

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
B.E. - SEMESTER – VIII EXAMINATION – OCTOBER 2012

Subject Code: 182401**Date: 27/10/2012****Subject Name: Power Electronics Applications in Power System****Time: 02.30pm - 05.00pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt any five questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Notations used have usual meaning.

- Q.1** (a) Discuss the problems with AC transmission. How HVDC transmission can be compared with AC transmission. **07**
(b) Discuss the Factors limiting loading capability of transmission line. **07**

- Q.2** (a) Write brief note on wind and small hydro connection. **07**
(b) Two six pulse converters, used for bipolar HVDC transmission system, are rated 1000 MW, ± 200 kV. Calculate the rms current and peak reverse voltage ratings for each of the thyristor. **07**

OR

- (b) In bipolar HVDC system, converter is supplied through 3 phase, 11000 V, 50 Hz ac supply system. The input transformer has leakage inductance of 10 mH per phase. The current in dc line is 300A. For firing angle of 15° , calculate its output voltage and DC link voltage. **07**

- Q.3** (a) Explain TCR flexible transmission controller with neat diagram. **07**
(b) Write brief note on standards related to power quality in power system. **07**

OR

- Q.3** (a) Discuss the concept of phase angle compensation in flexible AC transmission. **07**
(b) Explain Unified Power Flow Controller (UPFC) for flexible AC transmission. **07**

- Q.4** (a) Discuss bipolar link in HVDC system with merits and demerits. **07**
(b) Explain interconnection of Renewable Energy Source to utility grid. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Describe interface for a bidirectional power flow with neat diagram. **07**
Q.4 (b) Discuss converter characteristics used in HVDC system. **07**

- Q.5** (a) Explain basic twelve pulse converter used in high voltage DC system. **07**
(b) Discuss the need for improved utility interface in AC transmission.. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Explain directional static over current relay with neat block diagram. **07**
(b) Discuss basic principle of differential relay? Draw and Explain block diagram of static differential relay. **07**
