

Code: EE7T4

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

**FLEXIBLE AC TRANSMISSION 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

1.

- a) Write down the advantages of FACTS.
- b) Define reactive power control.
- c) Write short notes on prevention of voltage instability.
- d) Write down the equation for synchronizing torque coefficient.
- e) Give short notes on blocked- thyristor mode.
- f) What are the modeling techniques involved in TCSC?
- g) What is meant by STATCOM?
- h) What was the effect of damping by using UPFC in case study power transmission lines?
- i) What is meant by steady-state interaction?
- j) What are the methods of controllable var generation?
- k) What is meant by series capacitive compensation?

## PART – B

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

$$3 \times 16 = 48 \text{ M}$$

2. a) Explain the power flow in AC systems. 8 M
- b) Explain the importance of controllable parameters. 8 M
3. a) Explain the operation of three phase full wave bridge converter with circuit diagram and waveforms. 8 M
- b) What are the merits and demerits of voltage source converter with compared to current source converter? 8 M
4. a) With phasor diagrams and power angle characteristics, explain a two machine power system with ideal midpoint reactive compensation. 8 M
- b) With circuit diagrams and waveforms, explain the operation of TCR and TSC. Draw their V-I characteristics. 8 M
5. a) What is meant by regulation droop? What are its advantages? 8 M
- b) With a neat diagram explain the general control scheme for a static var generator. 8 M

6. a) Explain the implementation of UPFC and their role in power system operation. 8 M
- b) What is inter line power flow controller? With the help of a neat schematic diagram, discuss it's operation. 8 M