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M. E. - SEMESTER – I • EXAMINATION – WINTER • 2014

Subject code: 2712108**Date: 12-01-2015****Subject Name: HYDROGEN AND FUEL CELL TECHNOLOGY****Time: 02:30 pm - 05:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Explain importance of Hydrogen as the fuel of the future giving suitable justification. **07**
(b) Compare physical and chemical properties of Hydrogen with conventional fuel. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Discuss issues related to safety for hydrogen. **07**
(b) Describe Steam reforming process for production of Hydrogen. **07**
OR
(b) Describe Water electrolysis process for production of Hydrogen. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Describe use of Hydrogen as fuel in Automobile sector. **07**
(b) Describe compressed gas storage system for hydrogen. **07**
OR
- Q.3** (a) Why multi staging and intercooling processes are employed during compression of hydrogen. **07**
(b) Describe Liquid hydrogen storage system. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Describe working principle of Fuel Cell. **07**
(b) Describe working of Solid Oxide Fuel Cell with merits and demerits. **07**
OR
- Q.4** (a) Describe working of Molten Carbonate Fuel Cell with merits and demerits. **07**
(b) Describe working of Direct Methanol with merits and demerits. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Explain use of Fuel Cells in Automobile sector. **07**
(b) Explain future trends in fuel cells **07**
OR
- Q.5** (a) Explain use of Fuel Cells in domestic and power generation sector. **07**
(b) Describe working of Phosphoric Acid Fuel Cell with merits and demerits. **07**
