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B.Tech III Year II Semester (R07) Supplementary Examinations December/January 2015/2016 SWITCH GEAR & PROTECTION

(Electrical and Electronics Engineering) (For 2008 regular admitted batch only)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE questions

All questions carry equal marks

- For a 132 kV system, the reactance and capacitance up to the location of circuit breaker is 5 ohms and 0.02 μF respectively. A resistance of 500 ohms is connected across the break of the circuit breaker. Determine: (i) Natural frequency of oscillation.
 - (ii) Damped frequency of oscillation.
 - (iii) Critical value of resistance
- 2 (a) Explain the performance of Minimum oil circuit breaker.
 - (b) Describe the principle of operation of SF_6 circuit breaker.
- 3 (a) Explain the applications of Percentage differential relays.
 - (b) Explain Primary protection and Back-up protection.
- 4 (a) What is restricted earth-fault protection for generators?
 - (b) A 500 kVA, 6.6 kV star connected alternator has a synchronous reactance of 2 ohms/phase and negligible resistance. The differential relay operates, if the out of balance current through it exceeds 30% of the normal full load current of the alternator. If the star point of the alternator is earthed through a resistance of 6.5 ohms. What percentage of the stator winding is left unprotected?
- 5 Describe with a neat sketch, the operation of Buchholz relay.
- 6 (a) Explain over current protection of feeder.
 - (b) Explain scheme of protection for ring main.
- 7 (a) Discuss about effectively grounded system and ungrounded system.
 - (b) A 132 kV, 3-phase, 50 Hz, 100 km long transmission line has a capacitance of 0.012 μF per km per phase. Determine the inductive reactance and kVA rating of the arc suppression coil suitable for this line.
- 8 Describe the construction and principle of operation of Valve type and Zinc oxide lightning arrester.
