

AMMV22 MARINE ELECTRICAL TECHNOLOGY

UNIT-1 POWER DISTRIBUTION AND REGULATIONS

- 1.1 The marine environment- effects of inclination- Generators- Power supply commonly available- main switchboard- motor controls- emergency services
- 1.2 Emergency stop panel- ships auxillary services- load analysis- electrical diagrams
- 1.3 Inherent dangers and avoidance of disastrous consequences
- 1.4 Active and passive safety measures- Do's and Don'ts- Electric shock- first aid- conditions of shock risk- Selection of AC and DC generators for use on ships- merits and demerits- location and Installation of generator sets.
- 1.5 Requirements & Regulations- safe electrical equipment's for hazardous areas- American safety standards- common definitions
- 1.6 British and European standards- tanker installations- Installations Ashore- Indian Standards.
- 1.7 Systems of AC distribution- general concept – single, two and three phase systems with 2,3 and 4 wires- power distribution- general Distribution scheme
- 1.8 Specific systems for ship's service- tankers schemes- primary power bus- need for emergency power supply- method of supply- passenger and cargo vessels requirements
- 1.9 Shore supply –precautions to be taken while consuming shore supply
- 1.10 Arrangement to ensure proper phase supply- remote switches to ventilating fans- fuel pumps – lubricating oil pumps and purifiers.

UNIT-2 INSTRUMENTATION AND SWITCHGEAR

- 2.1 Insulated & Earthed neutral systems- introduction- circuit faults- causes- prevention- earth fault indicators- detection and clearance- alternators.
- 2.2 AVR: excitation systems- carbon pile regulator- vibrating contact and static automatic regulator- transient voltage dip and alternator response- effect of kW and Kvar Loading.
- 2.3 Panel instrumentation: Introduction – system terminology
- 2.4 Phase sequence indicators. Paralleling of Alternators: Manual and auto synchronizing-
- 2.5 Lamps- parallel operation- excitation and throttle control- load sharing- kW, kVAR and Manual.
- 2.6 Switchboards & Switchgear: Main and sub switchboard-Rating and Characteristics of Main switchboards- group starter boards- distribution Fuse boards – bus bars
- 2.7 Instrumentation & controls- circuit breakers- alternator CBs- MCCB's- miniature CB's RCCB's- arc fault Current Interrupts- fused Isolators- fault protection devices
- 2.8 Introduction- over-voltage-surge transients- ripple- spikes- DC generator protection- alternator and system protection.
- 2.9 Protection through fuses- protection Discrimination Motor Protection.

UNIT-3 CABLES AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS

- 3.1 Electrical Cables: Cables- conductors- Wire Sizes- Current Rating- Testing-codes- Practical tips.
- 3.2 Insulation- protection and temperature ratings- insulation classes- A, B, E, F,H Insulation for High temperatures- Insulating Materials.

- 3.3 Cable insulation & Sheath- Cable gland- Degrees of Protection- Temperature Ratings- Temperature Rise- Determination of hot temperature.
- 3.4 Lighting Systems: Introduction- Incandescent Lamps- Discharge lamps- HCLPMF lamps- High pressure Mercury Fluorescent lamps
- 3.5 High and Low pressure sodium vapour lamps- Lamp caps- Effect of voltage on lamp performance- Navigation & signal lights
- 3.6 Signals for a power driven ship under way (At night)- Emergency lighting- Requirement of lighting of Deck and pump house of oil tankers.
- 3.7 Alarm Indication Systems: Fire alarms and Detection- Heat detectors- Smoke detectors- Combustion detectors- Miscellaneous alarm indicator systems
- 3.8 Scanning type system- Sequential starting and cut outs for an automatic fired boiler incorporating safety devices and combustion control equipment's- incinerators- Sewage plants- Bilge oil separators.

UNIT-4 PROPULSION AND STEERING SYSTEMS

- 4.1 Propulsion Systems: Auxiliary propulsion systems
- 4.2 Layout and Optimizing storage space- Electrical Propulsion- Advantages & Disadvantages
- 4.3 DC constant current systems- DC motor supplied from alternators- Turbo- electric propulsion- AC single speed and Induction motor drives- Fixed speed alternators- Cycloconverter device
- 4.4 Diesel Electric propulsion- Thruster and Water jet propulsion.
- 4.5 Steering Systems & Gyrocompasses: Fundamentals- Auto Navy steering Systems- Type P- Electro hydraulic Steering- Control systems-Typical system configuration
- 4.6 Components-Auto Steer Types, Structure- Gyroscopes- Compass Considerations.
- 4.7 Deck Machinery & Cargo Equipment: Anchor Windlass- Cargo winches- Hydra lift Marine cranes-Maritime GMC A.S. Hagglunds Drives & H.W.
- 4.8 Carlsen AB-Magnetic disc brakes.
- 4.9 Automation of Air Compressors: Selection- Choice of a correct machine-Oil-free and non-oil free air- Instrument air- Air Vs Water cooled
- 4.10 Reciprocating Compressors-Starting & control-Safety protection Equipment- Automatic Operation.

UNIT-5 AUXILIARIES AND MAINTENANCE

- 5.1 Batteries & Battery charging: Battery supplies- Lead-acid batteries-
- 5.2 Electrical Characteristics- Nickel- Cadmium batteries- Sealed Ni-Cd batteries
- 5.3 Battery charging- Charging from AC and DC mains- Standby Emergency batteries
- 5.4 Voltage Regulators- Battery insulation & safety measures
- 5.5 First Aid treatment- Rotary generators.
- 5.6 Gas analysers- Combustible gas indicator- Portable oxygen analyzer- CO₂ Analysis- Tank scope – Fixed oxygen Analyser.
- 5.7 Miscellaneous Systems: Cathodic protection system-Crankcase oil mist detector- Air drier- Dynic Water purity meter
- 5.8 Salinometer- Electric Tachometer- Rudder position Indicator
- 5.9 Ship's roll stabilizer – Galley Equipment- Laundry Equipment- Refrigerating Machinery

- 5.10 Temperature monitoring for R & AC systems.
- 5.11 Maintenance & Troubleshooting: Introduction- Planned Preventive Maintenance-
- 5.12 Life, Breakdown and Condition maintenance, Troubleshooting,
- 5.13 Maintenance of specific equipment's – Recommended list of spares, tools & Accessories.

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