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c-HYDROPOWER ENGINEERING

(2008 Pattern) (Semester-II)(401008) (Open Elective)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks :100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) *Attempt any 3 questions from each section.*
- 2) *Answers to the two sections should be written in separate books.*
- 3) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 4) *Draw neat and labeled diagrams wherever necessary.*

SECTION-I

Q1) a) Explain concept process advantages, limitations of **[8]**

- i) Nuclear power and
- ii) Tidal power.

b) Which are the six major hydropower potential river systems exist in India? State the examples of significant hydropower stations established these systems. **[8]**

OR

Q2) a) Explain the process of advantages and limitations of **[8]**

- i) Thermal power
- ii) Wind power.

b) Explain process of Nuclear power generation 1 Why Nuclear power is considered as positive power source of future? **[8]**

Q3) a) Explain the classification of hydropower plant based on

- i) function
- ii) Plant capacity
- iii) Head
- iv) Location .

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- b) What are components of pumped storage plants and its classification based on inflow and reservoir capacity. [8]

OR

- Q4)** a) What is storage or valley dam plant ? Draw its layout and explain the component of storage power plant with its function. [8]

- b) Differentiate between base load and peak load plant. [8]

- Q5)** a) Explain the load duration curve on the basis of [8]

- i) Concept
- ii) Significance
- iii) Application
- iv) Graph.

- b) The load on hydal plant varies from a min of 10,000 kW to maximum of 35000 kW each have been installed calculate. [10]

- i) Total installed capacity of the plant.
- ii) Plant factor.
- iii) Maximum demand.
- iv) Load factor.
- v) Utilisation factor.

OR

- Q6)** a) What is load predicted and its significance? What are different methods of load prediction? State any two mathematical equation of load prediction. [8]

- b) A river has a constant flow of 40 cumecs with the head of 15m considering overall efficiency of 80% determine. [10]

- i) Firm capacity of run of river plant for 8 hrs without pondage.
- ii) Pondage factor.
- iii) Firm capacity of plant with pondage.
- iv) Volume of pondage.

SECTION-II

- Q7)** a) What is meant by instrumentation of powerhouse . [8]
- b) Differentiate between surface power house and underground power house. [8]

OR

- Q8)** a) Describe any four powerplant equipments and their functions. [8]
- b) With a neat layout explain components, their function and working of dam toe power house which type of turbine is preferred in dam toe power house and why? [8]
- Q9)** a) Derive the equation for height of draft tube so as to install reaction turbine at appropriate working of pressure. [8]
- b) A penstock supply water from a dam to pelton wheel with gross head of 900 m and $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of it is lost in friction. The $Q=4 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$ and is deflected through 165° . Find horse power of runner and hydraulic efficiency. Take $C_u=0.48$ $C_v=0.98$.
- Assume smooth plate without any shock. [8]

OR

- Q10)a)** Differentiate between reaction turbine and Impulse turbine. [8]
- b) A pelton wheel is to be designed for the following specifications. Shaft power 11772 kW, Head=380 m Speed 750 rpm, Overall efficiency=86%. Jet dia is not to exceed one sixth of wheel diameter Determine
- i) Wheel diameter
- ii) The no. of jets required
- iii) Dia of Jet
- Take $K_{v_1}=0.985$ & $K_{u_1}=0.45$. [8]

Q11)a) What is pricing of electricity? State any four factor Governing pricing of electricity. [9]

b) What are the functions of state load dispatch centre. [9]

OR

Q12)a) Explain the participation of private sector in economics of Hydroelectric power. [9]

b) Explain concept of carbon credit. Justify hydropower as green power. [9]

