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## B.Tech IV Year I Semester (R09) Supplementary Examinations, May 2013 **POWER PLANT ENGINEERING**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 70

## Answer any FIVE questions All questions carry equal marks

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- 1. (a) Explain different types of equipments used for transferring coal.
  - (b) How is coal formed? What are the important coal properties relevant to boilers?
- 2. (a) Explain the working of cyclone burner and fluidized bed combustion system.
  - (b) Explain about the importance of high purity water in boilers.
- 3. (a) What is the objective of super charging? Why is it more beneficial in a CI engine compared to an SI engine?
  - (b) State the applications of a diesel power plant.
- 4. What are the major components of a gas turbine plant? Discuss the effect of inter cooling and reheating in a gas turbine plant.
- 5. (a) What are the different types of pumped storage power generation?
  - (b) What is the function of surge tank in a hydro electric power plant?
- 6. Draw the layout of a MHD open cycle generator and explain its functions of components.
- 7. (a) What is a moderator in nuclear reactor? Explain the desirable properties of a good moderator.
  - (b) How are nuclear reactors classified?
- 8. (a) Briefly explain about fossil fuel pollution.
  - (b) What are the effects of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub> and hydro carbons on the human and crop lives?

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