

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- SEMESTER-I&II EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2025

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Subject Name:Basic Electrical Engineering

Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

- Q.1** (a) State Ohm's law and Kirchhoff's laws. **03**
(b) Define power factor. Write the disadvantages of low power factor. **04**
(c) Derive the equation of star to delta and delta to star transformation. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Write the advantages and disadvantages of polyphase systems. **03**
(b) Define: (i) Form factor (ii) Peak factor (iii) Frequency and (iv) Cycle. **04**
(c) State and explain Thevenin's theorem with suitable example. **07**
- OR**
- (c) A 100 V, 100-Watt lamp is connected in series with a 100 V, 60-watt lamp across 200 V supply. Determine current drawn and power consumed by each lamp. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Define: (i) Active power (ii) Reactive power and (iii) apparent power in ac circuits. **03**
(b) Explain the comparison between series resonance and parallel resonance condition in ac circuits. **04**
(c) Prove that current in purely inductive circuit lags its voltage by 90 degree and average power consumption in pure inductive circuit is zero. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Define and explain RMS value and average value in ac circuits. **03**
(b) Derive an expression for impedance, current and power factor for an R-L-C series circuit when supplied with ac voltage. Also draw the phasor diagram. **04**
(c) Derive the relationship between line voltage and phase voltage, line current and phase current in a 3-phase balanced star connected circuit **07**
- Q.4** (a) Define transformer. Write the main parts of transformer. **03**
(b) Compare auto transformer with two winding transformers. **04**
(c) Explain various connections of 3-phase transformers with necessary diagrams. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Write the advantages and disadvantages of auto transformer. **03**
(b) Write the types of 1-phase induction motors. Explain any one of them. **04**
(c) Explain construction and working of synchronous generator with necessary diagram. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Compare squirrel cage induction motor with slip ring induction motor. **03**
(b) Explain the types of dc motors with diagrams. **04**
(c) Define earthing. Explain plate earthing with diagram. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) Give a list of safety devices used for home appliances. **03**
(b) Write the comparison of Fuse, MCB and ELCB. **04**
(c) A series R-L-C circuit having a resistance of $8\ \Omega$, inductance of 80 mH and capacitance of $100\ \mu\text{F}$ is connected across a 150 Volt, 50 Hz supply. Calculate (i) the current (ii) the power factor and (iii) the voltage drops in the coil and capacitance. **07**
