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DIELECTRIC AND INSULATION ENGINEERING

(POWER SYSTEMS HIGH VOLTAGE)

Time: 3hours

Max. Marks: 60

**Answer any five questions
All questions carry equal marks**

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- 1.a) Explain the concept of complex permittivity.
- b) What is polarization? Explain the concept of relative permittivity. [12]
2. What is the basis of classifying insulating materials? Explain about different classes, their ranges limitations and applications. [12]
- 3.a) Describe various applications of SF₆ as gaseous insulating material.
- b) Which factors make SF₆ a very good gaseous insulating material? [12]
4. Explain the "streamer theory" of break down of gases. [12]
5. Derive Paschens law. What are its applications? [12]
- 6.a) Describe the phenomenon of break down of gases in non uniform electric fields.
- b) Explain the phenomenon of corona. [12]
7. Explain the various theories of break down in commercial insulating liquids. [12]
8. Explain the phenomenon of break down due to treeing and tracking. How can they be prevented? [12]

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