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### M.E. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2013.

#### Elective

#### Power Electronics and Drives

PE 9272/ PE 972/ 10233 PEE 51/ 10233 PSE 62 — POWER ELECTRONICS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEMS

(Common to M.E. — Electrical Drives and Embedded Control/ M.E. — Power Management/ M.E. — Power Systems Engineering)

(Regulation 2009/2010)

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A —  $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

- 1. List the various renewable energy resources.
- 2. Give any two environmental aspects of electric energy conversion.
- 3. Define reference theory.
- 4. What is meant by DFIG.
- 5. What is the advantages of Boost and buck converter?
- 6. What is meant by matrix converters?
- 7. List out the grid connection issues?
- 8. Define grid integrated solar system.
- 9. What is need of hybrid systems?
- 10. Give the range of hybrid systems.

## PART B — $(5 \times 16 = 80 \text{ marks})$

| 11. | (a) | Explain the qualitative study of different renewable energy resources. (16)                               |  |  |  |  |  |
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|     |     | $\operatorname{Or}$                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | (b) | Explain the impacts of renewable energy generation on environment. (16)                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12. | (a) | With neat diagram, explain the principle of PMSG and analyze in detail. (16)                              |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Or  |                                                                                                           |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | (b) | Explain the operation of SCIG in details with proper analysis. (16)                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13. | (a) | Explain the principle and operation of line commutated converters in inverse mode. (16)                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | Or                                                                                                        |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | (b) | (i) Explain the three phase uncontrolled rectifiers in detail. (8)                                        |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | (ii) Write short note on PWM inverters. (8)                                                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14. | (a) | Explain in detail of the stand alone operation of fixed and variable speed energy conversion system. (16) |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | Or                                                                                                        |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | (b) | Write short note on                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | (i) Grid integrated PMSG. (8)                                                                             |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | (ii) SCIG based WECS. (8)                                                                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15. | (a) | Explain the case studies of wind. (16)                                                                    |  |  |  |  |  |
|     |     | Or                                                                                                        |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | (b) | Briefly explain the maximum power point tracking system. (16)                                             |  |  |  |  |  |