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**B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL / MAY 2023**

Seventh Semester

**Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering**

**EI8092 – THERMAL POWER PLANT INSTRUMENTATION**

(Regulations 2017)

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

**PART - A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

- |   | <i>Marks,<br/>K-Level, CO</i> |
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| 1. Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable energy sources.  | 2,K2,CO1                      |
| 2. Mention the role of Economizer in thermal power plant.           | 2,K2,CO1                      |
| 3. List the devices used for electrical measurement in power plant. | 2,K1,CO2                      |
| 4. Define Power factor.   | 2,K1,CO2                      |
| 5. Differentiate induced and forced draught.                        | 2,K2,CO3                      |
| 6. Classify the basic elements for unit pulverizer system.          | 2,K1,CO3                      |
| 7. What is the function of deaerator and mention its types.         | 2,K1,CO4                      |
| 8. Differentiate three element control with single element control. | 2,K2,CO4                      |
| 9. Classify the types of turbine speed measurement.                 | 2,K2,CO5                      |
| 10. Define Speed ration in turbine.                                 | 2,K1,CO5                      |

**PART - B (5 × 13 = 65 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

11. a) (i) Illustrate with neat sketch the process of electric power generation using solar energy. 7,K2,CO1
- (ii) Draw the Piping & Instrumentation diagram of a boiler system in the thermal power plant. 6,K2,CO1

**OR**

- b) Describe the various process take place in thermal power plant with neat diagram. 13,K2,CO1
12. a) Describe in detail about coal flow measurement methods with neat diagram. 13,K2,CO2

**OR**

*K1 – Remember; K2 – Understand; K3 – Apply; K4 – Analyze; K5 – Evaluate; K6 – Create*

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- b) With a neat sketch illustrate the working of paramagnetic oxygen analyzer for flue gas measurement. *13,K2,CO2*
13. a) (i) Describe furnace draught control using feed forward plus feedback control. *9,K2,CO3*
- (ii) Discuss about soot blowing. *4,K2,CO3*

**OR**

- b) Explain the importance of air/fuel ratio control in a boiler and brief the methods of controlling the air / fuel with necessary diagram. *13,K2,CO3*
14. a) With neat block diagram, detail the function of distributed control system in power plant. *13,K2,CO4*

**OR**

- b) Organize the steps involved in the operation of a two element feed water drum level control system with its schematic block diagram. *13,K2,CO4*
15. a) How speed of the turbine can be measured and what is the control mechanism to be used for maintaining the optimum speed of the turbine? *13,K2,CO5*

**OR**

- b) (i) Explain shell temperature monitoring and control in turbine. *6,K2,CO5*
- (ii) Discuss in detail the direct dry type cooling system in turbine control. *7,K2,CO5*

**PART - C (1 × 15 = 15 Marks)**

16. a) Identify the need for interlocks in boiler operation. Also mention the various processes / operation connected with interlocks in steam power plant for safety. *15,K2,CO4*

**OR**

- b) With a neat diagram explain the burner management system. *15,K2,CO3*