



R22 Regulation

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**TKR COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY**

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**POWER SYSTEM PROTECTION**

(EEE)

Maximum Marks: 60

Date: 16.06.2025

Duration: 3 hours

- Note:
1. This question paper contains two parts A and B.
  2. Part A is compulsory which carries 10 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.
  3. Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit.
  4. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c, d as sub questions.

**Part-A**

All the following questions carry equal marks (10X1M=10 Marks)		Marks	CO	Bloom Tx
1.a)	Draw basic components of a protection system?	1M	1	L1
b)	What is primary and backup protection?	1M	1	L1
c)	Distinguish between current setting and time setting?	1M	2	L2
d)	What is an impedance relay?	1M	2	L1
e)	What is wire pilot protection?	1M	2	L1
f)	How do you protect a bus bar?	1M	2	L1
g)	How microprocessor-based relays are different from electromechanical relays?	1M	3	L1
h)	List the limitations of Static relays?	1M	3	L4
i)	Define the term Fuse and explain its usage?	1M	4	L1
j)	Write different ratings of circuit breakers?	1M	4	L2

**Part-B**

Answer All the following questions. (5X10M=50Marks)		Marks	CO	Bloom Tx
2	a) Explain clearly the primary and back up protection in power systems. b) Mention the merits and demerits of static relays in power system protection.	5M 5M	1	L2
OR				
3	a) With the help of block diagram explain the principle of operation of electromagnetic definite time over current relay. b) Write the advantages and disadvantages of microprocessor based protective relays.	5M 5M	1	L2
4	a) What are the various overcurrent protective schemes? Discuss their merits, demerits and field of applications? b) An earth-fault starting relay has a setting of 35%, and a current rating of 5 A. It is connected to a CT of ratio 500/5. Calculate pick-up current in primary for which the earth fault relay operates?	5M 5M	2	L4
OR				
5	Discuss how a static MHO relay is realized. Explain its characteristic on the R-X diagram.	10M	2	L6

6	What is carrier aided distance protection? What are its different types? Discuss the permissive under-reach transfer tripping scheme of protection?	10M	2	L1
	OR			
7	What type of protective device is used for the protection of an alternator against overheating of its (i) stator (ii) rotor? Discuss them in brief.	10M	2	L1
8	Explain the following types of Static Amplitude comparators: a) Integrating comparators b) Instantaneous comparator.	5M 5M	3	L2
	OR			
9	Explain the working of static IDMT over current relay with a neat block diagram.	10M	3	L2
10	What is an Arc Interruption? Explain the high resistance interruption method.	10M	4	L1
	OR			
11	a) Explain the working of SF6 Circuit breaker with a neat circuit diagram. b) What is fuse? Explain it's characteristics?	5M 5M	4	L2