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Paper Code: PS05EIIT02 Title of Paper: Introduction to Green IT

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Unit	Description in Detail	Weightage (%)
Ι	An Overview	
	Introduction	
	Environmental Concerns & Sustainable Development	
	The inconvenient truth	
	Sustainable development	
	Why should you go green?	
	Environmental impact of IT	
	Green IT	25%
	Green IT Framework	23%
	Direct impact of IT	
	Enabling impact of IT	
	Systemic impacts of IT	
	Holistic Approach to Greening IT	
	Greening computer's entire life cycle	
	The three Rs of green IT	
	Applying IT for enhancing environmental sustainability	
II	Green Devices and Hardware	
	Introduction	
	Life cycle of a device or hardware	
	Reuse, recycle and dispose	
	Processor Power Status	
	C-status and P-status	25%
	Energy Saving Software Techniques	
	Computational efficiency	
	Data efficiency	
	Awareness of power source	
	Idle efficiency	
III	Green Data Centres and Storage	
	Data Centre IT infrastructure	
	Data Centre facility infrastructure : Implications for energy efficiency	
	IT infrastructure management	25%
	Storage media power characteristics	
	Energy management techniques for hard disks	
	System level energy management	
IV	Green Networks and Sustainable Software Development	
	Introduction	
	Objectives of green network protocols	
	Green network protocols and standards	25%
	Sustainable software	
	Software sustainability attributes	
	Software sustainability metrics	



Basic Text & Reference Books:

Harnessing Green IT : Principles and Practices. First Edition. Edited By San Murugesan and G.R. Gangadharan , Published By John Wiley & sons ,Ltd

