

Code No: I5604/R16

M. Tech. I Semester Regular Examinations, December-2016

REACTIVE POWER COMPENSATION & MANAGEMENT

Common to Power Systems(56),PSC &A(53),PSE(30),PS & C(31),ADV PS(50),EPE(60)  
and Power Electronics & Power Systems (99)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

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*Answer any FIVE Questions  
All Questions Carry Equal Marks*

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| 1. | Explain the method of phase balancing and power factor correction of unsymmetrical loads.   | 12M  |
| 2. | a Explain in detail about the types of compensation.  | 6 M  |
|    | b Explain the switched shunt reactor compensation for uncompensated transmission line.  | 6 M  |
| 3. | a Explain the effect of TCR during a voltage depression and during a voltage rise at the midpoint bus of a symmetrical line.  | 6 M  |
|    | b What are the main objectives of series compensation?  | 6 M  |
| 4. | a Discuss the causes and effects of under and over frequencies.   | 6 M  |
|    | b Explain in detail the concepts of: a) Effects of harmonica and how to compensate it.<br>b) Effect of electromagnetic interferences.   | 6 M  |
| 5. | a Explain the concept of quality of power supply with reactive power coordination.  | 6 M  |
|    | b List and explain briefly the basic methods of load shaping in demand side.  | 6 M  |
| 6. | a Explain the various System losses and the loss reduction methods used in Demand side management.  | 6 M  |
|    | b Explain about : a) Retrofitting of capacitor banks b) Deciding factors  | 6 M  |
| 7. | What is the purpose of using capacitors on user side reactive power management and also explain in detail the types of available capacitors with their characteristics and limitations? | 12 M |
| 8. | a Draw typical layouts of Ac traction systems and explain its operation.  | 6 M  |
|    | b Explain how the harmonics are produced in an electric arc furnace.  | 6 M  |

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