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### SECOND SEMESTER M.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2018

**Branch: Electrical & Electronics Engineering** 

**Specialization: Power Electronics** 

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## **08EE6242(A) : FACTS AND CUSTOM POWER DEVICES**

Time: 3 hours

## Max.marks: 60

#### Answer all six questions.

Modules 1 to 6:Part 'a' of each question is compulsory and answer either part 'b' or part 'c' of each question.

#### Q.no.

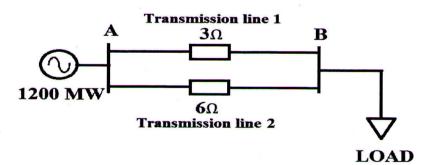
### Module 1

Marks 3

1.a Explain the concept of Programmed harmonic elimination technique

#### Answer b or c

**b** A generator provides power to the load through two parallel connected transmission lines as shown in figure. The impedance of transmission line 1 and transmission line 2 are 3  $\Omega$  and 6  $\Omega$  respectively. The continuous rating of transmission line 1 and transmission line 2 are 700 MW and 600 MW respectively. If the generator supplies 1200 MW,



(i) Find the power flow through each transmission line

(ii) If any of the transmission line is overloaded, how is it possible to maintain the power flow using FACT controller?

c (i) Explain the working of GTO inverters

(ii) Explain the objectives of using FACTS Controllers.

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Q.no.	Module 2	Marks	
2.a	What are the advantages of using Multilevel inverter over conventional two level inverter?	3	
Answer b or c			
b	With neat circuit diagram and waveforms, Describe the working of five level Diode clamped multilevel inverter under multi-carrier sine PWM control.	6	
c	(i) Explain the working of Cascaded multilevel inverter	3	
	(ii) Compare Diode clamped, Flying capacitor and Cascaded multilevel inverter topology.	3	
Q.no. 3.a	Module 3 Compare the loss versus Var output characteristics of different static var generators	Marks 3	
	Answer b or c		
b	(i)Discuss the working of Thyristor controlled capacitor with neat circuit diagram and waveforms	6	
	(ii)How transient free switching of thyristor switched capacitor is achieved? Explain.		
c	Discuss the basic internal converter control of STATCOM	6	
Q.no.	Module 4	Marks	
<b>4.a</b>	Briefly explain the objectives of using series compensation	3	
Answer b or c			
b	Explain the concept and working of static synchronous series compensator (SSSC).	6	
c	(i) Discuss the concept of improving transient stability using phase angle regulators.	6	
	(ii)Briefly explain the working of Thyristor controlled voltage regulator (TCVR)		
0	Module 5	Marks	
Q.no. 5.a	Discuss the operation of NGH- SSR Damping Scheme	4	
J.4	Answer b or c		
b	Explain the Operating Principle of Unified power flow controller (UPFC).	8	

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c Describe the basic control structure of IPFC with block diagram.

Q.no.	Module 6	Marks
6.a	Describe various power quality issues related to distribution system.	4
	Answer b or c	
b	Explain the working and compensation of power quality issues using Dynamic voltage Restorer.	8
c	(i) Discuss the operation of Unified Power quality Conditioner (UPQC)	8
	(ii)Explain the shunt and series compensator control in UPQC.	