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Course Code & Course Name : **EE405A - Inter-disciplinary Elective-Renewable Energy Syste**

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Maximum Marks : **60**

Duration : **3 Hrs**

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Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Illustrate your answer with suitable figures/sketches wherever necessary.
3. Assume suitable additional data; if required.
4. Use of logarithmic table, drawing instruments and non programmable calculators is allowed.
5. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1) Solve any three:

a) Define the following terms:

1. Clarity Index
2. Solar Constant
3. Angle of Latitude

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b) Explain the construction and working of Parabolic Trough Collectors.

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c) State the advantages and dis-advantages of solar PV systems.

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d) Draw a neat sketch of photovoltaic cell and explain its principle of working.

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2) Solve any three:

a) A house owner decides to use a solar system with 3 CFLs (18W each) and 2 fans (60W each) for 8Hrs/day. Estimate the number of solar panels required to satisfy given daily load. Take solar panel rating as 40Wp.

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b) Summarise important aspects about Geothermal energy.

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c) Give the different types of geothermal power plant.

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d) Explain T-S diagram of a Vapor dominated geothermal power plant.

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3) Solve any three:

a) Define efficiency of wind turbine. How it depends on the ratio of blade tip speed to wind tip speed?

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b) Explain the scheme of grid connected unit for wind farms.

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c) What is the function of furnace and boiler in waste Incineration energy plant?

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d) What is the need of wood/wood waste Incineration co-generation plant?

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4) Solve the following:

a) Explain the phenomenon of light and energy.

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