

<b>DISCIPLINE:</b> Electrical & Electronics Engg.	<b>SEMESTER:</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> Semester	<b>NAME OF THE TEACHING FACULTY:</b> Majji.Lalitha PTGF in EEE
<b>SUBJECT:</b> SWITCH GEAR AND PROTECTIVE DEVICES	<b>NO OF DAYS/PER WEEK CLASSES ALLOTTED:</b> 4	<b>SEMESTER FROM DATE:</b> 22.12.2025 <b>TO DATE:</b> 18.04.2026 <b>NO OF WEEKS:</b> 15

Week	Class Day	Topics
		<b>1. INTRODUCTION TO SWITCHGEAR</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Essential Features of switchgear.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Switchgear Equipment, Bus-Bar Arrangement.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Switchgear Accommodation.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Short Circuit.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Faults in a power system.
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
		<b>2. FAULT CALCULATION</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Symmetrical faults on 3-phase system
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Limitation of fault current.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Percentage Reactance
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Percentage Reactance and Base KVA.
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Short – circuit KVA.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Reactor control of short circuit currents.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Location of reactors
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Steps for symmetrical Fault calculations..
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Solve numerical problems on symmetrical fault.
4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
		<b>3. FUSES</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Desirable characteristics of fuse element, Fuse Element materials..
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Types of Fuses and important terms used for fuses.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Low and High voltage fuses.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Current carrying capacity of fuse element.
5 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Difference Between a Fuse and Circuit Breaker.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
		<b>4. CIRCUIT BREAKERS</b>
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Definition and principle of Circuit Breaker
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Arc phenomenon and principle of Arc Extinction
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Methods of Arc Extinction.
6 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Definitions of Arc voltage, Re-striking voltage and Recovery voltage.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Classification of circuit Breakers.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Oil circuit Breaker and its classification.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Plain brake oil circuit breaker
7 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Arc control oil circuit breaker.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Low oil circuit breaker.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Maintenance of oil circuit breaker.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Air-Blast circuit breaker and its classification.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Sulphur Hexa -fluoride (SF6) circuit breaker.
8 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Vacuum circuit breakers.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	ASSIGNMENT

	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Switchgear component
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Problems of circuit interruption.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Resistance switching.
9 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Circuit Breaker Rating.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	CLASS TEST
		<b>5. PROTECTIVE RELAYS</b>
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Definition of Protective Relay, Fundamental requirement of protective relay.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Basic Relay operation , Electromagnetic Attraction type , Induction type
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Definition of following important terms
10 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Definition of following important terms, Pick-up current, Current setting.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Plug setting Multiplier, Time setting Multiplier.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Classification of functional relays
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Induction type over current relay (Non-directional).
11 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Induction type directional power relay.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Induction type directional over current relay
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Differential relay, Current differential relay, Voltage balance differential relay.
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Types of protection
	5 <sup>th</sup>	CLASS TEST
		<b>6. PROTECTION OF ELECTRICAL POWER EQUIPMENT AND LINES</b>
12 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Protection of alternator.
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Differential protection of alternators.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Balanced earth fault protection, Protection systems for transformer
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Buchholz relay, Protection of Bus bar
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Protection of Transmission line.
13 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Different pilot wire protection (Merz -price voltage Balance system)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Explain protection of feeder by over current and earth fault relay.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
		<b>7. PROTECTION AGAINST OVER VOLTAGE AND LIGHTING</b>
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Voltage surge and causes of over voltage.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Internal cause of over voltage.
14 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	External cause of over voltage (lighting)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mechanism of lightning discharge.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Types of lightning strokes, Harmful effect of lightning
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Lightning arresters and Type of lightning Arresters, Rod-gap lightning arrester, Horn-gap arrester, Valve type arrester.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	Surge Absorber.
15 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	ASSIGNMENT
		<b>8. STATIC RELAY</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Advantage of static relay.
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Instantaneous over current relay
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Principle of IDMT relay.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	ASSIGNMENT

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