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23BELPC24003/23BEEPC24003 – Electrical Power Transmission and
Distribution (EPTD)
(EE & EEE)

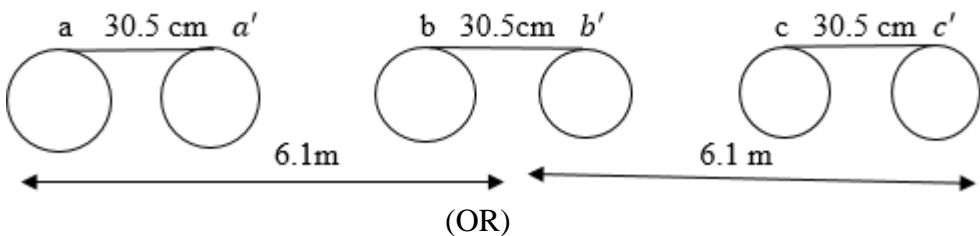
Time: 3 hrs

Maximum: 60 Marks

Answer ALL questions
(The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks)

PART – A	(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)
Q.1. Answer ALL questions	CO # Blooms Level
a. How length and spacing between the conductors of transmission line is affected its capacitance	CO1 K1
b. Explain why the voltage distribution over a string of suspension insulators is not uniform.	CO2 K2
c. Distinguish between Primary and Secondary distribution	CO3 K2
d. Determine the critical disruptive voltage and corona loss for a 3 – phase line operating at 110 KV which has conductor of 1.25cm diameter arranged in a 3.05 meter delta . Assume air density factor of 1.07 and dielectric strength of air to be 21KV/cm .	CO4 K3
e. What is Tee-offs and different types of Tee-offs .	CO5 K1

PART – B	(10 x 5 = 50 Marks)
Answer ALL the questions	Marks CO # Blooms Level
2. a. Derive an expression for the Inductance of three- Phase lines with asymmetrical Spacing and also explain transposition .	5 CO1 K3
b. A 3 phase single circuit bundled conductor line with two sub conductors per phase has horizontal spacing with 6.1 m between the centre lines of adjacent phases . The distance between the sub conductors of each phase is 30.5 cm and each sub-conductor has diameter 2.54cm. Find the inductance per phase per km of line.	5 CO1 K3



c. Derive an expression for capacitance of a three -phase line with unsymmetrical Spacing.	5 CO1 K3
d. A single 3 -phase line operated at 50 Hz arranged as shown in the figure. The conductor diameter is 8mm and the line is regularly transposed. Determine the capacitance per km .	5 CO1 K3
3.a. Derive an expression equivalent T circuit of a medium transmission lines parameters of this circuit in terms of line parameters	5 CO2 K3
b. A 3 – phase overhead transmission line delivers a load of 80 MW at 0.8pf lagging and 220 KV between the lines. Its total series impedance per phase and total shunt admittance per phase are $200\angle 80^\circ \Omega$ & $0.0013\angle 90^\circ \text{ mho}$ per phase respectively . Using nominal T – method determine the following:-	5 CO2 K3
(i) A, B , C & D constants of the line	
(ii) Sending end voltage	
(iii) Sending end current	
(iv) Sending end power factor	
(v) Transmission efficiency of the line	

- (vi) Voltage regulation
- (vii) Charging current

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| c. | Derive an expression for sag and Tension Calculation when | | | |
| | (i) Supports are at equal levels | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
| | (ii) Supports are at unequal levels | | | |
| d. | A transmission line has a span of 160m between the level supports . With the following data calculate the height of conductor above the ground level at which it should be supported if a minimum clearance of 7m is to be left between the ground and the support . Cross sectional area of conductor = 2.2 cm^2 , Density of material = 8.9g/cc , wind force = 1.6Kg/m , Ultimate strength = 4980 kg/cm^2 , factory of safety = 4 . | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
| 4.a. | Explain briefly the voltage drop in DC distributors | | | |
| | (i) When distributor is fed at one end | 5 | CO3 | K2 |
| | (ii) Uniformly distributed load | | | |
| | (iii) Distributor fed at both ends | | | |
| b. | A two wire dc distributor system is 3 Km long and its supplies loads of 200A , 100A , 75A and 50 A at 800m , 1200m , 2000m and 3000m from the feeding point 'A' . Each conductor has go and return resistance of 0.004Ω per 100m . Calculate the voltage at each load point if voltage at feeding point is 250 V. | 5 | CO3 | K3 |
| | (OR) | | | |
| c. | Describe the steps to be considered before installing a distribution substation | 5 | CO3 | K2 |
| d. | A 2 – wire dc distributor cable AB is 2.2 Km long and supplies load of 25A , 50A , 75A at 0.4 Km , 1 Km & 1.6Km from the point A . Each conductor has a resistance of $0.05\Omega/\text{Km}$. Calculate the potential difference at each point if potential difference of 400V is maintained at point A . | 5 | CO3 | K3 |
| 5.a. | The conductor of single core cable has a diameter of 6 mm , the diameter over the insulation is 24 mm . If the insulation resistance of the cable is 16000 ohms per km , Calculate the specific resistance of the dielectric used . | 5 | CO4 | K3 |
| b. | A 6.5 Km long cable has a conductor diameter of 15 mm and internal sheath diameter of 30mm . Find the conductor resistance and insulation resistance of each piece if the cable is cut into two pieces of equal length . Specific resistance of conductor material is 0.017 micro ohm meter . Specific resistance of insulation material 6 mega ohm meter . | 5 | CO4 | K3 |
| | (OR) | | | |
| c. | Derive an expression for capacitance and dielectric stress/potential gradient of single core cable | 5 | CO4 | K3 |
| d. | A single core cable used on 33 KV , 50Hz has conductor diameter 10mm and inner diameter of sheath 25mm. The relative permittivity of insulating material used is 3.5 . Find :- | | | |
| | (i) Capacitance of cable per km | 5 | CO4 | K3 |
| | (ii) Maximum electrostatic stress in the cable | | | |
| | (iii) Minimum electrostatic stress in the cable | | | |
| | (iv) Charging current per Km . | | | |
| 6.a. | Explain Planning of construction work in overhead distribution lines | 5 | CO5 | K2 |
| b. | Discuss fixing of cross Arms and Insulators and Installation process | 5 | CO5 | K2 |
| | (OR) | | | |
| c. | Describe Setting of stays . What are the key aspects of stay setting in the power lines. | 5 | CO5 | K2 |
| d. | Explain Earthing , Purpose of earthing in Transmission lines , Types of earthing and benefits of proper earthing | 5 | CO5 | K2 |

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