. Hydro Electric
The cheapest plant in operation and maintenance isPlamt. Hydro Electric
Economisers are used to heat Feed water

The running cost of a neuclear power plant is aboutpaise per unit 20
Diesel power plants are used asplants. stand by
India's first nuclear power plant was built at Tarapur
The most simple and clean plant isplant. Hydro Electric
The first nuclear power plant in the world was commissioned in U.S.S.R
Gas turbine power plant isefficient than steam power plant more
Draft tube is used in turbines. reaction
The power factor of an a.c. circuit is given by power divided by power active apparent
The lagging power factor is due topower drawn by the circuit. lagging reactive
UNIT - 2
By using a guard ring, string efficiency is increased Shunt capacitance in suspension insulators can be decreased by increasing the distance of from conductor, tower
The insulator is so designed that it should fail only by flash over
Suspension type insulatos are used for voltages beyond 33Kv
In a string of suspension insulators, if the unit nearest to the conductor breaks down, then other units will also breakdown
A shorter string hasstring efficiency than a larger one. more
Corona effect ispronounced in stormy weather as compared to fair weather. more
If the conductor size is increased, the corona effect is decreased
The longer the crossarm, the _the string efficiency. greater
The discs of the strain insulators are used inplane. vertical

Sag is provided in overhead lines so that Safe tension is not exceeded
When an insulator breaks down by puncture, it isdamaged. permanently
The power loss in an overhead transmission line is mainly due to Line conductor resistance
If the length of a transmission line increases, its inductance is increased
The d.c. resistance of aline conductor is than it's a.c. resistance. lesser
If capacitance netween two conductors of a 3 phase kline is 4micro farad, then capacitance of each conductor to neutral is 8Mf
If the length of the line is decreased, its capacitance is decreased
Transposition of a 3 phase transmission line helps in equalising inductance and capacitance of the three phases
A neutral plane is one whereis zero. electric intensity
In a single phase overhead line, the neutral plane lies at vertical
IF the supply frequency increases, then skin effect is increased
An overhead transmission lien has appreciable inductance because the loop it forms has X sectional area. larger
If the spacing between the conductors is increased, the inductance of the line increases
The skin effect isfor stranded conductor than the solid conductor. less
If the conductor diameter decreases, inductance of the line is increased
In short transmission lines, the effect of are neglected capacitance
of transmission lines, is the most impoprtant cause of power loss in the line. resistance
In the analysis of 3 phase transmission line, onlyis considered. onephase

For a given Vr and I, the regulation of the linewith the decrease in p.f. for lagging loads. increases
If the p.f. of the load decreases, the line losses increase
UNIT - 3
The underground system hasinitial cost than the overhead system more
A ring main system of distribution isreliable than the radial system. more
The distribution transformer links the primary and _ distribution systems secondary
The most common system for secondary distribtuion is 3 phase, wire system. 400/230v,4
The statutory limit for voltage variations at the consumer's terminal is $_\%$ of rated value. $\frac{6}{}$
The service mains connect the and the distributor, consumer terminals
The overhead system is flexible than underground system. more
The main consideration in the design of a feeder is the current carrying capacity
A 3 wire d.c. distribution makes availablevoltages two
Now a days system is used for distribution. a.c.
The interconnected sysem the reserve capacity of the systems. increases
The major part of investment on secondary distribution is made on distribution transformers
The chances of faults in underground system areas compared to overhead system. less
In a singly fed distributor, if fault occurs on any section, the supply to all consumers has to be shut off
A ring main distributor fed at one end is equivalent tofed at both ends with equal voltages. straight distributor
A distributor is designed fromconsiderations. voltage drop

The point of minimum potential of a uniformly loaded distributor fed at both ends with equal voltages will occur at mid point
The d.c. interconnector is usedthe voltage drops in the various sections of the distributor to reduce
In a 3 wire d.c. system, the load on postive side is 400A and on negative side it is 300A. Then current in neutral wire is 100A
In a balanced 3 wire d.c. system, the potential of neutral is betweet that of outers. midway
A booster is used tovoltage drop in feeders etc. compensate
Balancer set is used to maintain voltage on the two sides of the neutral equal to each other
In a balanced 3 wire d.c. system, if voltage across the outers is 500V, then voltage betweeb any outer and neutral is 250V
The voltage drop in a doubly fed distributor is than the equivalent singly fed distributor. less
In a 3 wire system, the area of X section of neutral is generally of either outer. half
If in a 3 wire d.c. system, the current in the neutral wire is zero, then voltage between any outer and neutral is the same
A booster is connected in with the feeder series
For exact compensation of voltage drop in the feeder, the booster must work onportion of its V-I characeristic. linear
The balancer machine connected to the heavily loaded side works as a generator
The most common system for secondary distribution is 400/ V, 3 phase,wire system. 230,4
UNIT - 4
In forced blast oil circuit breakers, the extinguishing foce is the fault current to be interrupted independent of

In low oil circuit breakers,is used for insulation purposes. solid material
Forced blast circuit breakers havespeed of circuit interruption. high Fuses are generally used in circuits where operations are not expected. frequent
The minimum time of operation of a fuse is than that of a circuit breaker. smaller
A fuse element should have melting point low
The disadvantages of tin fuse element is that its vapour tends towhen it blows out maintain the arc
The value of fusing factor is alwaysthan unity more
Semi enclosed rewireable fuses havebreaking capacity. low
A fuse has time current characteristics reversed
The action of a fuse is completely automatic Inherently
The fuse element is generally made of silver
The fuse melts well the first peak of fault current is reached before
A fuse is than other circuit interrupting device of equal breaking capacity cheaper
For the same material, heavy current fuse wires must have diameters than for smaller currents. larger
A fuse performsfunctions. both detection and interruption
A fuse has breaking capacity as compared toa acircuit breaker low
Differential protection scheme for longer lines iscostly very
The bus bar zone, for the purpose of protection, includes, and busbars, isolating switches, circuit breakers
The two most commonly used schemes for bus bar protection areand differential protection, fault bus protection
The probability of faults occuring on the lines is much more due to theirand greater length, exposure to atmospheric conditions

In time graded overcurrent protection,discrimination is incorporated time
The parallel feeders be protected by non directional overcurrent relays alone canno
The translay scheme is essentially a balance system voltage
A summation transformer is a device that reproduces the polyphase line currents as aphase quantity single phase 2 wire
The ideal scheme of protection for lines is protection differential protection, fault bus
Accurate matching of current transformers is _ in Merz - price voltage balance system essential
The most severe surges on the line are produced by
Lightening produces a fronted wave steep
Transients on the power system due to current chopping are taken care of by resistance switching
UNIT - 5
An earth fault current is generally than short circuit current less
Merz price circulating current principle is more suitable for than generators, transformers
In an oil circuit breaker, is used as the arc quenching medium. some mineral oil
The quantity of oil needed for arc control oil circuit breakers isthan that of plain break oil circuit breaker. less
Current chopping mainly occurs in circuit breakers air blast Capacitive current breaking results in voltage surges
Cross jet explosion pot breaker can interruptshort circuit currents efficiently. heavy
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Fuses are generally used in circuits where operations are not expected. frequent
In a transmission line, generalised constants and are equal A and D
A 3 wire d.c. distribution makes available voltages two
The underground system is costly than the equivalent overhead line system. more
Voltage drop in cable system is less than that of equivalent overhead line because of of conductors in a cable. closer spacing
A metallic sheath is provided over the insulation to protect the cable from moisture
In single - core cables, armouring is not done in order to avoid excessive sheath losses
The most commonly used insulation in high voltage cables is impregnated paper
Belted cables are generally used uptoKV 11
The working voltrage level of belted cables are unreliable because there is a danger of breakdown of insulation due to the tangential stresses
The concept of FACTS was found in the year 1988
TCSC helps in limiting fault current only when the firing angle is equal to 90 degree
Compared to SVC, STATCOM produces harmonics. less
For effective operation, the use of STATCOM needs thyristors. gate turn off
STATCOM is better than SVC
The capital cost of HVDC converter is more than AC substation
The power transfer capability of short lines is set by thermal limit
"The voltage profile of the transmission line is low, when" "reactive power absorption > reactive power generation"

"To increase the power transmitted through a long transmission line, " |||| "value of inductance can be decreased"

Increasing the frequency of transmission will |||| increase line resistance