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**SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR**  
(AUTONOMOUS)**B.Tech IV Year II Semester Regular Examinations September 2020****POWER PLANT ENGINEERING**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

**UNIT-I**

- 1 a Explain the layout of gas turbine power plant. **6M**  
b What is the present position of power in India? **6M**

**OR**

- 2 a Describe the layout of diesel power plant with neat sketch **6M**  
b What is a nuclear power plant explain its layout with neat sketch. **6M**

**UNIT-II**

- 3 a Describe high pressure boilers and their advantages. **6M**  
b Explain Super Critical boilers and their advantages. **6M**

**OR**

- 4 a Discuss over feed fuel beds. **6M**  
b Describe underfeed fuel beds. **6M**

**UNIT-III**

- 5 a Describe a simple open cycle gas turbine plant with a simple line diagram. **6M**  
b Compare a closed cycle gas turbines with open cycle gas turbine. **6M**

**OR**

- 6 a How does inter cooling help in improving thermal efficiency of the gas power plant? **6M**  
b Explain the process of reheating and regeneration. **6M**

**UNIT-IV**

- 7 a Define drainage area and its characteristics. **6M**  
b Discuss hydrograph and flow duration curve and their use for hydro plants. **6M**

**OR**

- 8 a List out the hydroelectric power plant auxiliaries. **6M**  
b How to select prime movers for hydroelectric power plant. **6M**

**UNIT-V**

- 9 a What is nuclear fuel and list the advantages of nuclear energy? **6M**  
b Explain nuclear fission process. **6M**

**OR**

- 10 a Define radioactive waste. Necessity of its disposal. **6M**  
b Describe radioactive waste disposal methods. **6M**

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