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15UEE404- TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION

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Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. Which of the following voltage is the usually not secondary distribution voltage in Tamilnadu? CO1- R  
(a) 400 V                      (b) 440 V                      (c) 115 V                      (d) 230 V
2. Which of the following system is one way power transfer system CO1- R  
(a) Radial system                      (b) Ring main system  
(c) Interconnected system                      (d) None of the above
3. GMR of a conductor is CO2- R  
(a)  $GMR = 0.7788 r$     (b)  $GMR = 0.7677 r$     (c)  $GMR = 0.7766 d$     (d)  $GMR = 0.7788 d$
4. Skin effect is not associated with the following one CO2- R  
(a) Frequency    (b) Diameter of the wire    (c) Shape of the wire    (d) Size of the wire
5. What is the distance covered for short transmission line CO3- R  
(a) Less than 50 km    (b) More than 50 km    (c) 50 km to 150 km    (d) Less than 60 km
6. Surge impedance of the transmission line is ? CO3- R  
(a) Root of  $L / C$     (b) Root of  $R / C$     (c) Root of  $L / R$     (d) root of  $L / C * R$
7. What is the forbidden level of Insulator ? CO4- R  
(a) Less than 3 eV    (b) 0.7 eV    (c) 0.3 eV    (d) More than 4 eV

8. What is the maximum voltage per insulator is? CO4- R  
 (a) 22 KV (b) 33 KV (c) 11 KV (d) 66 KV
9. Sag the conductor takes the following form CO5- R  
 (a)  $S = WL^2 / 2T$  (b)  $WL / 8D$  (c)  $WL^2 / 8T$  (d)  $WL^2 / 8D$
10. Outdoor substation is preferred for CO5- R  
 (a) Less than 66 KV (b) Beyond 110 KV (c) Less than 110 KV (d) Beyond 66 KV

PART – B (5 x 2= 10 Marks)

11. What are the types of HVDC links? CO1- R
12. What is the need of Transposition? CO2- R
13. What is Ferranti effect? CO3- R
14. Draw the equivalent circuit of a cable? CO4- R
15. What is Substation? CO5- R

PART – C (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

16. (a) Example with a neat layout of the modern EHV system ? What is the highest voltage level available in Tamilnadu and India for EHV transmission system? CO1- U (16)

Or

- (b) A 2 wire DC distributor AB is 300 metres long. It is fed at point A . The various loads and their positions are given below. CO1- U (16)

At point	Distance from A in metres	Concentrated load in amperes
C	40	30
D	100	40
E	150	100
F	250	50

If the maximum permissible voltage drop is not to exceed 10 V , find the cross sectional area of the distributor. Take  $\rho = 1.78 \times 10^{-8} \Omega \text{ metres}$ .

17. (a) A single phase 10 km line is 8 m above the ground. The diameter of the conductor is 2 cm and is separated by 4 km horizontally. CO2- U (16)

Find

- (i) Capacitance between conductors
- (ii) Capacitance between phase and neutral plane
- (iii) Capacitance when effect of ground is neglected.

Or

- (b) (i) Derive an expression for Inductance of a 3 phase transmission line with unsymmetrical spacing. CO2- U (8)
- (ii) Explain the concept of Transposition of conductor CO2- U (8)
- 18. (a) A single phase 11 KV line with a length of 15 km is to transmit a power of 500 KVA. The inductance reactance of the line is 0.5 ohm / km and the resistance is 0.3 ohm / km. Calculate the CO3- U (16)
  - (i) Efficiency and
  - (ii) Regulation of the line for 0.8 lagging power factor.

Or

- (b) Explain the following methods for Medium Transmission lines CO3- U (8)
  - (i) End Condenser method
  - (ii) Nominal T method (or) middle condenser method CO3- U (8)
- 19. (a) A suspension string has 3 units. Each unit can withstand a maximum voltage of 11 KV. The capacitance of each joint and metal work is 20 percent of the capacitance of each disc. Find CO4- U (16)
  - (i) Maximum line voltage for which the string can be used and
  - (ii) String efficiency

Or

- (b) Discuss briefly on the following Insulator: CO4- U (4)
  - (i) Pin Insulator
  - (ii) Suspension Insulator CO4- U (6)
  - (iii) Strain Insulator CO4- U (6)

20. (a) Make a short note on the following topics:

(i) Indoor substation

CO5- U (8)

(ii) Outdoor substation

CO5- U (8)

Or

(b) Explain the following concepts with the help of diagram.

(i) Peterson coil grounding

CO5- U (8)

(ii) Reactance grounding

CO5- U (8)