

Code: EE7T6A

**IV B.Tech - I Semester – Regular/Supplementary Examinations  
October - 2019**

**ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS  
(ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

**PART – A**

Answer *all* the questions. All questions carry equal marks

11 x 2 = 22 M

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- a) List of methods used for voltage control.
- b) Define distribution system.
- c) Write the characteristics of residential loads.
- d) What is the difference between feeder and busbar.
- e) List the advantages of ring bus scheme.
- f) List out the objectives of distribution system protection.
- g) Define coordination.
- h) What is the difference between neutral and ground?
- i) Define loss factor.
- j) What is the difference between transformer and distribution transformer?
- k) What is the difference between switched capacitor and fixed capacitor?

## PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks.  
3 x 16 = 48 M

2. a) Show and derive the relation between load factor and loss factor. 8 M
- b) Explain the various factors effecting the distribution system planning. 8 M
3. a) Consider a single-phase, 2-wire secondary distributor of length 'l' meters from the distribution transformer. At a length of 'l<sub>1</sub>' meters from source, a load of I<sub>1</sub> amps with a p.f of cosθ<sub>1</sub> (lag) is tapped. At a length of 'l<sub>2</sub>' meters from source, a load of I<sub>2</sub> amps with a power factor cosθ<sub>2</sub> (lead) is tapped. At a length of l<sub>3</sub> meters from second load, a third load of I<sub>3</sub> amps with a UPF is tapped. If resistance and reactance of each wire are r and x ohms/meter respectively, derive approximate voltage drop equation in the distributor. 8 M
- b) Compare four and six feeder patterns in distribution substations. 8 M
4. a) Outline the expression for power loss of a radial feeder with non-uniformly distributed load. 8 M

- b) Define secondary banking and explain different connections of secondary banking. 8 M
5. a) Explain the different types of capacitors used in distribution system to improve the power factor. 8 M
- b) A 3-phase substation transformer has a name plate rating of 7500 kVA and a thermal capability of 125% of the name plate rating. If the connected load is 8816 kVA with a 0.9 power factor (lagging), determine the following: 8 M
- i. The kVAR rating of the shunt capacitor bank required to decrease the kVA load of the transformer to its capability level.
- ii. The power factor of the corrected level.
6. a) Explain the principle of an automatic circuit recloser used in protection of distribution system. 8 M
- b) Explain the following 8 M
- i) Fuse-Fuse coordination
- ii) Fuse-Circuit breaker coordination.