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

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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.

UNIT - I			CO	PO	Marks
1	a)	Discuss on various categories of control options in renewable energy systems.	<i>CO1</i>	<i>PO7</i>	10
	b)	With a neat diagram, show the flow of energy passing continuously as renewable energy through earth	<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>	10
OR					
2	a)	Discuss on pollution and environmental impact of renewable and non-renewable energy systems.	<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>	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?	<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>	10
UNIT - II					
3	a)	List the different types of solar radiation measuring instruments? Explain with the help of a diagram any one type of pyrheliometer?	<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>	10
	b)	Define the angle of declination, Solar Azimuth angle, Altitude Angle, Hour Angle, Zenith Angle.	<i>CO1</i>	<i>PO7</i>	10
OR					
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?	<i>CO3</i>	<i>PO3</i>	12
	b)	What is Air Mass Ratio? Illustrate and explain with the help of a neat diagram. Also Define Blackbody.	<i>CO2</i>	<i>PO2</i>	08

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

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