

# **Question Bank (I- scheme) Unit Test I**

**Course: Wind Power Technology**

**Code: (22528)**

**Abbreviation - WPT**

**Semester: 5I**

**Program: EE**

## **UNIT I: WIND ENERGY & WIND POWER PLANTS (08 M)**

### **2 Marks Questions:**

- 1) State India's approximate position in wind power generation in the world.
- 2) State the various types of wind power plants.
- 3) List two characteristics of wind related to WPP.
- 4) Suggest the sensors for sensing speed and direction of wind.
- 5) List any four switchgears used in a WPP sub-station.
- 6) List any four types of towers used in WPP.
- 7) State the factors which affect the nature of the wind close to the surface of the earth.

- 8) State approximate wind power generation in India.
- 9) State the factors which affect the nature of the wind close to the surface of the earth.

**4 Marks Questions:**

- 10) Explain the specified characteristics of the wind related to wind power generation.
- 11) Define cut-in and cut-out speed of WPP with neat labeled graph. Give specific value of each.
- 12) Classify WPPs on any four points.
- 13) Draw basic block diagram of wind energy conversion system.
- 14) Draw a block diagram of WPP substation. State function of each block.

**UNIT II: CONSTRUCTION & WORKING OF LARGE WIND POWER PLANTS (12M)**

**2 Marks Questions:**

- 15) Identify the capacity and tower type suitable for horizontal axis wind turbine.
- 16) Name any two forces acting on wind turbine.
- 17) Name any two aerodynamic controls for WPPs.

#### **4 Marks Questions:**

- 18) Explain the stall and pitch control for WPP.
- 19) Justify the need, location and working of any three sensors used in WPPs.
- 20) Related to WPP define following wind speeds –
  - (i) Cut in
  - (ii) Cut out
  - (iii) Survival
  - (iv) Threshold
- 21) Explain Drag and Lift rotation principle of WPP.
- 22) State function and location of any four sensors used in large WPP.
- 23) State meaning of following characteristics of wind energy:
  - (i) Wind movement (ii) Wind profile (iii) Roughness (iv) Obstacle in wind path
- 24) State function of following parts of WPP:
  - i) tower, (ii) nacelle, (iii) hub, (iv) blades, (v) gear box (vi) generator.
- 25) List any four towers related to WPP. Explain any one in brief.

26) Identify the sensors for the following :

- (i) Wind speed
- (ii) RPM of generator shaft
- (iii) Temperature in generator
- (iv) Cable untwisting
- (v) Vibration
- (vi) Wind direction

### **UNIT III: AERODYNAMIC CONTROL, ELECTRIC GENERATORS & GRID CONNECTION (16M)**

#### **2 Marks Questions:**

- 27) Name any two aerodynamic controls for WPPs.
- 28) Select appropriate actuators for pitching and yawing mechanism.
- 29) Name two aerodynamic control mechanisms for WPP.
- 30) Name any two breaking mechanisms for large WPPs
- 31) List any two advantages of vertical axis WPPs.

#### 4 Marks Questions:

- 32) Identify appropriate type of actuators for pitching and yawing control for horizontal WPP.
- 33) List various types of generators used in WPPs.
- 34) Explain the working of squirrel cage induction generator.
- 35) Explain with sketches the braking mechanism for large type wind turbine.
- 36) List two advantages and two disadvantages each of DFIG used in WPP.
- 37) Explain about local impacts of electrical grid connection of WPP.
- 38) Explain with block diagram working of direct drive type SWT.
- 39) Compare horizontal and vertical axis SWT on any four points.
- 40) Compare SCIG and PMSG used in WPPs on the basis of cost, construction, speed control, reactive power control, output and application.
- 41) Recommend & explain with neat sketch a suitable braking mechanism for the large WPP.
- 42) Explain with neat sketch working of direct drive SWT. Give any two advantages of it over geared type SWT.

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