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Ph.D COURSE WORK EXAMINATION, MAY 2018

Elective

Course Work

15PPE501 - POWER ELECTRONICS FOR PV AND WIND ENERGY SYSTEMS

(Regulation 2015)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART - A (5 x 20 = 100 Marks)

1. (a) Sketch the model of the following renewable energy sources
 - (i) PV array CO1- U (10)
 - (ii) Wind electric generators CO1- U (10)

Or

- (b)
 - (i) Illustrate the energy resources available in India. CO1- U (8)
 - (ii) Motive the need for renewable energy resources. CO1- U (8)
 - (iii) Outline some of the Wind farms and solar power plants CO1- U (4)
available in India

2. (a) Explain the basic working principles of solar PV system used for power generation with necessary diagrams. CO2- U (20)

Or

- (b) Explain the concept of Maximum Power Point Tracking (MPPT) algorithms. CO2- U (20)

3. (a) (i) List out the benefits of Hybrid power plants. CO3- U (8)
(ii) Discuss in detail the need, working principle of PV – Diesel hybrid systems CO3- U (12)

Or

- (b) Discuss in detail the need, working principle, advantages and drawback of Grid connected PV systems. CO3- U (20)
4. (a) Discuss in detail the need, working principle, advantages and drawback of standalone wind – diesel energy systems. CO4- Ana (20)

Or

- (b) Discuss in detail the need, working principle, advantages and drawback of Grid connected wind energy systems. CO4- Ana (20)
5. (a) Elucidate the role of Micro controller in the Gate circuitry for wind energy systems. CO5- Ana (20)

Or

- (b) Elaborate on power quality issues in hybrid/ renewable energy systems and mention the control measures. CO5- Ana (20)
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