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B.Tech. (EE/EEE) (Sem.-7/8)

NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES

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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 has to attempt any FOUR questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students has to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A**1. Write briefly :**

- What is meant by Non-conventional energy sources?
- Discuss the principle of MHD generation.
- Give names of the materials for electrodes and generator duct of MHD generator.
- Define Thomson effect.
- Give applications of Photovoltaic cell.
- Define Altitude angle and Incident angle.
- What is the difference between a fuel cell and a battery?
- Name different types of solar collectors.
- What is polarization in fuel cells?
- Give applications of wind energy.

SECTION-B

- What are the possible sources of geothermal pollution avoided?
- Derive an expression for power developed due to ...
- Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of Non-conventional energy sources.
- Describe briefly a thermoelectric power generation system and its merit for it.
- What is Seebeck effect? How Seebeck coefficients are determined?

SECTION-C

- Derive an expression for free energy and potential energy of a system.
- (a) What are the various losses associated with operation of a MHD generator?
(b) What are important factors to be considered while designing a MHD generator?
- (a) What are the advantages and disadvantages of solar energy conversion?
(b) Describe the working principle of solar furnace and its applications?

