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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14)

OCT/NOV-2016

DEEE—FIFTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

POWER SYSTEMS—II (T & D)

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART-A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- 1. Write the relative advantages of DC transmission over AC.
- 2. Compare 3-phase AC three-wire system with DC 2-wire system.
- 3. State Ferranti effect.
- **4.** List any three locations of HVDC transmission systems along with their ratings.
- **5.** Define sag and state factors affecting the sag.
- **6.** State the properties of insulating materials used for underground cables.
- 7. Classify the underground cables based on voltage rating.
- 8. Discuss the relative merits of indoor and outdoor substations.

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- **9.** Distinguish between primary distribution and secondary distribution.
- 10. State the future of a distributor fed at one end.

PART-B

10×5=50

Instructions : (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** Derive an expression for loop inductance of a single-phase transmission line.
- 12. A single-phase transmission line with loop resistance of 16, loop inductance of 0.2 H and capacitance of 0.6 F delivers 1.2 MVA, 0.8 lagging load at 22 kV and 50 Hz. Calculate the (a) voltage, (b) current and (c) power factor at the sending end by nominal -method.
- **13.** (a) Derive an equation for percentage regulation of a short transmission line.
 - (b) State the advantages and disadvantages of radial distribution system.
- **14.** Define string efficiency and explain the methods to improve it.
- 15. A transmission line of span of 200 meters between level supports. The conductor has a cross section area of 1.29 cm², weighs 1170 kg/km and has a breaking truss of 4218 kg/cm². Calculate the sag for a safety factor of 5, allowing a wind pressure of 122 kg/m².
- 16. (a) Derive an expression for insulation resistance of a cable. 5
 - (b) Find the insulation resistance/km of the cable of conductor diameter 1 cm and internal sheet diameter 1.75 cm and resistivity of a dielectric is $6 \ 10^{12}$ -m.

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- 17. Explain various equipments used in substation.
- **18.** A d.c. distributor of 1000 meter long and is loaded as under :

Distance from the feeding point (meters) : 2507501000Load in amperes: 100200300

The resistance of each conductor is 0.025 /km. Find the voltage at each load point if the voltage at the feeding point *A* is maintained at 250 V.

