

Code: EE7T1

**IV B.Tech - I Semester – Regular/Supplementary Examinations
October - 2018**

**POWER SYSTEM OPERATION AND CONTROL
(ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A

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

11 x 2 = 22

1.

- a) Justify the production cost being considered as a function of real power generation.
- b) What does the production cost of a power plant correspond to?
- c) Define: i) Penalty factor ii) Current distribution factor.
- d) Why is the optimal scheduling problem in the case of thermal plants referred to as static optimization problem?
- e) What is the mathematical statement of the optimization problem in the hydro-thermal system?
- f) What are scheduling methods for short-term hydro-thermal coordination?
- g) What is meant by single area power system?
- h) What are basic requirements of a closed-loop control system employed for obtaining the frequency constant?
- i) What are the different methods of voltage control?

- j) What is a synchronous condenser?
k) What are the objectives of load compensation?

PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

3 x 16 = 48 M

2. a) Explain how the incremental production cost of a thermal power station can be determined. 8 M

- b) A plant consists of two units. The incremental fuel characteristics for the two units are given as

$$\frac{dc_1}{dP_{G1}} = 15 + 0.08 P_{G1} \text{Rs./MWh ;}$$

$$\frac{dc_2}{dP_{G2}} = 13 + 0.1 P_{G2} \text{Rs./MWh}$$

Find the optimal load sharing of two units when a total load of 300 MW is connected to the system. 8 M

3. a) What are types of scheduling problems in hydrothermal coordination? 8 M

- b) Discuss short term hydro-thermal scheduling using gradient approach. 8 M

4. a) Explain diagram for isolated power system for load frequency control. 8 M

- b) Explain the state variable model of single area load frequency controller with integral action. 8 M
5. a) What is meant by 8 M
i) Excitation voltage control ii) Synchronous condenser
- b) Discuss the location of voltage-control equipment. 8 M
6. a) Explain the effects on uncompensated line and compensated line. 8 M
- b) Compare the different types of compensating equipment for transmission systems. 8 M