

National Institute of Technology Delhi

Name of examination: B. Tech 4th Year (End-semester)

Branch : EEE Semester: 7
Title of Course : HVDC & Flexible AC Transmission Systems Subject Code: EE-402
Time: 3 Hours Marks: 50

Note:

1. All sections are compulsory
 2. Assume any data suitably if found missing
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(Section-I)

Q.1- Answer/comment on the following terms: (10)

- i. Surge Impedance
- ii. Objective of shunt compensation
- iii. Practical Limitation of FACTS controllers
- iv. Compare STATCOM and SVC.
- v. Turn off device with examples
- vi. Conduction angle
- vii. SSR
- viii. A-margin
- ix. Practical Power-angle curve in SVC compensated T-line
- x. Synchronous condenser

(Section-II)

Note: Attempt any FOUR

- Q.2-** Find the expression for voltage variation and reactive power required at the mid-point of symmetrical line w.r.t. SIL of line. (5)
- Q.3-** Specify the various applications of SVC in power system. (5)
- Q.4-** Clearly discuss the dynamic characteristics of SVC and list the various advantages of dynamic slope. (5)
- Q.5-** What are the different modes of TCSC operation? Find the expression for equivalent impedance of TCSC. (5)
- Q.6-** Elaborate the various closed-loop control strategies of TCSC. (5)

(Section-III)

Note: Attempt any TWO

- Q.7- (a)** Explain following series compensated device with V-I characteristics: (5)
- i. GCSC
 - ii. TSSC
- (b)** Define and compare VSC and CSC. (5)
- Q.8- (a)** Define the principal and working of following compensators with well-ordered figures:
- i. SSSC
 - ii. STATCOM (5)
- (b)** What are the various features of UPFC? Clearly define the working and modes of UPFC. Why it is called Universal compensator? (5)
- Q. 9- (a)** Compare the performance of AC and DC transmission under various factors like economic, technical and reliability issues. (5)
- (b)** Describe different type of converter faults which occur in HVDC converter station. (5)