M. Sc. II Year				Semester-IV		
ELCETIVE PAPER IV/V		RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES				
Total	Time All	otted for	Marks	Marks Allotted for	Maximum	Total Credits
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	Examination		Continuous	Examination (ESE)	(MM)	
			Assessment			
60	3 Hrs		30	70	100	04

**NOTE:** The question paper shall consist of two sections (Sec.-A and Sec.-B). Sec.-A shall contain 10 short answer type questions of six marks each and student shall be required to attempt any five questions. Sec.-B shall contain 8 descriptive type questions of ten marks each and student shall be required to attempt any four questions. Questions shall be uniformly distributed from the entire syllbus. The previous year paper/model paper can be used as a guideline and the following syllabus should be strictly followed while setting the question paper.

### **UNIT I**

**Introduction :** Primary and Secondary energy– commercial and non – commercial energy – renewable and non– renewable energy resources and their importance – world energy use– reserves of energy resources – energy cycle of earth – Indian energy scenario – Long term energy scenario for India – environmental aspects of utilization.

### **UNIT II**

**Solar Energy:** Introduction—extra terrestrial solar radiation—radiation at ground level—collectors—solar cells—application of solar energy—Biomass energy—biomass conversion—bio gas production—ethanol production—pyrolysis and gasification—direct combustion—applications.

#### **UNIT III**

**Wind Energy:** Introduction – basic theory – types of turbines – applications

Geothermal energy – Introduction – geothermal resources types – resource base– application for heating and electricity generation– Tidal energy – Introduction – origin of tides – power generation scheme – Wave energy – Introduction – basic theory – wave power devices.

# **UNIT IV**

Other Renewable Energy Sources: Introduction – open and closed OTEC cycles – biophotolysis – ocean currents – Hydropower – introduction – basic concept– site selection – types of turbine – small scale hydropower– Magneto hydrodynamics (MHD), Thermoelectric and Thermionic energy resources – basic principles – power generation – Nuclear energy – basic principle – power generation (basic ideas only).

#### UNIT V

**Chemical Energy Sources:** Introduction – Fuel cells-design and principle – classification – types-advantages and disadvantages – applications – Batteries – introduction – theory – different types of batteries arrangements – classification of batteries – advantages of batteries for bulk storage – Hydrogen energy – production – electrolysis – thermochemical methods – solar energy method – hydrogen storage.

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