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## B. TECH.

# THEORY EXAMINATION (SEM-VIII) 2016-17 EHV AC& DC TRANSMISSION

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

Note: Be precise in your answer. In case of numerical problem assume data wherever not provided.

#### SECTION - A

### 1. Attempt all of the following questions:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$ 

- (a) Define audible noise.
- **(b)** Define corona.
- (c) Write standard transmission voltage.
- (d) Why HVDC system is best for EHV AC system?
- (e) Write the names of filters used in the HVDC system.
- **(f)** What do you understand by surface voltage gradient?
- (g) Define impulse generator.
- (h) Define the significance of impulse tests.
- (i) Define flash over and 50% flash over voltage.
- (j) What are the causes of over currents?

#### SECTION - B

#### 2. Attempt any five of the following questions:

 $5 \times 10 = 50$ 

- (a) What are the causes of over voltage in converter station? How would you protect the converter station equipment from these over voltage?
- (b) Derive an equation for calculating the maximum electric intensity on the conductor surface of a three phase single circuit horizontal configuration line with two sub conductor per phase.
- (c) Explain mechanical consideration in transmission line.
- (d) What are the methods are used reducing the switching surge in EHV line?
- (e) Explain the Damper and Spacers EHV AC-DC system.
- (f) Discuss the design aspect of EHV lines, design factor under steady state condition.
- (g) For r=1cm, H=5m, f=50Hz, calculate corona loss  $P_C$  according to peek's formula when  $E=1.1E_0$  and  $\delta=1$
- (h) Discuss corona pulses, their generation and properties

#### SECTION - C

## Attempt any two of the following questions:

 $2 \times 15 = 30$ 

- **3.** What do you meant by MTDC system? What are the different types of MTDC system? Explain and compare each type of MTDC system.
- **4.** What are Explain the voltage multiplier circuits. Also explain the cascade connection of transformer for producing very high ac voltages
- 5. Discuss method of measuring high impulse currents. Discuss in detail about Sphere Gap measurements. What are its advantages and limitations for high voltage measurement?