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Internal Assesment Test –IV											
Sub:	SOLAR AND WIND ENERGY							Code:	18EE731		
Date:	07/02/22	Duration:	90 mins	Max Marks:	50	Sem:	7th	Branch:	EEE		
Answer Any FIVE FULL Questions											
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1	Enumerate the criteria based on which energy sources are classified. Briefly explain each classification.							[10]	CO1	L2	
2	With schematic representation, explain the mechanism of absorption, scattering, beam and diffuse radiation received on the earth surface.							[10]	CO2	L2	
3	For Coimbatore (11.01830 N, 76.97250 E, and Elevation of 411 m above sea level), assuming average sunshine hours per day for the month of March as 9.5h, estimate the value of average daily global radiation on horizontal surface.							[10]	CO3	L3	
4	List out various types of solar cells. Explain in detail the type of solar cells based on junction structure.							[10]	CO4	L2	
5	Derive an expression for the maximum power output (P_{max}) of a horizontal axis wind turbine.							[10]	CO5	L3	

1.

Classification Of Energy Sources

- **Based On Utility Of Energy**
 - Primary resources
 - Intermediate resources
 - Secondary resources
- **Based On Traditional Use**
 - Conventional energy resources
 - Non conventional energy resources

- ◊ **Based On Long Term Availability**
 - ◊ Non renewable resources
 - ◊ Renewable resources
- ◊ **Based On Commercial Application**
 - ◊ Commercial energy resources
 - ◊ Non commercial resources

Classification Of Energy Sources

- **Based On Origin**

- Fossil fuel energy
- Nuclear energy
- Hydro energy
- Solar energy
- Wind energy
- Biomass energy
- Geothermal energy
- Tidal energy

Utility Of Energy

• Primary resources

- Natural / raw energy resources
- Coal, crude oil, sunlight, wind, rivers, uranium etc.
- Located, extracted, processed and transformed
- Fairly high EYR

Energy received from raw energy source

- Energy yield ratio = $\frac{\text{Energy received from raw energy source}}{\text{energy spent to obtain raw energy source}}$

Utility Of Energy

• Intermediate resources

- Obtained from primary energy by one or more steps of transformation
- Electricity, hydrogen

• Secondary resources

- Energy supplied to consumer for utilization
- Usable energy
- Electrical energy, thermal energy (steam, hot water), chemical energy (hydrogen, fossil fuels)

DEPLETION OF SOLAR RADIATION

- Due to present of various *gaseous constituents, suspended dust & other minute solid and liquid particulate matter*, solar radiation is depleted during its passage through atmosphere
- **1. Absorption**
 - Selective absorption of various wavelength occur by different molecules
 - Absorbed radiation increases the energy of absorbing molecules, thus raising their temperature
 - **Nitrogen, molecular oxygen and other atmospheric gases** absorb the x-ray and extreme **ultraviolet radiation**
 - **Ozone** absorb **ultraviolet radiation**
 - **Water vapor and carbon dioxide** absorb almost completely **infrared radiation**
 - **Dust particle and air molecule** absorb part of **solar radiant energy**
- **Scattering**
 - Scattering by dust particle and air molecules involves *redistribution of incident energy*
 - A part of scattered radiation is lost to space while remaining is *directed downwards to the earth surface* from different direction as diffuse radiation
 - **1. In cloudy atmosphere**
 - Major part of incoming solar radiation is reflected back into the atmosphere by clouds
 - Another part is absorbed by clouds
 - Rest is transmitted downwards to the earth surface as diffuse radiation
 - **2. Energy reflected back to the space**
 - Reflection from clouds
 - Scattering by the atmospheric gases and dust particle
 - Reflection from earth surface is called earth albedo

- **Surface of earth have 2 components of solar radiation:**
- **Direct or beam radiation:** unchanged direction
- **Diffuse radiation:** radiation which changed its direction by scattering and reflection
- Global radiation= beam radiation+ diffuse radiation
- **Beam radiation**
 - Solar radiation propagating in straight line & received at the earth surface without change of direction ie in line with sun
- **Diffuse radiation**
 - Solar radiation scattered by aerosols, dust and molecule is known as diffuse radiation
 - It does not have unique direction
- **Global radiation**
 - Total radiation

- Even on clear days there will some diffuse radiation depending upon the amount of dust particle, ozone and water vapor present in the atmosphere
- On overcast days(when sun is not visible) all the radiation reaching the ground will be diffuse radiation
- **Intensity of diffuse radiation** from various direction in the sky is *not uniform* : **Anisotropic**
- In many situation the *intensity* from all direction tends to be reasonably *uniform*: **Isotropic**
- Radiation available on earth surface < received outside the earth atmosphere

$$\phi = 11.0183^\circ; \bar{E}_d = 9.5 \text{ h}$$

For the month of March,
 Daily extraterrestrial radiation H_0 = Average radiation for the whole month \bar{H}_0
 on March 16

$$\therefore n = \text{J} + \text{F} + \text{M} = 31 + 28 + 16 = 75 \text{ days}$$

$$\delta = 23.45^\circ \sin\left(\frac{360^\circ}{365}(284+n)\right) = -2.4177^\circ$$

Also day length on March 16 is

$$t_d = \bar{E}_{d \max} = \frac{24}{15} \cos^{-1}(-\tan\phi \tan\delta)$$

$$= 11.937 \text{ h}$$

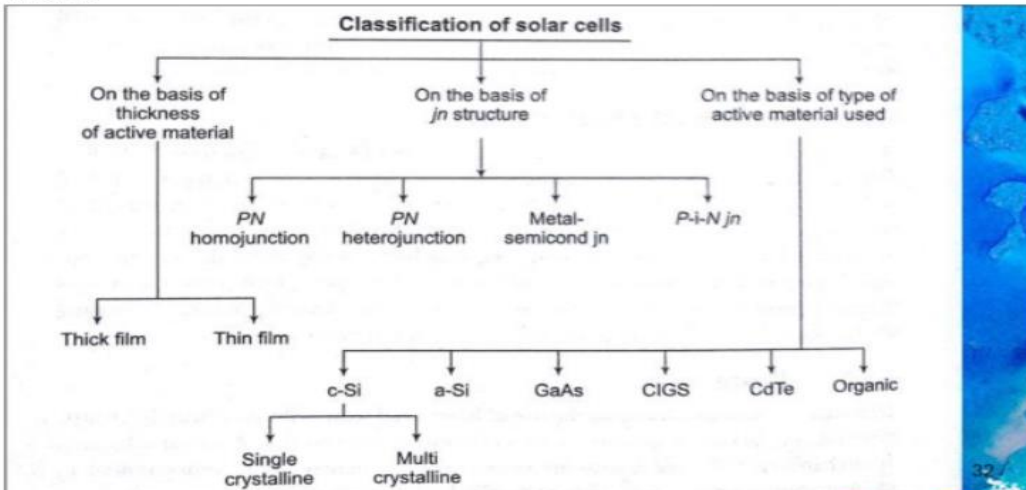
$$\text{Solar Constant } I_{sc} = 1367 \text{ W/m}^2 = 1.367 \text{ kW/m}^2$$

$$\bar{H}_0 = H_0 = 3600 \times \frac{24}{\pi} \times I_{sc} \times \left[1 + 0.033 \cos\left(\frac{360^\circ \times n}{365}\right)\right] \left[\cos\phi \cos\delta \sin\omega_s + \frac{\pi\omega_s}{180^\circ} \sin\phi \sin\delta \right]$$

$$\omega_s = \cos^{-1}(-\tan\phi \tan\delta) = 89.528^\circ$$

$$\therefore \bar{H}_0 = H_0 = 36726.05 \text{ kJ/m}^2 \quad (\text{Note: } I_{sc} \text{ is taken in kW/m}^2)$$

structure.



Based on Types of Junction Structure

P-n homojunction Type

- Semiconductor material on both sides of the junction is same
- Doping materials are different
- Hence band gap remains same throughout the cell material
- Losses due to recombination at the surface

P-n heterojunction type

- Two dissimilar semiconductor materials such as group III-IV or II-VI (closely matching crystal lattice) are used
- Band gap of top material is wider than the below material
- Higher band gap region appears transparent to photons with lower energies
- Reduces recombination loss
- Examples: Gallium Arsenide-Gallium Aluminium Arsenide (GaAs-GaAlAs), Cadmium Sulphide-Copper Sulphide (CdS-Cu₂S), Cadmium Sulphide-Copper Indium Diselenide (CdS-CuInSe₂), Cadmium Sulphide-Cadmium Telluride (CdS-CdTe)

5.

MAXIMUM POWER (P_{MAX})

- × HAWT is considered
- × Betz model of expanding air stream tube is shown
- × Air mass flow rate is the mass of substance which passes per unit time

$$\dot{m} = \frac{dm}{dt}$$

- × The air mass flow rate remains same throughout the stream tube

$$\dot{m} = \rho A_1 V_1 = \rho A_2 V_2 = \rho AV$$

Where V_1 or V_i velocity at the upstream (incoming) of the turbine

V_2 or V_e velocity at the downstream (exit) of the turbine

A area of the wind turbine rotor

- × Force exerted on the wind by the rotor is

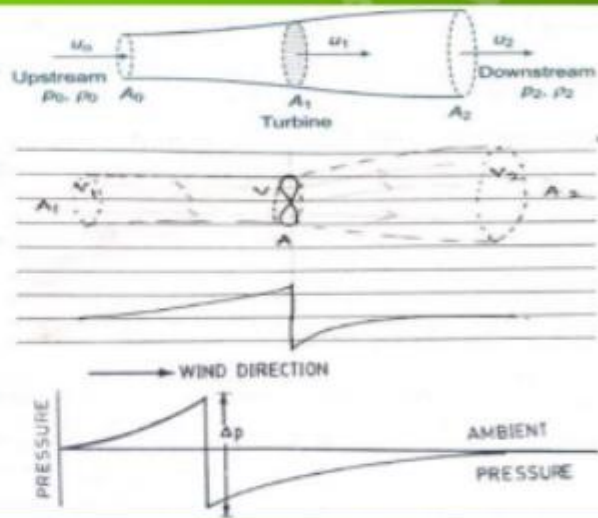
$$F = ma = m \frac{dv}{dt} = \rho AV(V_1 - V_2) \text{ ----- (1)}$$

- × Work done to move the rotor to dx distance by the force of the air at uniform speed is

$$dE = F \times dx$$

- × The power extracted by the turbine is

$$P = \frac{dE}{dt} = F \frac{dx}{dt} = FV \text{ ----- (2)}$$



- × (1) in (2)

$$P = \rho AV^2(V_1 - V_2) \text{ ----- (3)}$$

- × Power can be computed using kinetic energy as

$$P = \frac{\Delta E}{\Delta t} = \frac{1}{2} \dot{m} V_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} \dot{m} V_2^2 = \frac{1}{2} \dot{m} (V_1^2 - V_2^2) = \frac{1}{2} \rho AV (V_1^2 - V_2^2) \text{ ----- (4)}$$

- × Equating (3) and (4)

$$\rho AV^2(V_1 - V_2) = \frac{1}{2} \rho AV (V_1^2 - V_2^2)$$

$$\rho AV^2(V_1 - V_2) = \frac{1}{2} \rho AV (V_1 + V_2) (V_1 - V_2)$$

$$V = \frac{V_1 + V_2}{2} \text{ ----- (5)}$$

- × Hence wind velocity of the rotor is taken as the average of upstream and downstream velocities

- × (5) in (4)

$$P = \frac{1}{4} \rho A (V_1 + V_2) (V_1^2 - V_2^2) \text{ ----- (6)}$$

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$$P = \frac{1}{4} \rho A (V_1^3 - V_1 V_2^2 + V_2 V_1^2 - V_2^3)$$

- × From (6) it is observed that V_2 is +ve in one term and -ve in the other because of which too low or too high value of V_2 will result in reduced power
- × Hence there is an optimum exit velocity V_2 which results in maximum power P_{\max} obtained by

$$\frac{dP}{dV_2} = 0$$

$$-V_1 2V_2 + V_1^2 - 3V_2^2 = 0$$

$$3V_2^2 + 2V_1V_2 - V_1^2 = 0 \dots (7)$$

- × Solution for (7) is $V_2 = V_1$ or $V_2 = \frac{1}{3}V_1$

- × Only second solution is physically acceptable giving the optimum exit velocity of

$$V_{2 \text{ opt}} = \frac{1}{3}V_1 \dots (8)$$

- × (8) in (6)

$$P_{\max} \text{ or } P_T = \frac{1}{4} \rho A (V_1 + \frac{1}{3}V_1) (V_1^2 - \frac{1}{9}V_1^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \rho A \left(\frac{4V_1}{3} \right) \left(\frac{8V_1^2}{9} \right)$$

$$P_{\max} = \frac{8}{27} \rho A V_1^3$$

$$= \frac{16}{27} \times \frac{1}{2} \rho A V_1^3$$