

**MASTER OF SCIENCE (RENEWABLE ENERGY
AND ENVIRONMENT) (MSCRWEE)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2022

MRW-001 : ENERGY CONVERSION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Attempt any **seven** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

1. (a) A six-pole induction motor is running at a speed of 980 rpm when it is fed from 50 Hz source. Find the slip with which the motor is running and the frequency of the rotor current.
- (b) Discuss the integrated power generating system for rural areas. 5+5=10
2. (a) Explain briefly the diffusion combustion process.
- (b) Discuss the characteristics of gaseous fuels. 5+5=10

3. (a) Enlist the various applications of a solar PV system.
- (b) Describe the working principle of wind energy system for lifting water. $5+5=10$
4. Distinguish between any **four** of the following : $4 \times 2 \frac{1}{2} = 10$
- (a) Natural circulation type solar water heater and Forced circulation type solar water heater
- (b) 3-phase induction motor and 1-phase induction motor
- (c) Thermoelectric energy conversion and Photoelectric energy conversion
- (d) Proximate analysis and Ultimate analysis
- (e) Octane number and Cetane number
- (f) Open cycle gas turbine and Closed cycle gas turbine
5. (a) Describe the working of a parallel flow jet condenser.
- (b) What is Vacuum Efficiency ? What are the factors on which vacuum efficiency depends ? $5+5=10$
6. (a) Describe the reheat steam cycle, with the help of a PV diagram.
- (b) Briefly explain the working principles of any two types of compressors. $5+5=10$

7. (a) Discuss the characteristics of bagasse. How is it possible to convert bagasse into liquid fuel ?
- (b) Describe the various zones of gas production reactions. $5+5=10$
8. (a) Describe the working principle of Run-off river plants without pondage.
- (b) What are the various particulate emission control techniques ? Discuss their relative advantages and limitations. $5+5=10$
9. Write short notes on any **four** of the following : $4 \times 2 \frac{1}{2} = 10$
- (a) Hydraulic Sluicing Element
 - (b) Stoichiometric Air Fuel Ratio
 - (c) Magnetohydrodynamic Power Generation
 - (d) Briquetting
 - (e) Bioenergy
 - (f) Surge Tanks
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