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IN
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Assessment

Theory 60%

Practical 40%

Texts

- I. Calculations and Science Vol 1 and 2 by A.J. Watkins.
- II. I.E.E. Regulations.
- III. Basic Electrical principles by H.A. Miller.
- IV. Electrical Installation practice Part 1, 11 and 111 by H. A Miller.
- V. Electrical Installation Technology by F.G. Thompson.
- VI. Electrical Installation Work T.C. Francis.
- VII. Principles of Electricity by Hughes and Morley.
- VIII. Electrical Wiring of Buildings By Neidle.
- IX. Electrical Installation Technology by Neidle.

Explain Electrical Theory

- I. Describe atomic structure.
- II. Define Ionisation.
- III. Explain nature of conductors and insulators.
- IV. Demonstrate Construction of Atom by use of Flip Chart.

Analyse electrical Circuits

- I. Identify circuit components.
- II. Establish series, parallel and series, parallel circuits.
- III. Calculate total resistance of series, parallel and series parallel circuits.
- IV. Interpret ohm's law
- V. Apply ohm's laws, to find voltage, current and resistance of series, parallel and series parallel circuit.
- VI. Define units of voltage, current and resistance, power work and energy.
- VII. Energy identify types of final Sub-Circuits.

Identify Sources of E.M.F.

- I. Distinguish between chemical, heating, solar, mechanical, static E.M.F.
- II. Construct a simple cell using sources stated in 1.

Recognise Effects of Electric Current

- I. Describe chemical, magnetic and heating effects of Electric current.
- II. Demonstrate the chemical, magnetic and heating effects of E.C.
- III. Practical application of (1).

Explain Resistance

- I. List factors governing resistance.
- II. Demonstrate resistance value as to P, L and A.
- III. Recognise the shapes of magnets.
- IV. Plot the field of various types of magnets (bar, hors, shoe etc.).
- V. Produce a magnet by induction.
- VI. State the laws of magnetism.
- VII. Apply the principles of magnetic screening.
- VIII. Explain the storage of magnets.
- IX. Explain magnetic Saturation.

Describe Electrical Magnetism

- I. Describe the production of electro magnetic fields:- single loop solenoid.
- II. Explain self and mutual inductance.
- III. Construct a simple e.g. relays, bells, buzzers, indicators, loud speakers, telephone etc.
- IV. State the rules governing the flow of current.
- V. State Lenz's and Faraday's laws, Fleming and right and left hand rule.
- VI. Solve problems using relevant formula e.g. $H=NI$; $F=NI$; $E=BLV$; $F=BLI$ etc. L

Discuss about transformer

- I. Explain the construction of a transformer.
- II. Describe the principles of operation.
- III. List the various part.
- IV. Sketch the types of transformers.
- V. Calculate the various of voltage, current, turn ration using transformer.
Formula
$$\frac{N_1}{N_2} = \frac{V_1}{V_2} = \frac{I_2}{I_1}$$
- VI. List the methods of cooling.
- VII. Explain the centre – tapped transformer, auto-transformer.
- VIII. Discuss the application of current and voltage transformers.
- IX. Identify faults in transformer.

Explain Overloads and Short Circuits

- I. List causes of overload and short circuits.
- II. Describe the effects of overload and short circuit.
- III. Identify means of protection.
- IV. State advantages and disadvantages.
- V. Differentiate close and coarse excess current protection.

Explain Electrostatics

- I. Construct capacitors
- II. Describe types of capacitors
- III. Relate characteristics of capacitors.
- IV. Solve problem on capacitors.

Explain A.C. Generation

- I. Produce A.C. sine wave.
- II. Describe A.C. Generator Construction
- III. List Factors affecting A.C. generation
- IV. State terms associated with A.C. sine wave, rms value, average and valueeter.
- V. Define A.C. power
- VI. Describe electricity supply system, power stations. Bulk supply and distribution, control centres and transmission.
- VII. Determine phase relationship between voltage and current.

Explain D.C. Generation

- I. Describe construction of D.C. generators.
- II. Illustrate rectification
- III. Discuss back E.M.F. Lene's Law
- IV. Calculate generated E.M.F and armature current.
- V. Explain the function of a commutator as a rectifier

Discuss about Circuits

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- II. Describe methods of control of various types of circuits single one way and single pole two way.
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- I. Name types of A.C. and D.C. motors.
- II. Describe construction of various motors.
- III. Demonstrate applications of motors.
- IV. Show the use of the control gear for starting.
- V. List trouble shooting procedure and repairs required.
- VI. List types of rotor.
- VII. List types of overload.

Discuss R.L.C Circuits in Series

- I. Compare relationship between voltage and current in R.L.C. circuits.
- II. Calculate inductive reactance, capacitive reactance and impedance in R.L.C. circuits.
- III. Distinguish apparent, active and reactive power.
- IV. Illustrate relevant phasor diagram to find various values.
- V. Discuss power factor.
- VI. Discuss methods of power factor correction.

Describe Earthing

- I. State requirements for earthing
- II. Show earth-faults loop path.
- III. Measure impedance of earth path
- IV. List the types of earthing systems
- V. List troubles shooting and repairs procedures.
- VI. List and explain terms associated with earthing e.g lead, electrode etc.

Introduce Basic Electronics

- I. List types of registers and uses.
- II. Describe types of resistors.
- III. Use colour coding.
- IV. Describe thermionic emission
- V. Describe semi conductor theory
- VI. Describe conductor theory.
- VII. Explain the formation of P.N. Junction.
- VIII. Describe uses of diode as rectifier.
- IX. Explain rectification.
- X. List types of transistors.
- XI. State uses of transistors

Describe Electrical Measuring Instrument

- I. List types of measurement instruments e.g. moving oil, moving iron, dynamometer, galvanometer.
- II. List use of measuring instruments.
- III. Describe each measuring instrument.
- IV. List precautions when handling instruments.
- V. Explain factors affecting instruments.
- VI. Use of installation resistance tester.

State Safety Precautions.

- I. Minimumise fire risk.
- II. Use of basic tools and precautions.
- III. Explain workshop safety practises.
- IV. Explain emergency control of machines and equipment.
- V. Name and explain fire fighting equipment.
- VI. Demonstration of use of safety wear.
- VII. Describe safe and proper conduct in the workshop.
- VIII. Describe the correct action taken against electrical hazards.
- IX. Extinguish small fires.
- X. Use survival first aid procedures.
- XI. Demonstrate artificial resuscitation in case of electrical shock.

Identify types of Wiring System

- Discuss the various types e.g. P.V.C. M.I.C.S. conduct trunking and application.
 - Discuss underground, cable ducts systems.
 - Recognise the purpose of the above systems.
 - Determine sizes of conduct, trunking ducts.
 - Construct the respective system.
 - Employ the bends used: Offset; 90° goose and other related fittings by indication.
 - Employ the use of fittings and components.
 - Draw circuit arrangement layout of cables.
 - Introduce line and circuit diagrams.
 - Demonstrate one, two and three way switching arrangement.
 - Demonstrate switching from various positions e.g. at source and lamp position.
 - Discuss single and multi phase A.C. System.
 - Discuss two and three wire single phase system.
 - Employ voltage and current characteristics and values e.g. 3 relationship phase and line values.
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- Employ general layout of lighting circuits; and power circuits
 - Apply I.E.E regulations.
 - Apply method of looping system.

- Demonstrate fixing of cable to walls (strapping, clipping, grouping)
- Employ
 - I. Wiring of cooker circuit.
 - II. Radial Circuit.
 - III. Ring Circuit and
 - IV. An Emergency Circuit
 - V. Bell and annunciator Circuits
- Select correct cable size.
 - I. Use of I.E.E tables for cable selection and voltage drop.
 - II. Application of correction factor.
 - III. Calculation for actual and permitted voltage drop.

Testing of Completed Installation and Appliances

- I. Using installation and resistance tester (Megger).
- II. Order of testing – Polarity, Earthing and Continuity.
- III. Use of series lamp for continuity test.
- IV. Purpose of testing.
- V. Demonstration of test.

Explain and Illustration Sequence of Control

- Design meter circuits.
- Construct various types of distribution boards.
- Arrange and assemble final sub-circuits.

