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PS02CREN02: Ocean Energy and Tidal Energy

Total Marks: 70
(8x1 =8)

Q-1 Select most appropriate answer

1. With an increase in depth temperature of ocean water

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| a) increases | c) remains same |
| b) decreases | d) constant |

2. Second layer of ocean water is called

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| a) surface zone | c) secondary zone |
| b) thermo cline | d) deep zone |

3. Intensity of a wave is directly proportional to the

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| a) amplitude | c) cube of amplitude |
| b) square of amplitude | d) frequency |

4. As wave travels, intensity

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| a) increases | c) decreases |
| b) remains same | d) varies |

5. An increased tide range twice a month is the

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| a) tidal average | c) neap tide |
| b) tidal range | d) spring tide |

6. Neap tides occur when earth, sun and moon forms an angle of

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| a) 60° | c) 20° |
| b) 90° | d) 180° |

7. Minimum range of tide which occurs during first and third quarters of moon is called

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| a) tidal average | c) neap tide |
| b) tidal range | d) spring tide |

8. Difference in levels of ocean water between a high tide and low tide is called

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| a) tidal average | c) neap tide |
| b) tidal range | d) spring tide |

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Q-2 Answer ANY SEVEN questions

(7x2 =14)

1. What is ocean energy?
2. Write advantage and limitation of oceans energy conversion technology.
3. Write technical obstacles of closed-cycle OTEC plants.
4. For warm seawater at 77°F and cold seawater at 45°F, find the Carnot efficiency.
5. Enlist main deciding criteria for location of ocean wave plants.
6. Calculate wavelength and wave velocity for progressive ocean wave with period 6 second.
7. List out limitation of ocean wave energy conversion technology.
8. What is point absorber wave machine?
9. What is spring and neap tide?

- Q-3 A) Discusses various forms of ocean energy source and its merits and demerits (06)
Q-3 B) Give classification for off-shore and on-shore ocean energy conversion technologies (06)

OR

- Q-3 B) Describe in detailed about power transmission technology from off-shore ocean to land based centers (06)
Q-4 A) Explain construction and working principle of open cycle OTEC system with neat sketch diagram. Write technical difficulties of open-cycle OTEC Systems. (06)
Q-4 B) Drive an expression for Carnot efficiency of a closed cycle OTEC plant with the help of T-S diagram. (06)

OR

- Q-4 B) Describe structure and principles of hybrid OTEC system. How OTEC system used for multipurpose? (06)
Q-5 A) Drive an expression for energy and power in ocean waves. (06)
Q-5 B) Calculate wave energy and power. Ocean waves on the coast of Tamilnadu, India were with following data. Amplitude 1 m, Period 6s. Calculate the following: wavelength, velocity, energy density, power extracted from a wave of 10 m with a power density, energy in 100 m wide wave. Assume density of ocean water as 1000 kg/m³. (06)

OR

- Q-5 B) Give the classification of wave power extraction methods based on operating principle and structure with neat diagram. (06)
Q-6 A) Discusses how potential energy calculated difference in height between high and low tides and also explain how power harvested from ebb and flood generation. (06)
Q-6 B) A tidal power plant of single basin type has a basin area of 25 x 10⁶ m². The tide has a range of 10 m. The turbine however, stops operating when the head on it falls below 2 m. Calculate the energy generated in one filling process, in kWh if the turbine generator efficiency is 75 %. Take density of seawater is 1025 kg/m³. (06)

OR

- Q-6 B) Discusses kinetic energy calculation for tidal current energy harvesting technique and also explain how tidal power harvested from horizontal and vertical axis turbine (06)

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