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1079  
B. Engg. (Electrical & Electronics Engg.)  
4<sup>th</sup> Semester  
EE-403: Power Systems-I

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Q. No. 1 (Section-A) which is compulsory and selecting atleast two questions each from Section-B & C.

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Section - A

- 1.a) Define string efficiency and its importance.
  - b) What are transposed conductors and their use.
  - c) What is proximity effect.
  - d) Define regulation of transmission lines.
  - e) What are the advantages of per unit system.
- (5x2=10)

Section - B

- 2.a) Discuss methods of grading cables.
  - b) A single core lead sheath cable is graded by using two dielectric of relative permittivity 3.0 (inner) And 2.5 (outer), the thickness of each being 1 cm. the core dia is 1.2 cm. system voltage is 3 phase, 66 KV. Determine the maximum stress in two dielectrics.
  - 3.a) A string of 5 insulators is fitted with a gradingring. All discs are similar and capacitance of each pin to earth is C. Find the values of line to pin capacitances so that the voltage distribution is uniform.
  - b) Explain methods of improving string efficiency.
  - 4.a) What is the effect of ice and wind on sag.
  - b) Discuss the phenomenon of wave reflection and refraction. Derive the expression for reflection and refraction coefficient.
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Section - C

- 5.a) Show that the inductance per unit length of an overhead transmission line due to internal flux linkages is constant and independent of size of conductor.
  - b) Derive expression for capacitance of three phase transmission with asymmetrical spacing.
  - 6. What is the need of reactive power control. Explain shunt and series compensation and compare.
  - 7. A 500 Km long transmission line charged at 132KV has series impedance of  $50+j250$  ohms per phase and shunt admittance of  $j1.2 \times 10^{-3}$  siemens per phase to neutral. The line is supplying 50MVA at 0.8 p.f lagging. Find the sending end voltage, current, power and power factor for  $\pi$  network.
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