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**POWER PLANT ENGINEERING**

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Time : 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks : 60

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :**

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

**SECTION-A****Q1 Answer briefly :**

- a) Enlist primary energy resources in India, from which electricity can be generated.
- b) What is the function of Economiser and Air Pre-heaters?
- c) Enumerate advantages and disadvantages of hydropower plants.
- d) What is the function of surge shaft?
- e) Define cetane number.
- f) What are the desirable properties of a good moderator?
- g) Give the uses of gas turbines.
- h) What is a fuel cell?
- i) Specify the significance of power production using Magneto Hydro Dynamic plant.
- j) State the applications of diesel power plant.

**SECTION-B**

- Q2 Define precipitation, evaporation and run-off. How these are interrelated?
- Q3 Briefly, explain the working of coal handling and pulverization system in Thermal power plant.
- Q4 Write Thermo-electric conversion system.
- Q5 Explain working of combined Steam and Gas power plant.
- Q6 Discuss advantages and limitations of Wind Power Plant.

**SECTION-C**

- Q7 With neat sketch explain the following : (i) Low head hydro plant (ii) Pumped storage power plant.
- Q8 Write note on all the important part of nuclear reactor. Describe briefly the functions of each part. .
- Q9 The run off data of a river at a particular site is tabulated below :

Month	Discharge (million cu. m.)	Month	Discharge (million cu. m.)
January	30	July	80
February	25	August	100
March	20	September	110
April	0	October	65
May	10	November	45
June	50	December	30

- (i) Draw a hydrograph and find mean flow
- (ii) Draw flow duration curve
- (iii) Find the power developed if head available is 90m and the overall efficiency is 86%. Assume each month of 30days.