



CBCS SCHEME

15EE751

Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept. 2020 FACTS and HVDC Transmission

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Why transmission interconnections are needed? (04 Marks)
- b. Describe the power flow in an AC system. (06 Marks)
- c. Write about the basic types of FACTS controllers. (06 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Discuss the power flow and dynamic stability considerations of a transmission interconnection. (08 Marks)
- b. Describe and define the FACTS controllers in detail. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Describe the operation of TCR along with circuit and $V - I$ characteristics. (08 Marks)
- b. Define switching converter type var generator. Explain the basic operating principles of converter type var generator. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain the operation of TSC - TCR with the help of basic circuit model and $V - I$ characteristics. (08 Marks)
- b. Describe about the basic control approaches for var generator. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Discuss the improvement of transient stability in series compensated line with the help of equal area criterion. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain the function of STATCOM along with circuit model and $V - I$ characteristics. (08 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Compare the $V - I$ and $V - Q$ characteristics of STATCOM and SVC. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain the working of TCSC with the neat sketches of circuit and $V - I$ plot. (04 Marks)
- c. Describe the operation of Static Series Synchronous Compensator (SSSC) with the help of circuit. (06 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Make a comparison between HVAC and HVDC transmission systems. (04 Marks)
- b. List the advantages of HVDC system. (04 Marks)
- c. Explain the operation of 3 - ph bridge converter with the help of circuit and waveforms. (08 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

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OR

- 8 a. Draw the schematic diagram and explain the operation of 12 – pulse converter. (06 Marks)
b. Describe the organization of HVDC systems. (06 Marks)
c. Emphasize the basic applications of HVDC system. (04 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Describe the converter control for a HVDC system. (08 Marks)
b. Explain about the commutation failure in HVDC converter system. (04 Marks)
c. What are the functions of HVDC control? (04 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Describe the design of HVDC control. (08 Marks)
b. Explain the concept of reactive power and voltage stability in HVDC system. (08 Marks)

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