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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14)

OCT/NOV-2017

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. State the skin effect.
 - 2. State the advantages of transmitting the power at high voltages.
 - **3.** Write the applications of hotline technique.
 - **4.** What are the advantages of HVDC transmission system than EHVAC transmission system?
 - 5. State the need of cross-arms and mention its types.
 - 6. State the requirements of a good insulator for overhead lines.
 - **7.** Define the following :
 - (a) Flash over
 - (b) Puncture

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- **8.** Classify the substations according to service.
- 9. What is the difference between the feeder and the distributor?
- 10. Write the advantages of feeding the distributor at both ends.

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.
- A 15-km long 3-phase overhead line delivers 5 MW at 11 kV at 0.8 lagging power factor. Line loss is 12% of power delivered. Line inductance is 1.1 mH/phase. Find the sending end voltage and voltage regulation.
- 12. Using nominal -method, find the sending end voltage and voltage regulation of 250 km, 3-phase, 50 Hz transmission line deliver 25 MVA at 0.8 power factor lagging to a balanced load at 132 kV. The line has a series impedance of 27 5 j97 4 and shunt admittance of 7 38 10⁴ mho.

13. (a) Explain the charging current in transmission line.

distribution system.

(b) Write the steps to calculate the voltage drops in an a.c.

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14. An overhead transmission line conductor having parabolic configuration weights 1.925 kg/m. The area of cross-section of the conductor 2.2 cm^2 and the ultimate strength is 8000 kg/cm². The supports are 600 m apart having 50 m difference. Calculate the sag from the taller of the two supports which must be allowed so that the factor of the safety shall be 5. Assume that ice load is 1 kg/m and there is no wind pressure.

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- **15.** A 33-kV overhead line has four units of string insulator. If the capacitance between each insulator pin and the earth is 11% of self-capacitance of each insulator. Find *(a)* the distribution of the voltage over three insulators and *(b)* the string efficiency.
- **16.** Explain the general construction of an underground cable with a neat sketch.
- **17.** Draw the single line diagram of a 33/11 kV substation.
- **18.** Find the sending end voltage and power factor of a.c. distributor as shown in figure. The power factors are with respect to receiving end voltage.

