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National Institute of Technology, Delhi

Name of the Examination: B. Tech.

Branch : EEE

Semester : 4th

Title of the Course : Power Systems

Course Code : EEL 253

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

- Note : 1. Do not write anything on the question paper except Roll number
2. Assume any data suitably if found missing

Section A: Answer all 10 questions. Each question carries 01 mark. [10×1=10]

- A1. Load curve is a graph between on x-axis and on y-axis.
- A2. Demand factor is the ratio of to
- A3. The conductor connecting consumer's terminals to the distributor is called
- A4. Transmitted power remaining the same, if the supply voltage of a two-wire distributor is doubled, saving in copper will be
- A5. Pin type insulators are generally not used for voltages exceeding kV.
- A6. Any two conductors separated by an insulating medium constitute a
- A7. In short transmission line the effect of is neglected.
- A8. The square root of the ratio of line impedance and shunt admittance is called..... Impedance.
- A9. Over excited synchronous phase modifier draws current.
- A10. Breakdown strength of air at NTP is

Section B: Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

[4×5=20]

- B1. A consumer has the following connected loads: 10 lamps of 60 W each and two heaters of 1000 W each. His maximum demand is 1500 W. On the average he uses 8 lamps 5 hours a day and each heater for 3 hours a day. Find his average load, monthly energy consumption and load factor.
- B2. An all aluminum conductor is composed of seven identical strands, each having a radius ' r '. Find the self GMD of the conductor.

- B3.** A 3 unit insulator string is fitted with a guard ring. The capacitance of the link pins to metal work and guard ring can be assumed to be 15% and 5% of the capacitance of each unit. Determine the voltage distribution and string efficiency.
- B4.** A 15 km long 3-phase overhead line delivers 5 MW at 11 kV at 0.8 lagging power factor. Line loss is 12% of power delivered. Line inductance is 1.1 mH/km/phase. Find sending end voltage and voltage regulation.
- B5.** A certain 3-phase equilateral transmission line has a total corona loss of 53 kW at 106 kV and a loss of 98 kW at 110.9 kV. What is the disruptive critical voltage? What is the corona loss at 113 kV?

Section C: Answer any 2 questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

[2×10=20]

- C1.** The cost per km of each of the copper conductor of a section $a \text{ cm}^2$ for a transmission line is Rs. $(2800a + 1300)$. The load factor of the load current is 80% and the load factor of the losses is 65%. The rate of interest and depreciation is 10% and the cost of energy is 50 paisa per kWh. Find the most economical current density of the transmission line by the use of Kelvin's law. Given $\rho = 1.78 \times 10^{-8} \Omega\text{-m}$.
- C2.** A single core lead covered cable is to be designed for 66 kV to earth. Its conductor radius is 0.5 cm and its three insulating materials A, B and C have relative permittivity's of 4, 2.5 and 4 with maximum permissible stresses of 50, 30 and 40 kV/cm respectively. Determine the minimum internal diameter of lead sheath.
- C3.** A 100 km, 50 Hz, 3- ϕ line with $r = 0.03 \Omega$, $x = 0.10 \Omega$, $c = 0.01 \mu\text{F per km}$ of line length has a load of 2 MW at 0.8 power factor lag at the receiving end. The receiving end is maintained at 11 kV by connecting at receiving end a bank of static capacitors rated at 1 MVAR at 11 kV. Calculate the voltage, current, power factor and power angle at the sending end of the line using nominal - π method.