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**SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR**

(AUTONOMOUS)

**B.Tech III Year I Semester Supplementary Examinations Feb-2021****NON- CONVENTIONAL ENERGY RESOURCES**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units  $5 \times 12 = 60$  Marks)**UNIT-I**

- 1 a Explain brief about solar radiation. 6M  
 b Explain working of sunshine recorder with neat sketch. 6M

**OR**

- 2 a What are the types of solar radiation measuring instruments? 6M  
 b What is the need of renewable energy? 6M

**UNIT-II**

- 3 a Mention the thermal analysis of flat plate collector. 6M  
 b Write the application of solar energy. 6M

**OR**

- 4 a Explain working principle of concentrating collector. 6M  
 b Explain working principle of solar PV cells. 6M

**UNIT-III**

- 5 a Explain wind power. Explain in detail. 6M  
 b Mention advantages and disadvantage of wind energy. 6M

**OR**

- 6 a Difference between HAWT and VAWT. 5M  
 b Classify the wind turbines. Explain any one with neat sketch. 7M

**UNIT-IV**

- 7 a What is bio mass? Why it is called renewable energy? 6M  
 b Write merits and demerits of Biomass energy. 6M

**OR**

- 8 a Mention characteristics of Bio diesel. 6M  
 b What are the factors affecting generation of bio mass? 6M

**UNIT-V**

- 9 a Mention the application of hydrogen. 6M  
 b Difference between wave and tidal energy. 6M

**OR**

- 10 a What is geothermal energy and explain its extraction process. 6M  
 b What are the different methods of hydrogen storage? 6M

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