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Unit I- Conservation			
Economics of generation – definitions- load and load duration curves- Need for electrical energy conservation – Energy conservation Techniques – energy efficient equipment –energy management – Energy conservation at home- Introduction to energy auditing - Energy audit at industries			
Part A (2 marks)			
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Define load factor.	BTL1	Remember
2	State diversity factor	BTL1	Remember
3	Describe Economics of generation	BTL1	Remember
4	Define load curve	BTL1	Remember
5	Describe Load duration curve	BTL1	Remember
6	Define Tariffs and list out various types.	BTL2	Understand
7	Express the objectives of tariff	BTL1	Remember
8	Describe Energy management	BTL1	Remember
9	Define Energy audit.	BTL1	Remember
10	Define power factor.	BTL1	Remember
11	Express the need for power factor correction.	BTL2	Understand
12	Detail the importance of electrical energy conservation.	BTL2	Understand
Part B (16 marks)			
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Define the following terms a) maximum demand b) load factor c) diversity factor d) connected load	BTL1	Remember
2	Explain the various types of tariff system	BTL1	Remember
3	Define the cost of electrical generation? Explain the various types of cost associated with power generation.	BTL1	Remember
4	Describe power factor and how does power factor can be improved in industry?	BTL4	Analyze
5	Explain in details about energy audit, energy conservation and energy management	BTL1	Remember
6	Explain the need of energy conservation and methods of implementing the energy conservation	BTL3	Apply
Unit II- Illumination			
Introduction - definition and meaning of terms used in illumination engineering - classification of light sources - incandescent lamps, sodium vapour lamps, mercury vapour lamps, fluorescent lamps – design of illumination systems - indoor lighting schemes - factory lighting halls - outdoor lighting schemes - flood lighting - street lighting - energy saving lamps, LED and its advantages over conventional lightings.			
Part A (2 marks)			

Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Define plane angle and solid angle	BTL1	Remember
2	Define luminous flux	BTL1	Remember
3	Define candle power, lumen, lumens intensity, illumination	BTL1	Remember
4	Define depreciation factor	BTL1	Remember
5	State the properties of good lighting scheme.	BTL1	Remember
6	State the importance of lighting	BTL1	Remember
7	Define photometry.	BTL1	Remember
8	Define the law of inverse square	BTL1	Remember
9	State the lamberts cosine law of illumination	BTL1	Remember
10	Name the different type of lamp in electric lighting	BTL1	Remember
11	Express the different types of arc lamp	BTL1	Remember
12	List out the advantages of energy efficient lamp	BTL2	Understand

Part B (16 marks)

Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Explain in detail the law of illumination	BTL1	Remember
2	Explain the various methods of lighting calculation	BTL1	Remember
3	Explain the various factors to be considered while designing of illumination system	BTL1	Remember
4	List the various types of lamp which are commercially available and explain the construction and working of lamp in detail	BTL1	Remember
5	Explain about photometry.	BTL1	Remember

Unit III- Heating and Welding

Introduction - advantages of electric heating – modes of heat transfer - methods of electric heating - resistance heating - arc furnaces - induction heating - dielectric heating - electric welding – types - resistance welding - arc welding - power supply for arc welding - radiation welding.

Part A (2 marks)

Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	List out the requirement of good heating material used in electric resistance heating	BTL1	Remember
2	List out the various losses of electric heating	BTL1	Remember
3	Classify the methods of electric heating.	BTL1	Remember
4	Describe the indirect resistance heating	BTL1	Remember
5	Describe the direct resistance heating?	BTL1	Remember
6	State the basic principle of induction heating?	BTL1	Remember
7	State the basic principle of dielectric heating?	BTL1	Remember
8	List out the different types of resistance welding?	BTL1	Remember
9	Classify the resistance welding?	BTL1	Remember
10	State the requirements of good welding?	BTL1	Remember

11	Compare DC welding and AC welding.	BTL4	Analyze
Part B (16 marks)			
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	List out the different method of electric heating describe briefly the methods direct and indirect resistance heating	BTL1	Remember
2	Describe the construction and operation transformer used for electric arc furnace.	BTL1	Remember
3	Name and describe various resistance welding process	BTL1	Remember
4	Describe the various types of electric arc welding process	BTL1	Remember
5	Discuss the advantages of electrically produced heat state the properties of good heating element	BTL1	Remember
6	Briefly explain the working of welding generator.	BTL1	Remember
Unit IV- Electric Traction			
Fundamentals of electric drive - choice of an electric motor - application of motors for particular services - traction motors - characteristic features of traction motor - systems of railway electrification - electric braking - train movement and energy consumption - traction motor control - track equipment and collection gear.			
Part A (2 marks)			
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	List out the advantages of electric traction steam engine	BTL1	Remember
2	State the requirements of an ideal traction system	BTL2	Understand
3	List the various stages of train movement?	BTL1	Remember
4	Define average speed, Schedule speed?	BTL1	Remember
5	Define gear ratio?	BTL1	Remember
6	Describe the electric features of traction motors.	BTL1	Remember
7	State the need for traction motor control	BTL1	Remember
8	Explain the various methods of speed control of 3 phase inductor motors	BTL1	Remember
9	List out the advantages of electric braking	BTL2	Understand
10	State the various factors to be considered while designing a current collection system in electric traction	BTL1	Remember
Part B (16 marks)			
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Discuss the requirements of an ideal traction system	BTL1	Remember
2	Explain the various types of supply systems used for electric traction.	BTL1	Remember
3	Explain the mechanics of Train movement.	BTL1	Remember
4	Explain the importance of speed-time curve.	BTL1	Remember

5	What is simplified speed- time curve? Explain trapezoidal and quadrilateral approximation?	BTL1	Remember
6	Discuss the various motors used for traction.	BTL1	Remember
7	Discuss briefly various methods of speed control of single phase a.c series and 3-phase induction motors.	BTL1	Remember
8	Explain various methods of electric braking. State the conditions to be fulfilled for each method of braking.	BTL1	Remember
9	Explain clearly regenerative braking when used for dc shunt motor. How does it differ for dc shunt motor	BTL4	Analyze
10	Compare the advantages and disadvantages of rheostatic braking and regenerative braking.	BTL4	Analyze
11	Discuss and compare various arrangements of current collection used in electric traction.	BTL1	Remember

Unit V - Refrigeration and Air Conditioning

Introduction – Refrigeration cycle – Refrigeration system – Types of refrigerants –Domestic refrigerator – Equipment: Type of Compressors, Condensers, Expansion devices, Evaporators. Water coolers – Air conditioning systems – Air conditioning cycle– Classification of air conditioning systems – Central system – Unitary systems – Load estimation – Heating of building.

Part A (2 marks)

Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	List out the types of refrigerants	BTL1	Remember
2	Define refrigeration.	BTL1	Remember
3	List out the applications of refrigeration	BTL1	Remember
4	Differentiate open and closed air refrigeration systems.	BTL1	Remember
5	State the elements to be used in refrigeration system	BTL1	Remember
6	Define the term coefficient of performance.	BTL1	Remember
7	Classify the water cooler	BTL1	Remember
8	List out the elements involved in air conditioning system	BTL1	Remember
9	Express the advantages and disadvantages of central system	BTL4	Analyze
10	State the advantages of unitary system?	BTL1	Remember

Part B (16 marks)

Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1	Explain the different types of refrigeration system.	BTL1	Remember
2	With a neat diagram explain the construction and working of domestic refrigerator.	BTL1	Remember
3	With a neat diagram explain the construction and working of water cooler.	BTL1	Remember
4	Briefly explain the air conditioning cycle.	BTL1	Remember
5	Explain about central system.	BTL1	Remember

6	Explain about central system.	BTL1	Remember
7	Explain about unitary system.	BTL1	Remember
8	Discuss different methods of heating building.	BTL1	Remember