

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Programme: M.Sc (Home Science)
Subject: Family Resource Management
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Paper Code: PH01EFRM02	Total Credit: 4
Title Of Paper: Energy Science	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
I	Introduction to Energy Science Energy science, energy technology and co-relation with other sciences Energy consumption as a measure of prosperity Energy, man, and environment Forms of energy – mechanical, electrical, chemical, nuclear, hydro, conventional, non-conventional, renewable, non-renewable Energy demand and energy scenario in the country	
II	Energy From Bio-Mass Introduction, bio-mass conversion technology Bio-gas generation and factors affecting generation of bio gas Types of bio gas plants, construction details, materials used for biogas generation. Bio mass as source of energy, energy plantation, bio-mass gasifiers, applications and problems of bio-gasifiers	
III	Solar Energy Introduction, fundamentals of solar energy and applications Merits and limitations of solar energy utilization, solar radiations and conversion to heat. Solar technologies and applications of solar energy	
IV	Wind Energy & Tidal Energy Introduction to wind and tidal energy Merits and limitations of wind and tidal energy Applications and conversion of wind and tidal energy	
V	Additional Energy Sources and Improved Energy Utilization Chemical energy Geothermal energy Nuclear energy Safety and management of additional energy sources Agencies (Government and NGOs promoting energy programmes)	

Basic Text & Reference Books:-

- Rai, G.D., (1993) “Non- Conventional sources of energy”, 2nd edition, Khanna publishers, Delhi.
- Rao S, and Parulekar, B., “Energy technology: non- conventional, renewable and conventional” Khanna publishers, Delhi.
- Garg, H., Prakash, J., “Solar energy: fundamentals and applications”, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Co. Ltd., New Delhi.

