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

Sixth Semester

Electrical and Electronics Engineering

21UEE602 - PROTECTION AND SWITCHGEAR

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

- Outline the unprotected zone CO1- U
(a) Transient state (b) Subtransient state (c) Steady state (d) Dead spot
- The grounding is generally at the _____ end CO1- U
(a) Switching (b) Supply (c) terminal (d) none of these
- Directional relays are based on flow of CO3- U
(a) power (b) current (c) voltage wave (d) all of the above
- Which one is most sensitive relay? CO3- U
(a) Universal relay (b) Differential relay (c) Distance relay (d) Overcurrent relay
- If the fault current is 2000 A, the relay setting is 50% and CT ratio is 400 : 5, then plug setting multiplier will be CO4- U
(a) 10A (b) 15A (c) 25 A (d) 50A
- A Merz-price protection is suitable for CO4- U
(a) transformers (b) alternators (c) feeders (d) Transmission lines.
- Static relays _____ moving parts. CO5- U
(a) have (b) do not have (c) may/may not have (d)) none of these
- The comparator which processes both magnitude and phase angle is CO5- U
(a) Phase (b) Amplitude (c) Hybrid (d) None of the above

9. Low voltage circuit breakers have rated voltage of less than CO6- U
 (a) 220 V (b) 400V (c) 1000 V (d) 10,000 V.
10. Interrupting medium in a contactor may be CO6- U
 (a) air (b) oil (c) SF6 gas (d) Any of the above.
- PART – B (5 x 2= 10Marks)
11. Relate “Primary Protection” with “Back-up Protection”. CO1- U
12. Define PSM and TSM CO3- U
13. List the common methods used for line protection. CO4 -U
14. Outline the merits of Static Relay CO5- U
15. Explain current chopping. CO6 -U
- PART – C (5 x 16= 80 Marks)
16. (a) Explain the different qualities require for protective relaying CO1 - U (16)
 Or
 (b) Explain the reasons leading to the general practice of earthling the neutral point and discuss the various methods of earthling. CO1 - U (16)
17. (a) Explain the construction, working & operating principle of Directional and Non – directional Induction type over current relay. CO3 - U (16)
 Or
 (b) Compare the operational features of impedance, reactance and MHO type relays with necessary diagrams CO3 - U (16)
18. (a) Make use of Buckholz relay for the protection of oil immersed transformers against all types of internal faults. CO4- App (16)
 Or
 (b) Develop a protection scheme for protection against the external faults occur in an induction motor CO4- App (16)
19. (a) Analyze the function of the measuring element in a Static relay, when the signal received from the input element is higher in magnitude than the set value and explain its operation. CO5- App (16)
 Or
 (b) Construct a protective model to demonstrate the situation at which condition a transmission line gets protected when it is adopted with the numerical distance protection CO5- App (16)
20. (a) Compare DC circuit breaking with AC circuit breaking in detail. CO6- App (16)
 Or
 (b) Make use of SF6 as arc quenching agent in a circuit breaker and describe its operation with neat diagram CO6- App (16)