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3 Hours / 70 Marks

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- Instructions :**
- (1) All Questions are *compulsory*.
 - (2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
 - (3) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
 - (4) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
 - (5) Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.
 - (6) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

Marks

1. Attempt any FIVE of the following :

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- (a) List any four switchgears used in a WPP sub-station.
- (b) List any four types of towers used in WPP.
- (c) Define cut-in and cut-out wind speed. Give specific value of each.
- (d) Name any two breaking mechanisms for large WPPs.
- (e) Give any four objectives of maintenance of WPP.
- (f) Mention any two minor repairs in case of SWT.
- (g) State any two important factors related to blades used for SWT.

2. Attempt any THREE of the following :

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- (a) Classify WPPs on any four points.
- (b) Explain Yawing mechanism in wind turbine with neat sketch.
- (c) List two advantages and two disadvantages each of DFIG used in WPP.
- (d) Explain Drag and Lift rotation principle of WPP.



3. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12

- (a) State meaning of following characteristics of wind energy :
 - (i) Wind movement
 - (ii) Wind profile
 - (iii) Roughness
 - (iv) Obstacle in wind path
- (b) State function and location of any four sensors used in large WPP.
- (c) Explain aerodynamic control of WPP.
- (d) Explain with neat sketch working of induction generator used in SWT.

4. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12

- (a) Explain about local impacts of electrical grid connection of WPP.
- (b) Explain different areas of failures in WPP.
- (c) Explain with block diagram working of direct drive type SWT.
- (d) Explain preventive maintenance practices for electronic equipments used in SWT.
- (e) Compare horizontal and vertical axis SWT on any four points.

5. Attempt any TWO of the following : 12

- (a) State function of following parts of WPP :
 - (i) tower (ii) nacelle (iii) hub
 - (iv) blades (v) gear box (vi) generator
- (b) Compare SCIG and PMSG used in WPPs on the basis of cost, construction, speed control, reactive power control, output and application.
- (c) List the activities in scheduled maintenance of active pitch controlled WPP.

6. Attempt any TWO of the following :**12**

- (a) Plan the preventive maintenance schedule for the following actuators :
 - (i) Yaw control
 - (ii) Pitch control
 - (b) Related to SWT :
 - (i) Explain function of tale vane and wind vane.
 - (ii) Name sensors for temperature and rpm.
 - (iii) Give types of generators to give constant speed.
 - (c) List any three common mechanical and any three common electrical faults in SWT. Suggest type of maintenance for each.
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