

12. (a) With a neat diagram explain the occurrence of transients
- (i) Resistance switching (8)
 - (ii) Capacitance switching. (8)

Or

- (b) Explain clearly the phenomenon of current chopping (or current suppression). For the purpose of illustration draw necessary diagrams and waveforms.
13. (a) (i) With neat diagrams, explain the mechanism of cloud formation. (6)
- (ii) What is called grounding? Explain the importance and working of Grounding a line structure. (10)

Or

- (b) (i) What is meant by lightning discharge? Explain its mechanism in detail. (10)
- (ii) What are the characteristics of Lightning strokes? (6)
14. (a) Explain the steps involved in Bewley's Lattice diagram construction with an example. (16)

Or

- (b) (i) Discuss transient response of systems with series and shunt lumped parameters and distributed lines. (8)
- (ii) Derive the refraction coefficients of a traveling wave. (8)
15. (a) Describe the line dropping and load rejection in detail.

Or

- (b) Explain in detail the application of EMTP for transient computation.
