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**Question Paper Code: U4304**

B.E. / B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOV 2024

Fourth Semester

Electrical and Electronics Engineering

21UEE404 ELECTRIC POWER TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

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| 1. Why High voltage is preferred for Power Transmission?                     | CO1- U |
| 2. State the disadvantages of HVDC transmission                              | CO1 -U |
| 3. Differentiate between bundled conductors and stranded conductors.         | CO2 -U |
| 4. Define skin effect. On what factors it depends                            | CO2 -U |
| 5. Illustrate Ferranti effect.   | CO2 -U |
| 6. Define voltage regulation of transmission line                            | CO2 -U |
| 7. State the methods for improving string efficiency                         | CO1- U |
| 8. Define Grading of Cables.   | CO1 -U |
| 9. Define Sag  | CO1- U |
| 10. List out the different techniques employed for grounding in substations? | CO1- U |

PART – B (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

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| 11. (a) Explain in detail about the structure of electrical power system.                   | CO1 - U   | (16) |
| Or  |           |      |
| (b) Explain in detail about FACTS device and its types                                      | CO1- U    | (16) |
| 12. (a) Derive an expression for Inductance of single phase Overhead line transmission line | CO3 - App | (16) |

Or

- (b) Derive the Capacitance of a Three phase line with Unsymmetrical Spacing CO3-App (16)
13. (a) Using rigorous method, derive expression for sending end voltage and current for a long transmission line CO3- Ana (16)
- Or
- (b) Derive the expression power flow through transmission line and explain various steps involved in sending end power circle diagram with neat sketch CO3-Ana (16)
14. (a) (i) Explain the constructional features of one LT and HT cable. CO1 U (8)
- (ii) Compare overhead lines and underground cables. CO1 U (8)
- Or
- (b) What are the various types of insulators? Draw and explain about suspension type and pin type insulators. CO1-U (16)
15. (a) Derive the expressions for sag and conductor length under bad weather conditions. Assume Shape of over head line is a parabola. CO2-A (16)
- Or
- (b) Make use of safety considerations associated with the layout of a GIS substation, explain it in details. CO2- A (16)