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B.Tech.(ME) (E-I 2012 Onwards) (Sem.-6) NON CONVENTIONAL ENERGY RESOURCES

Subject Code: DE/ME-1.3 M.Code: 71245

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students 3. have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1. **Answer briefly:**

- (a) What do you understand by insolation?(b) What is an emometer?
- (c) Name four most important factors to be considered for selection of materials for MHD generators.
- (d) What is a fuel cell?
- (e) What is absorption air conditioning in solar energy?
- (f) How the power generated by a wind turbine would be affected if the diameter of the rotor of the turbine is doubled?
- (g) What is the basic principle of thermoelectric power generation?
- (h) What is thermoelectric refrigeration?
- (i) What is temperature at the inlet of the MHD generator in open cycle system?
- (i) What are limitations of tidal energy?



SECTION-B

- 2. Explain principle and working of MHD power generation.
- 3. Discuss various bio-mass conversion technologies.
- 4. Explain working of double basin tidal power plant.
- 5. Describe construction details and working of a thermionic generator.
- 6. Derive an equation to measure the performance of a flat plate collector.

SECTION-C

- 7. Explain different types of vertical axis wind turbines with the help of diagrams. Also state their advantages and disadvantages as compared to horizontal axis wind turbines.
- 8. Explain different types of sources of geothermal energy.
- 9. Explain construction and working of a bio-gas plant.

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