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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-20) JUNE/JULY—2022

DEEE - THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION

POWER SYSTEM - I (GENERATION)

Time: 3 hours [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.
- **1.** List the types of tidal power plant.
- 2. State the method to produce bio-power.
- 3. List any six factor for selection of site for thermal power plants.
- **4.** Define condenser.
- **5.** Define thermal efficiency.
- **6.** State the purpose of reservoir in hydel power plant.
- **7.** Define surge tank.
- **8.** State the properties of uranium.
- **9.** List the merits of nuclear energy.
- **10.** State any three differences between isolated operation and integrated operation of power stations.

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PART—B 8×5=40

Instructions: (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries eight marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** (a) Explain with a legible labelled diagram, the working principle of electrostatic precipitator.

(OR)

- (b) Discuss various instruments used for measuring different quantities in thermal power stations.
- **12.** (a) Explain the working of high head hydroelectric power plant with line diagram.

(OR)

- (b) Classify hydro-electric power station based on duty cycle or load and explain.
- **13.** (a) Describe the working of gas power plant with schematic diagram.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the working of nuclear power plant with block diagram.
- **14.** (a) A single-phase 400 V, 50 Hz motor connected across a supply draws a current of 40 A at a power factor of 0.6 lagging. The motor power factor is improved to 0.85 by connecting a condenser in parallel. Calculate the capacity of the condenser required.

(OR)

(b) Explain the various types of consumer power tariffs which are common in use.

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15. (a) List the causes of low power factor.

(OR)

(b) Explain the significance of load curve with legible diagrams of various load curves.

PART—C

 $10 \times 1 = 10$

Instructions: (1) Answer the following question.

- (2) Question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **16.** With improvement in load factor and diversity factor, cost per unit generation is increased. Is it true? Justify your answer.

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