Chapter 10 Transformers

- 1. What is the function of a transformer? How is it constructed? Why is the core laminated?
- 2. Using suitable sketches, explain the principle of transformer operation. What is leakage flux?
- 3. Why are some transformers provided with tap changers? What precautions should be observed when operating a manually operated tap changer?
- 4. Explain why increasing the load on the secondary of a transformer causes the primary current to increase.
- 5. What is an autotransformer? State several applications of autotransformers.
- 6. Differentiate between subtractive and additive polarity as it applies to transformers.