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WIND, SOLAR AND HYBRID ENERGY SYSTEMS

(Electrical and Electronics Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 75

Answer any Five Questions  
All Questions Carry Equal Marks

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- AG a) Explain about the historical overview of Wind power along with current status of wind power worldwide in detail. [8+7]
- b) List and explain the various basic integration issues related to wind power. [8+7]
- 2.a) Explain the following with respect to fixed speed wind turbine:  
i) Stall control ii) Pitch control iii) Active stall control.
- b) List and explain the various typical characteristics that were considered for Wind power generation. [8+7]
3. Explain the operation of typical wind turbine configuration with Permanent magnet synchronous generator with a neat connection diagram. [15]
- 4.a) Explain the following terms with respect to Solar radiation:  
i) Extraterrestrial insolation ii) Solar constant  
iii) Direct beam radiation iv) Diffuse radiation
- b) Explain the effect of series and parallel resistances in the PV equivalent circuit and how these are related to I - V curves. [8+7]
- 5.a) Explain the term Fill factor with respect to Solar modules and draw P - V curve of a PV Module.  
b) Explain the shading impacts on I - V curves of PV modules. [8+7]
- 6.a) Explain how a DC - DC converter be called as the heart of a maximum point tracker.  
b) Explain in detail about the Incremental conductance algorithm of Maximum Power Point tracking of a Solar PV System. [8+7]
- 7.a) Explain in detail about the solar Pond along with its advantages.  
b) Explain in detail about the solar thermal Electric conversion. [7+8]
8. Write short notes on the following.  
a) Significance of Voltage and frequency operating limits of grid connection  
b) Solar PV and Wind farm behavior during grid disturbances. [7+8]

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