

# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

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## June 2025 Semester End Main Examinations

Programme: B.E.

Semester: VI

Branch: Electrical and Electronics Engineering

Duration: 3 hrs.

Course Code: 19EE6CE1WS

Max Marks: 100

Course: Wind and Solar Energy Systems

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

<b>Important Note:</b> Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.			<b>UNIT - I</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>PO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
	1	a)	Discuss on various categories of control options in renewable energy systems.	CO1	PO7	10
		b)	With a neat diagram, show the flow of energy passing continuously as renewable energy through earth	CO2	PO2	10
			<b>OR</b>			
	2	a)	Discuss on pollution and environmental impact of renewable and non-renewable energy systems.	CO2	PO2	10
		b)	How do you match supply and demand with renewable energy options ? Explain highlighting the advantages of connecting a renewable energy system to a grid network?	CO2	PO2	10
			<b>UNIT - II</b>			
	3	a)	List the different types of solar radiation measuring instruments? Explain with the help of a diagram any one type of pyrheliometer?	CO2	PO2	10
		b)	Define the angle of declination, Solar Azimuth angle, Altitude Angle, Hour Angle, Zenith Angle.	CO1	PO7	10
			<b>OR</b>			
	4	a)	Discuss in detail about the different components of solar radiation striking a collector surface on earth with the help of diagrams and equations?	CO3	PO3	12
		b)	What is Air Mass Ratio? Illustrate and explain with the help of a neat diagram. Also Define Blackbody.	CO2	PO2	08

			<b>UNIT - III</b>			
5	a)	Develop an accurate equivalent circuit of Photovoltaic cell and thereby obtain the expressions for voltage and current.	CO2	PO2	<b>12</b>	
	b)	What is impact of Insolation and Temperature on I-V Curves?	CO3	PO3	<b>08</b>	
		<b>OR</b>				
6	a)	Explain a method of mitigating the shading effect?. What is the solution for this in practical situation	CO2	PO2	<b>10</b>	
	b)	Give the classification of PV cells based on the technologies used for manufacturing processes.	CO1	PO7	<b>10</b>	
		<b>UNIT - IV</b>				
7	a)	What are the features of Stand Alone PV System? Explain with neat diagrams	CO2	PO2	<b>12</b>	
	b)	What are MPPTs what is their significance?	CO2	PO2	<b>08</b>	
		<b>OR</b>				
8	a)	Explain the peak hours approach to estimate the PV performance.	CO2	PO2	<b>12</b>	
	b)	What is effect of Duty Cycle of MPPT on the performance PV module.	CO2	PO2	<b>08</b>	
		<b>UNIT - V</b>				
9	a)	What is the significance of Battery I-V curves? With reference to this, compare ideal battery with real battery.	CO2	PO2	<b>10</b>	
	b)	Describe with a neat diagram the components of wind electric conversion system.	CO4	PO3	<b>10</b>	
		<b>OR</b>				
10		Discuss the effect of temperature and elevation on the wind power generation and correction required while estimating wind power generation.	CO4	PO3	<b>20</b>	

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