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Subject Code: 140902 Date: 12-06-201			
Subject Name: Electrical Power			
Time: 10:30am – 01:00pm Total Marks: 70			
Instructions: 1. Attempt all questions.			
	2. 3.	Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.	
Q.1	(a)	With a schematic diagram explain function of main components of Gas Turbine power plant.	07
	(b)	Discuss advantages and disadvantages of nuclear power station.	07
Q.2	(a) (b)	Explain with diagram elements of hydro-electric power plant. Explain the different types of turbine used in hydro power station. OR	07 07
	(b)	Explain (i) Solar pond power plant and (ii) Binary cycle thermal power plant with neat diagram.	07
Q.3	(a) (b)	What is string efficiency? Explain various methods of improving string efficiency. Explain general construction of cable with neat diagram. OR	07 07
Q.3	(a) (b)	Compare overhead transmission system with underground transmission system. Explain with diagram (i) Pin type and (ii) Suspension type of insulators.	07 07
Q.4	(a)	Derive the equation for inductance of three phase transmission line with unsymmetrical spacing. Assume transposition.	07
	(b)	Explain (i) Skin effect and (ii) Proximity effect. OR	07
Q.4	(a)	Derive expression for capacitance of single phase transmission line taking into account the effect of earth.	07
	(b)	Three conductors of a three phase transmission line are arranged in a horizontal plane and are 4 meter apart. The diameter of each conductor is 2 cm. Assume transpositions. Calculate the capacitance to neutral per Km length of line.	07
Q.5	(a)	What are disadvantages of low power factor? Explain methods improving power factor.	07
	(b)	Explain (i) Voltage transformer earthing and (ii)Earthing transformer. OR	07
Q.5	(a) (b)	Explain function of various equipments used in substation. In 33KV, overhead lines there are three units in the string of insulators. If the capacitance between each insulator pin and earth is 11 % of self capacitance of each insulator, find (i) The distribution of voltage over three insulators and (ii) String efficiency.	07 07
