

**B.Tech. – VIEP – ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
(BTELVI)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2018

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BIEEE-008 : FLEXIBLE AC TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Attempt **five** questions in all. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

1. (a) With relevant diagrams and derivations, show that power factor affects the voltage and reactive power of uncompensated lines. 7
- (b) Compare passive and active compensators with suitable examples. 7
2. (a) Discuss the reactive power compensation technique to improve the operation of power systems. 7
- (b) Explain the line loading capability of overhead transmission lines. 7
3. (a) Compare TCR and TSC on the basis of VI and VQ characteristics. 7
- (b) Explain the reasons for variation of voltages in power systems and suggest different methods to control it. 7

4. (a) Explain the operation of 'UPFC' with suitable diagram. Discuss its functional capabilities. 7
- (b) What are custom power devices ? Mention their examples and explain any one of them in brief. 7
5. (a) With suitable diagrams, explain the working of SSSC in power systems. 7
- (b) Why is TCR preferred over TSC when continuous voltage control of lines is required ? 7
6. (a) Why are filters needed in thyristor based compensators ? 7
- (b) How does Interline Power Flow Controller (IPFC) help in compensating multiple number of overhead lines ? 7
7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) Thyristor Controlled Voltage Limiter (TCVL)
- (b) Comparison Between SVC and STATCOM
- (c) Energy Storage Devices
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