

**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING**  
**B.E. 4/4 (EEE) I -Semester (Old) Examination, July 2014**

**Subject : HVDC Transmission**  
**(Elective-I)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

**Note: Answer all questions of Part - A and answer any five questions from Part - B.**

**PART – A (25 Marks)**

- 1 List out the disadvantages of DC transmission. (3)
- 2 Define short circuit ratio. (2)
- 3 Define pulse number (2)
- 4 Draw the equivalent circuit of inverter. (3)
- 5 What are the basic means of HVDC control? (3)
- 6 Draw the equivalent circuit of a 2-terminal DC link. (2)
- 7 What is meant by ARC BACK? (3)
- 8 What is meant by commutation failure? (2)
- 9 List out the applications of MTDC systems. (3)
- 10 Draw the circuit of a parallel connected mesh type MTDC system. (2)

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

- 11 (a) Compare DC transmission over AC transmission in terms of its economy and technical performance. (5)  
 (b) Explain the types of DC links with neat diagrams. (5)
- 12 (a) Explain the analysis of Graetz circuit for 3-valve conduction mode. (5)  
 (b) From fundamentals obtain the equivalent circuit of rectifier. (5)
- 13 (a) Explain the principles of DC link control. (5)  
 (b) Explain the constant minimum ignition angle control. (5)
- 14 (a) Explain the protection against over voltages. (5)  
 (b) Explain the operation of HVDC circuit breaker. (5)
- 15 (a) Explain the criteria for design of AC filters. (5)  
 (b) Explain the choice of converter configuration in HVDC system. (5)
- 16 (a) Explain the combined characteristics of rectifier and inverter. (5)  
 (b) Compare series and parallel MTDC systems. (5)
- 17 (a) Explain different types of MTDC systems. (5)  
 (b) Explain two ACR method of control in MTDC systems. (5)

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Subject : HVDC Transmission (Elective – I)

Time : 3 hours

Max. Marks : 75

**Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.****PART – A (25 Marks)**

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|----|---|---|
| 1  | Give two economic aspect of HVDC transmission.                      | 2 |
| 2  | Explain about corona loss of DC transmission system over AC system. | 3 |
| 3  | Draw the equivalent circuit of rectifier.                           | 3 |
| 4  | Give two properties of converter circuits.                          | 2 |
| 5  | Mention two desired features of control.                            | 2 |
| 6  | What is power reversal?   | 3 |
| 7  | Give the difference between arc back and arc through.               | 2 |
| 8  | Draw a single tuned filter.   | 3 |
| 9  | Name the different types of MTDC systems.                           | 3 |
| 10 | How MTDC system is protected?                                       | 2 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

- 11 a) Draw the schematic diagram of a HVDC converter station. Explain in detail the function of each and every component.  
b) Give the applications of HVDC transmission system.
- 12 a) With the help of a neat schematic diagram, explain the operation of three phase, sine pulse, Graetz's circuit when operating with a firing angle of  $\alpha = 30^\circ$ . Neglect the reactance of the converter transformer.  
b) Draw the following wave forms to scale when working as a rectifier:  
i) Output DC voltage      ii) Value currents      iii) Voltage across valves  
Hence, estimate the average DC voltage on the output side.
- 13 a) Develop the complete equivalent circuit of HVDC link and obtain an expression for the currents in the DC link as  $I_d = (U_{d01} \cos \alpha - U_{d02} \cos \delta) / R_{ci} + R - R_{C2}$  Where  $\alpha, \delta$  are the firing and extinction angles and  $R_{C1}$  and  $R_{C2}$  are the equivalent resistance of the converters as rectifier and inverter.  $R$  is the resistance of the DC line.  
b) Describe the individual phase control and equidistant pulse control schemes for firing angle control employed in a converter.
- 14 a) Discuss the draw backs of equidistant phase control over individual phase control.  
b) With a neat block diagram, explain the working of CEA controller.
- 15 Write short notes on :  
i) Over voltage protection      ii) Circuit breakers
- 16 a) Draw the equivalent circuits of rectifier and inverter.  
b) What are the various types of Harmonic filters that are employed in HVDC converter station? Discuss them in detail.
- 17 a) Classify MTDC systems and explain each of them.  
b) Explain about parallel operation of HVDC and AC systems.

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**Subject : Power Quality (Elective – I)**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Max. Marks : 75**

**Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.**

**PART – A (25 Marks)**

- 1 What are the remedies to improve power quality?
- 2 Define transients and interruption.
- 3 What is sag magnitude and sag duration?
- 4 What are the causes of voltage sag?
- 5 Name some of ASD's.
- 6 Define Harmonics.
- 7 What are the causes of harmonics?
- 8 Define THD and explain the term with respect to harmonics.
- 9 What is the need of site surveys in PQ monitorings.
- 10 Write some of IEC-measures for harmonics.

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

- 11 a) Define i) Spikes      ii) Surveys      iii) Voltage Fluctuations  
iv) Over voltages      v) Swell.  
b) Explain i) PQ data      ii) Data collection      iii) Database structures
- 12 a) Explain magnitude and phase angle jumps for 3Q unbalanced sags.  
b) Explain voltage calculation for non radial systems.
- 13 a) What are the different types of sags and explain the effect of momentary voltage drops on operation of induction motor?  
b) Explain the operation of DC-ASD drive.
- 14 a) Explain in detail harmonic effects on transformer.  
b) What are the different methods of evaluation of harmonic levels?
- 15 Write short notes on :  
i) Flicker meter  
ii) IEC & IEEE standards
- 16 Design philosophy of filters to reduce harmonic distortion.
- 17 i) Give technical barriers in ASD's.  
ii) Decline power quality in terms of A) IEEE      B) IEC      C) Customer level

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|---|---|---|
| 1 | What are the causes of transients?  | 2 |
| 2 | Define the following terms<br>i) Notch                      ii) Voltage Sag                      iii) Voltage Slicker | 3 |
| 3 | Define THD and explain the term w.r.t. harmonics.   | 3 |
| 4 | What are the causes of voltage sag and interruptions?   | 3 |
| 5 | What is the effect of harmonics on transformers?  | 3 |
| 6 | Give the equation for voltage sag in a non-radial system.   | 3 |
| 7 | Explain the significance of power quality monitoring devices.   | 3 |
| 8 | How is the data processed in power quality monitors?  | 3 |
| 9 | What are ASD's? Write few applications.   | 2 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

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| 10 | a) What are the various power quality problems and comment on the remedies to improve power quality?<br>b) What is the need of analyzing power quality data? What are the requirements for creating a PQ database. | 10 |
| 11 | a) Explain the methods of calculating voltage sag magnitude.<br>b) What are phase angle jumps and explain the effects of these in case of three phase unbalanced sags.   | 10 |
| 12 | a) Explain the types of voltage sags with phasor diagrams.<br>b) What is the effects of voltage sags on induction motors?  | 10 |
| 13 | Explain the method to calculate harmonic levels in an industrial distribution systems.   | 10 |
| 14 | a) What are the considerations and limitations for connecting power quality monitors?<br>b) What is the purpose of site surveys in PQ monitoring?  | 10 |
| 15 | a) What is importance and need of power quality study.<br>b) Explain the guidelines for limiting voltage harmonics.  | 10 |
| 16 | Write short notes on :<br>i) Data base structure<br>ii) Sources of harmonics   | 10 |

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**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING****B.E. 4/4 (EEE/Inst.) I – Semester (New) (Supplementary) Examination, July 2014****Subject : Embedded Systems (Elective – I)****Time : 3 hours****Max. Marks : 75****Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.****PART – A (25 Marks)**

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|----|--|---|
| 1  | Define an Embedded system Mention any two applications of embedded system.       | 2 |
| 2  | Mention any six quality attributes of embedded system.                           | 3 |
| 3  | Explain the difference between CISC and RISC features.                           | 2 |
| 4  | List out the instruction set of RISC ARM processor.                              | 3 |
| 5  | What is preprocessor directive?  | 2 |
| 6  | Brief the significance of Device driver ISR.                                     | 3 |
| 7  | Explain the difference between thread and process.                               | 2 |
| 8  | Explain the different possible states of a task under Vxworks RTOs.              | 3 |
| 9  | Explain the difference between simulator and emulator.                           | 2 |
| 10 | What is embedded product development life cycle, (EDLC)? Explain its objectives. | 3 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

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| 11 | a) Explain various challenges in embedded system design in detail.  | 5  |
|    | b) Explain characteristics of an embedded system.   | 5  |
| 12 | Explain embedded micro controller architectural features of CISC motorolla 68+1C11.                       | 10 |
| 13 | a) With a suitable example explain embedded system for control application.                               | 6  |
|    | b) Write about the data frame format of I <sup>2</sup> C protocol.  | 4  |
| 14 | a) Explain the basic functions of a real time Kernel.   | 5  |
|    | b) Explain interrupt handling mechanisms under VxWorks RTOs.  | 5  |
| 15 | a) Explain hardware software co-design issues in embedded system with a neat diagram.                     | 5  |
|    | b) Explain different product enclosure development techniques.  | 5  |
| 16 | What are the different files generated during cross compilation of an embedded C file? Explain in detail. | 10 |
| 17 | a) Explain the use of scopes and logic analyzers for embedded system hardware test.                       | 5  |
|    | b) What is thumb mode of ARM core CPU? Write any five advantages of it.                                   | 5  |

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**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING****B.E. 4/4 (EEE) I – Semester (New) (Supplementary) Examination, July 2014****Subject : High Voltage Engineering (Elective – I)****Time : 3 hours****Max. Marks : 75****Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.****PART – A (25 Marks)**

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| 1  | Define Paschen's law.  | 2 |
| 2  | Define time lag for breakdown of gas.  | 3 |
| 3  | What are the special features of high voltage rectifies valves?                          | 3 |
| 4  | Give the expression of voltage ripple in Cockroft Walton voltage multiplier circuit.     | 2 |
| 5  | Draw the schematic diagram of Marx circuit arrangement for multistage impulse generator. | 2 |
| 6  | What are the components of a multistage impulse generator?                               | 3 |
| 7  | Mention the methods of measurement of high DC, AC and impulse currents.                  | 2 |
| 8  | Write short notes on sphere gap.   | 3 |
| 9  | Explain briefly about impulse testing of power transforms.                               | 3 |
| 10 | Mention various tests to be carried out on circuit breaker.                              | 2 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

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| 11 | Explain the various theories that explain breakdown in commercial liquid dielectrics.                  | 10 |
| 12 | With a neat sketch explain working of a Cockroft Walton voltage multiplier circuit.                    | 10 |
| 13 | Explain the working of Marx circuit with a neat sketch.  | 10 |
| 14 | Explain the principle of operation of a generating voltmeters. Mention its advantages and limitations. | 10 |
| 15 | Explain the various tests conducted on power transforms.   | 10 |
| 16 | a) What are the tests conducted on a circuit breaker? Explain.   | 5  |
|    | b) Explain the difference between photo-ionisation and photo electric emission.                        | 5  |
| 17 | Write short notes on :   | 10 |
|    | a) Chubb Fortescue method  |    |
|    | b) Van-de-Graaf generator  |    |

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**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING****B.E. 4/4 (EEE/Inst./ECE) I – Semester (Old) Examination, July 2014****Subject : VLSI Design (Elective – I)****Time : 3 hours****Max. Marks : 75****Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.****PART – A (25 Marks)**

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|----|--|---|
| 1  | What is Latch-up in CMOS circuits?   | 3 |
| 2  | What is X in VLSI design? If $\lambda = 0.25 \mu\text{m}$ for a given technology, what is the minimum feature dimension. | 3 |
| 3  | Differentiate between simulation and synthesis.  | 2 |
| 4  | What is transmission gate? Draw the circuit diagram and list the advantages of transmission gate over pass transistor.   | 3 |
| 5  | What is switch logic?  | 2 |
| 6  | Draw the circuit diagram of Wilson current mirror.   | 2 |
| 7  | Draw the stick diagram of 1-bit shift register.  | 2 |
| 8  | Briefly explain chemical vapor deposition process in fabrication of VLSI circuits.                                       | 3 |
| 9  | Draw the circuit diagram of BICMOS inverter.   | 3 |
| 10 | Classify the memories.   | 2 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

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| 11 | a) What is threshold voltage? Derive an expression for threshold voltage for a P - channel MOSFET.                                       | 7  |
|    | b) Explain the characteristics of a MOS-capacitor.   | 3  |
| 12 | a) What are the different pull-up structures used in CMOS based inverters? What are the relative advantages of each of these structures. | 7  |
|    | b) Explain the importance of aspect ratio in FETS.   | 3  |
| 13 | a) Draw the layout of NOR gate.  | 4  |
|    | b) What is multiplexer? Draw the stick diagram of 4 x 1 mux using nMOS switches.   | 6  |
| 14 | a) What is doping? List the two methods of doping techniques and briefly explain about Ion-implantation with neat sketch.                | 7  |
|    | b) Briefly explain oxidation process used in IC fabrication.   | 3  |
| 15 | Elaborate the design considerations of ALU with neat sketch.   | 10 |
| 16 | a) Explain the operation of various CMOS current mirrors with neat sketches.   | 8  |
|    | b) List out the features of a basic op-amp.  | 2  |
| 17 | Write short notes on following :   |    |
|    | a) Emitter area in BJTs  |    |
|    | b) Testing of VLSI circuits  |    |
|    | c) Bipolar current mirrors   |    |

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**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING****B.E. 4/4 (EEE/Inst.) I – Semester (Old) Examination, July 2014****Subject : Principles and Applications of Embedded Systems (Elective – I)****Time : 3 hours****Max. Marks : 75****Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.****PART – A (25 Marks)**

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|----|---|---|
| 1  | Write the steps involved in designing the Embedded system.      | 3 |
| 2  | What are the steps required to handle interrupts?               | 3 |
| 3  | What are the functions of A/D converter.                        | 3 |
| 4  | Write the features of RTOs.                                     | 3 |
| 5  | List the working modes of serial communication devices.         | 3 |
| 6  | Write the register structure of 8051.                           | 2 |
| 7  | Write the various types of flags in 8051.                       | 2 |
| 8  | Define the terms task and task states.                          | 2 |
| 9  | Write the requirement specifications to design a mobile device. | 2 |
| 10 | Discuss any two applications of pipes.                          | 2 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

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| 11 | a) Write the functions of counter and timer devices.  | 5  |
|    | b) Explain the addressing modes in 8051.  | 5  |
| 12 | a) Write an assembly language program to print the contents of bank 1 from location 40H to 60H. | 5  |
|    | b) Illustrate the procedure to execute the conditional instructions in 8051.                    | 5  |
| 13 | a) Write the functions of memory manager.   | 5  |
|    | b) Explain how inter process communication takes place using semaphores.                        | 5  |
| 14 | a) What are the factors to measure the performance of Embedded systems?                         | 5  |
|    | b) Write the differences between Hard and Soft real-time scheduling.                            | 5  |
| 15 | a) Develop a procedure and discuss the implementation issues to design smart card system.       | 5  |
|    | b) List the functions of CAN bus.   | 5  |
| 16 | a) Illustrate how instruction-level parallelism improves performance of processor.              | 5  |
|    | b) What are the characteristics of Embedded system?   | 5  |
| 17 | Write short notes on :  | 10 |
|    | a) SHARC architecture   |    |
|    | b) Message queues   |    |

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**B.E. 4/4 (EEE/Inst./AE) I – Semester (New) (Supplementary) Examination, July 2014**

**Subject : Information Security (Elective – I)**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Max. Marks : 75**

**Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.**

**PART – A (25 Marks)**

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|----|---|---|
| 1  | Differentiate the terms information security and computer security. | 2 |
| 2  | What is a worm?   | 3 |
| 3  | Mention the different types of Laws.                                | 2 |
| 4  | Define risk appetite.   | 2 |
| 5  | Categorize the firewalls by their structure.                        | 3 |
| 6  | List the components of enterprise ISP.                              | 3 |
| 7  | Distinguish between symmetric and asymmetric encryption.            | 2 |
| 8  | State the purpose of access control devices.                        | 2 |
| 9  | Justify the need for internal control strategies.                   | 3 |
| 10 | Write about Bull's-Eye model.                                       | 3 |

**PART – B (50 Marks)**

- 11 Describe the process of selecting risk control strategy.
- 12 a) Discuss about any five critical characteristics of information.  
b) Write about Sec SDLC.
- 13 Explain in detail about the incident response planning.
- 14 Discuss about digital forensics.
- 15 a) Write about the importance of VPN.  
b) Discuss about the different kinds of attack on crypto systems.
- 16 a) Write about any five kinds of attacks.  
b) List the Ten Commandments of Computer Ethics.
- 17 a) How do you measure the effectiveness of IDPSs.  
b) Discuss different types of IDPS.

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