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Seventh Semester B. E. (Civil Engineering) Examination

**WATER POWER ENGINEERING**

Elective - I

Paper – 7 CE 06

( USC – 10219)

P. Pages : 3

Time : Three Hours ]

[ Max. Marks : 80

- Note :** (1) Separate answer book must be used for each section in the subject Geology, Engineering material of civil branch and Separate answer book must be used for Section A and B in Pharmacy and Cosmetic Tech.
- (2) Answer **Three** questions from Section A and **Three** questions from Section B.
- (3) Assume suitable data wherever necessary.
- (4) Illustrate your answer wherever necessary with the help of neat sketches.

**SECTION A**

1. (a) Describe in detail pumped storage type power plants. 7
- (b) Explain place of hydropower in a power grid system. 6

**OR**

2. (a) A Run-of-river plant has 12 cumecs discharge and minimum head of 10 m. Compute firm power, daily pondage factor and pondage if it works for only 8 hours a day and efficiency is 80%. 7
- (b) Describe high head storage plants. 6
3. (a) Discuss how would you decide the number of penstocks for a hydel project having series of turbines. 7
- (b) Calculate max. water hammer pressure and total pressure head developed, when a valve at the end of a 3 km long penstock of 2.5 m diameter is closed in 3.2 sec. Assume steady state head as 92 m, and discharge 26.5 m<sup>3</sup>/s. velocity of sound wave 1350 m/s whether the closure is sudden or gradual? 6

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**OR**

4. (a) State ASME criteria for embedded and non embedded i. e. surface penstocks. 7
- (b) What is water hammer ? What are its ill effects ? How these effects can be avoided ? 6
5. (a) Explain with neat sketches simple surge tanks of special design. 7
- (b) State necessity of surge tank. Is a surge tank essential when :
- (i) The power house is located at the foot of a dam.
- (ii) Diversion tunnel type development. 7

**OR**

6. (a) A surge tank of circular section is located at 2500 m from the reservoir on a penstock of 3 m diameter, steady state velocity 3 m/s, head 42 m and friction factor 0.02. Suggest diameter of surge tank. 6
- (b) State the different functions of surge tank, Also give the list of hydropower developments in which surge tank is not required, with reason. 6
- (c) Enlist different types of surge tanks. 2

**SECTION B**

7. (a) Describe run of river intake. 7
- (b) Discuss :
- (i) Spacing of bars.
- (ii) Cleaning and
- (iii) Velocity through trash rack. 6

**OR**

8. (a) State meaning, causes and effects of air entrainment. Also state the provisions made to avoid formation of vortices. 7

- (b) State the functions of an "Intake". for hydel channel. What components are provided to fulfill these functions ? 6
9. (a) Sketch a forebay. Show and label installations in it. How capacity of a forebay is decided ? 7
- (b) Explain components of Francis turbine with neat sketch. 7

OR

10. (a) Discuss following aspects of design of a hydel channel :  
(i) Discharge  
(ii) Velocity  
(iii) Side slopes and  
(iv) Lining. 7
- (b) Calculate power (KW) that can be generated by the turbine if Head (Net) = 80 m, discharge =  $5 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  and efficiency = 90%. Also calculate specific speed and suggest the type of turbine when speed (N) = 200 rpm. 7
11. (a) Discuss basic principle, location and difficulties in tidal power development. 6
- (b) Describe briefly three main divisions of surface power houses with a neat sketch. 7

OR

12. (a) Discuss location of underground power stations. State advantages and limitations of the underground power houses. 7
- (b) Compare surface and underground power houses. 6

