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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-16) MARCH/APRIL—2018 DEEE—FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

AC MACHINES—I

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A 3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer all questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** Explain why the transformer should not be connected to DC supply.
- **2.** Distinguish between core-type and shell-type transformers.
- **3.** Draw the vector diagram of single-phase transformer on no-load.
- **4.** Define all-day efficiency and commercial efficiency of a single-phase transformer.
- **5.** State any three advantages of three-phase transformer over a bank of three single-phase transformers.
- **6.** State the methods of cooling a transformer.

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7. Briefly explain the working principle of alternator.

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- **8.** What are the advantages of stationary armature over rotating-type armature?
- **9.** Define *(a)* synchronous reactance and *(b)* synchronous impedance of an alternator.
- **10.** State the conditions for parallel operation of alternator.

PART—B 10×5=50

Instructions : (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** With neat sketch, explain the construction and working of a single-phase transformer.
- **12.** A 220/440 V, single-phase transformer has the following particulars :

 R_1 0 5 , X_1 1 8 , R_2 0 5 and X_2 3

Calculate the total impedance of the transformer referred to primary and secondary.

13. A 10 kVA, 2500/250 V, 50 Hz, 1- transformer gave the following test results :

OC test : 250 V, 0.8 A and 50 W SC test : 60 V, 3 A and 45 W

- (a) Calculate the efficiency at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ of the full load at 0.8 p.f. lag.
- (b) Calculate the load in kVA at the maximum efficiency.

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- **14.** (*a*) Distinguish between distribution transformer and power transformer.
 - (b) Derive the condition for maximum efficiency.
- **15.** Draw the connection diagrams of *(a)* star-star, *(b)* delta-delta, *(c)* star-delta and (d) delta-star configurations of 3- transformers.
- **16.** (a) Derive the e.m.f. equation of an alternator.
 - *(b)* Obtain the relation between no-load EMF and terminal voltage in alternator.
- 17. A 200 kVA, 415 V, 50 Hz, 3- alternator has effective armature resistance of 0.01 and an armature leakage reactance of 0.05. Compute the voltage induced in the armature winding when the alternator is delivering rated current at a load power factor of (a) 0.8 lag and (b) 0.8 lead.
- **18.** Explain the procedure of synchronisation by using lamp method.

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