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(SEM. VII) THEORY EXAMINATION 2011-12 SWITCH GEAR AND PROTECTION

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

- Note:—(1) Attempt all questions.
 - (2) All questions carry equal marks.
 - (3) Be precise in your answers
- 1. Attempt any two parts of the following:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- (a) What is a distance relay? Draw its characteristics. How is directional features added with overcurrent relays? Why is it required?
- (b) What are primary and back-up protections? What are various kinds of back-up protections?
- (c) What is a zone of protection? Discuss various zones of protection of a power system with the help of line diagram.
- 2. Attempt any two parts of the following: (10×2=20)

god a near diagram. Explain the construction of a vacuum

(a) Describe various types of phase compensators used in static relays.

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- (b) Compare a static relay with electromagnetic relays.
- (c) Explain differential protection of a bus using high impedance relay or linear couplers.
- 3. Attempt any two parts of the following: $(10\times2=20)$
 - (a) Describe different types of distance relays used for protection of transmission line of power system. Which one is the best and why?
 - (b) Explain with a suitable example the phenomenon of auto reclosing.
 - (c) What are the problems associated with short line interruption? How is the problem eliminated?
- 4. Attempt any two parts of the following: $(10\times2=20)$
 - (a) Discuss about RRRV. Draw a neat diagram to show the voltage and current during relay and circuit breaker operations. Discuss about active recovery voltage, relay operating time, circuit breaking time and circuit making time.
 - (b) Give a complete protection scheme for alternator.
 - (c) Discuss the behaviour of electric arc in vacuum with the help of a neat diagram. Explain the construction of a vacuum ckt. breaker.

- 5. Attempt any two parts of the following: (10×2=20)
 - (a) Explain the phenomenon of current chopping in a circuit breaker.
 - (b) Describe pilot wire protection, its merits and demerits in detail.
 - (c) Draw appropriate diagrams to show the complete operation of a SF₆ circuit breaker. Give the merits of SF₆ circuit breakers.

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