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M.Tech.(Pow Engg.) (E-I) (Sem.–2) EHVAC TRANSMISSION Subject Code : PEE-514 Paper ID : [E0490]

Time : 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :

- 1. Attempt any FIVE questions out of EIGHT questions.
- 2. Each question carries TWENTY marks.
- Q1. Explain the term bundled conductor. Describe a typical bundled conductor used for 400 kVA AC overhead line. Explain the properties of the materials used in overhead transmission line.
- Q2. Describe a typical rigid tower for a 400 kVA single circuit line.
- Q3. What is the significance of temperature rise on the life of conductor and losses in transmission line? Describe the Kelvin's law of economic cross-section of conductor.
- Q4. Explain the terms: transient stability, steady state stability and voltage stability. How are they related with transmission systems?
- Q5. A 3 phase overhead line has conductor spacing of 5.5 m and conductor diameter of 3 cm. Atmospheric pressure is 740 mm of Hg and temperature is 10°C. Conductor surface irregularity factor is 0.9. Line is operated at 420 kV at 50 Hz. Calculate fair weather corona loss per phase by peeks formula.
- Q6. Define the electrostatic field of EHV line. Draw and explain the electrostatic field of 3 phase double circuit AC line.
- Q7. Explain the operation of surge arrester and the protective characteristics. A surge voltage has peak value of 6000 kV p. The protective level of the surge arrester is 450 kV p. The surge impedance is 500 Ω . Calculate surge current through the arrester.
- Q8. Write short notes on the following :
 - i) Series compensation.
 - ii) Types of circuit breakers for EHV AC system.