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M.E. Electrical Engineering (Power System) **Second Semester**

EE-8210(a): Fast Transient in Power Systems

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. With necessary diagrams, describe the mechanism of lightning discharges and also the characteristics of lightning strokes.
- 2. Write the formula for tower footing resistance. With a neat diagram, explain the protection offered by ground wire.
- 3. Briefly explain about normal and abnormal switching transients. Write a short note on current chopping
- 4. Describe in detail about the causes of over voltages induced by various faults occurring in a power system.
- 5. Describe the transient response of systems with series and shunt distributed parameters.
- 6. What are the causes of transients on closing and reclosing of transmission lines? Explain the behaviour of travelling waves at line terminations for open circuited and short circuited line.
 - 7. Explain the meaning of Insulation Coordination. Illustrate with the help of a graph how volt-time characteristics are used in coordinating between a protecting device and a device to be protected.
 - 8. What are the air clearances that must be considered in the design of outdoor insulation? What are the main influencing factors that are required in calculating the creepage distances?