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Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer 3 questions from Section - I and 3 questions from Section - II.
- 2) Answers to the two sections should be written in separate books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 5) Use of logarithmic tables slide rule, Mollier charts, electronic pocket calculator is allowed.
- 6) Assume suitable data, if necessary.

SECTION - I

- Q1) a) Explain arc interruption theories in case of circuit breakers. [8]
- b) A 3 phase 50 Hz alternator has inductance of 3 mH per phase & capacitance of 0.025 μ F per phase. The circuit breaker opens when rms current is 8000 A. Determine - [8]
- i) Frequency of oscillations
 - ii) Peak restriking voltage
 - iii) Av. rate of restriking voltage
 - iv) Max. value of RRRV

OR

- Q2) Describe in detail the concept of [16]
- a) Current chopping
 - b) Resistance switching associated with high voltage circuit breakers.

- Q3) a) Explain the construction & working of puffer Type SF₆ circuit breaker. [8]
- b) Explain various ratings of high voltage CB's. [8]

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- Q4)** a) Explain the construction & working of vacuum circuit breaker. [8]
b) Write short note on Auto reclosing. [8]
- Q5)** a) What do you mean by zones of protection? Explain primary & back-up protection. [10]
b) Explain following terms w. r. t. relay [8]
i) Plug setting
ii) Plug setting multiplier
iii) Time setting
iv) Operating time of relay.

OR

- Q6)** a) What do you mean by Protective Relaying? Explain the concept with basic block diagram. Why it is essential. What are different types of faults & its effects. [10]
b) Explain the basic requirements of good protective relaying. [8]

SECTION - II

- Q7)** a) Explain the least square method for estimation of phasor. [8]
b) With neat block diagram explain numerical relay. State its advantages over static relays. [10]

OR

- Q8)** a) With neat block diagram explain static relay state its advantages & disadvantages over electromagnetic relays. [10]
b) Write short notes on -
i) Sampling theorem
ii) Anti-aliasing filter [8]

- Q9)** a) Explain the difficulties faced by Merz price current differential protection used for protection of power transformer. [8]
b) A 11 kv, 70 MVA, alternator is provided with differential protection. The percentage of winding protected against phase to ground fault is 75%. The relay is set to operate when there is 20% out of balance current. Determine the value of the resistance to be placed in the neutral to ground connection. [8]

OR

Q10) a) With respect to alternator explain following protection schemes- [12]

- i) Unbalanced loading
- ii) Loss of excitation.
- iii) Loss of prime - mover

b) Explain high impedance bus bar differential protection scheme. [4]

Q11) a) Explain the effect of arc resistance and power swing on the performance of distance relay. [10]

b) Write a short note on Wide Area Measurement (WAM) system. [6]

OR

Q12) a) Explain time graded system & current graded system protection of three phase feeder using over current relays. [6]

b) Explain concept of distance relaying applied to protection of transmission lines. Compare impedance relay, reactance relay & Mho relay with reference to applications & characteristics. [10]

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