

B.Tech 7th Semester Exam., 2017

PROTECTION OF POWER APPARATUS
AND SYSTEM

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are **NINE** questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all.
- (iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

1. Choose the correct answer of the following
(any seven) : 2×7=14

- (a) The unit protection scheme provides
- (i) primary protection
 - (ii) backup protection
 - (iii) simultaneous protection
 - (iv) remote protection
- (b) The most efficient torque producing actuating structure for induction relay is
- (i) shaded pole structure
 - (ii) watt-hour meter structure
 - (iii) induction cup structure
 - (iv) None of the above

- (c) The standard current ratings of an electromagnetic relay are
- (i) 5 A and 15 A
 - (ii) 15 A and 20 A
 - (iii) 1 A and 5 A
 - (iv) 10 A and 15 A
- (d) Mho relay is normally used for the protection of
- (i) long transmission line
 - (ii) medium transmission line
 - (iii) short length line
 - (iv) No length criterion
- (e) The relay which is most sensitive to power swings is
- (i) mho relay
 - (ii) reactance relay
 - (iii) impedance relay
 - (iv) All are equally affected
- (f) Protection scheme used for detection of loss of excitation of a very large generating unit feeding power into a grid employs
- (i) under voltage relay
 - (ii) offset mho relay
 - (iii) under frequency relay
 - (iv) percentage differential relay

- (g) A thermal protection relay provides protection against
- overload
 - short-circuit
 - temperature
 - All of the above
- (h) A circuit breaker is
- power factor correcting device
 - a device to neutralize the effect of transients
 - a waveform correcting device
 - a current interrupting device
- (i) The expression of RRRV is
- $\sqrt{2} I \omega z$
 - $2 I \omega z$
 - $I \omega z$
 - $\sqrt{3} I \omega z$

where, I , ω and z are short circuit current, angular frequency and the effective surge impedance of the short-circuited line respectively.

- (j) SF_6 gas is
- sulphur fluoride
 - sulphur difluoride
 - sulphur hexafluoride
 - None of the above

2. (a) What are the causes of a fault? Discuss it briefly.
- (b) List all the methods of fault discrimination. Explain the method of discrimination by power direction comparison. 7+7=14
3. (a) Explain the theory of induction relay.
- (b) Describe the functioning of an impedance relay. 8+6=14
4. (a) Define plug setting multiplier and time setting multiplier of an IDMT relay.
- (b) The maximum fault current that can flow through the relay is 4000 A and the relay is set to operate at 400 primary ampere with a CT ratio of 400/5 and relay current setting of 50%.
- Calculate PSM of the relay.
 - For the same primary current and relay current setting of 100%, find the new value of PSM. 6+8=14
5. (a) Draw a differential protection scheme of a Y- Δ power transformer.
- (b) Explain all the problems encountered in differential protection of a transformer. 5+9=14

6. (a) Define symmetrical and asymmetrical breaking current with the help of short-circuit current wave.
- (b) Explain various components of operating time of a circuit breaker.
- (c) A three-phase circuit breaker is rated at 1250 A, 1000 MVA, 11 kV, 4 s. Find the rated symmetrical breaking current and making current.
7. (a) Classify circuit breaker based on medium used for arc quenching.
- (b) What are the different types of oil circuit breaker?
- (c) What are the advantages and disadvantages of air-blast circuit breaker? $3+4+7=14$
8. (a) Discuss all the reasons for overvoltage arising in a power system.
- (b) List different types of lightning arrestor.
- (c) Define impulse ratio of lightning arrestor.
- (d) What is the difference between surge absorber and surge diverter? $6+2+2+4=14$

9. Write short notes on any two of the following : $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Buchholz relay
- (b) SF₆ circuit breaker
- (c) Basic impulse insulation level (BIL)
