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BIEE-036

DIPLOMA IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING (DELVI)

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BIEE-036 : ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION AND SYSTEMS

Time: 2 hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Question no. 1 is **compulsory**. Answer any **four** questions from the remaining ones. Use of scientific calculator is allowed. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Choose the appropriate one.

 $7 \times 2 = 14$

- (a) Which type of earthing is used in rocky places?
 - (i) Rod earthing
 - (ii) Pipe earthing
 - (iii) Horizontal earthing
 - (iv) Plate earthing
- (b) In which type of wiring, is good protection from dampness provided ?
 - (i) Cleat wiring
 - (ii) Wooden capping and casing wiring
 - (iii) Lead sheathed wiring
 - (iv) Conduit wiring

- (c) Which of the following power distribution systems gives greater reliability?
 - (i) DC 3-wire system
 - (ii) AC 3-phase 4-wire system
 - (iii) Radial system
 - (iv) Ring main system
- (d) Earthing is done for
 - (i) reducing the input current
 - (ii) safety of the equipment
 - (iii) safety of the operation
 - (iv) safety against the short circuit
- (e) Wiring clips are usually made of
 - (i) Copper
 - (ii) Steel
 - (iii) Brass
 - (iv) Aluminium
- (f) In the case of distribution, the main consideration is
 - (i) current carrying capacity
 - (ii) resistance
 - (iii) transmission voltage
 - (iv) voltage drop

- (g) Installation resistance is expressed in
 - (i) Ohms
 - (ii) Mega-ohms
 - (iii) Micro-ohms
 - (iv) Milli-ohms
- 2. (a) Write any five ISI specifications pertaining to earthing of domestic and factory installations.
 - (b) Distinguish between surface and concealed conduit wiring. $2\times7=14$
- 3. An ac squirrel cage induction motor of 15 HP, three-phase 400 volts, 1440 rpm with a star delta starter is to be installed at a distance of 22 m from the available ac mains as shown in the Figure 1.

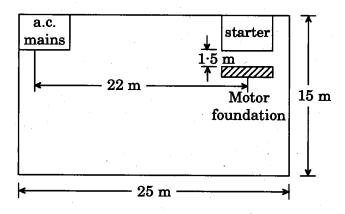


Figure 1

Show the layout of the wiring and estimate the quantity of material required.

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- 4. (a) State the rules and regulations about conductor clearance and pole height.
 - (b) Why are lightning arresters used in a substation? $2\times7=14$
- 5. (a) Explain the factors you would consider for selecting a conduction for low tension line extension for a particular load.
 - (b) What are the various types of substations? Explain the scheme and components of any one substation. $2\times7=14$
- 6. (a) What are the objectives of a good air-conditioning system?
 - (b) Describe the working of a room air-conditioner and explain the electrical system with the help of a neat circuit diagram.
- 7. Write short notes on the following: $4 \times 3\frac{1}{2} = 14$
 - (a) Overhead service connection versus Underground service connection
 - (b) Factors to be considered for checking power installations
 - (c) Electrical point method and Fixed percentage method
 - (d) Selection of wiring schemes for domestic installation

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