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Examination, December 2017

Advance Power System Protection Relays

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: i) Attempt any five questions out of eight.

ii) All questions carry equal marks.

- a) Discuss briefly the role of protective relays in a modem power system.
 - b) Discuss the essential qualities of a protective relay. 7
- 2. a) What are the advantages of static relays over eletromechanical relays?
 - b) Discuss how an amplitude comparator can be converted to a phase comparator and Vice-Versa.
- a) Discuss the principle of a coincidence circuit for phase comparator.
 - Discuss the operating principle of a rectifier bridge phase comparator.
- 4. a) Discuss the protection employed against loss of excitation of an alternator.
 - b) A 5MVA, 6.6kV, Y, connected generator has a resistance per phase of 0.5Ω and synchronous reactance per phase of 2Ω. It is protected by a differential relay which operates when the out of balance cement exceeds 30% of load current. Determine what proportion of the generator winding is unprotected if the star point is grounded through a resistor of 6.5Ω.

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5. a) What type of protective scheme is employed for the protection of a large power transformer against short circuits? With neat sketches discuss its working principle.

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b) A three phase 50MVA, 132kV/66kV Y – Δ transformer is protected by differential protection. Suggest suitable CT ratios and show the connection of the CT, on either side of the transformer.

 Discuss why duplicate bus bar system is used? With a neat sketch develop the duplicate bus bar system and explain why bus-coupler circuit breaker is used.

7. Explain with the help of neat sketches the setup of carrier current relaying employed in transmission lines protection.

Also explain the utility of:

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a) Line trap unit

b) Coupling capacitor unit

8. a) Derive a generalized mathematical model of distance relays for numerical protection.

b) How can numerical distance relaying algorithms be implemented on the 8086 microprocessor? Explain. 7

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