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PS5004 PRINCIPLES OF ELECTRIC POWER TRANSMISSION

DETAILED SYLLABUS

OBJECTIVES

To impart knowledge on,

- Types of power transmission and configurations.
- Various parameters and voltage gradients of transmission line conductors.
- The design requirements of EHV AC and DC lines.

UNIT I INTRODUCTION

Standard transmission voltages-AC and DC – different line configurations– average values of line parameters – power handling capacity and line loss – costs of transmission lines and equipment – mechanical considerations in line performance.

UNIT II CALCULATION OF LINE PARAMETERS

Calculation of resistance, inductance and capacitance for multi-conductor lines – calculation of sequence inductances and capacitances – line parameters for different modes of propagation – effect of ground return.

UNIT III VOLTAGE GRADIENTS OF CONDUCTORS

Charge-potential relations for multi-conductor lines – surface voltage gradient on conductors– gradient factors and their use – distribution of voltage gradient on sub conductors of bundle voltage gradients on conductors in the presence of ground wires on towers-I2R loss and corona loss-RIV.

UNIT IV ELECTROSTATIC FIELD AND DESIGN OF EHV LINES

Effect of EHV line on heavy vehicles - calculation of electrostatic field of AC lines- effect of high field on humans, animals, and plants - measurement of electrostatic fields – electrostatic Induction in unenergized circuit of a D/C line - induced voltages in insulated ground wires - electromagnetic interference, Design of EHV lines.

UNIT V HVDC LINES

Introduction- Reliability and failure issues-Design-tower, ROW, clearances, insulators, electrical and mechanical protection-Maintenance-Control and protection-D.C Electric field and Magnetic field -Regulations and guide lines-underground line design.

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