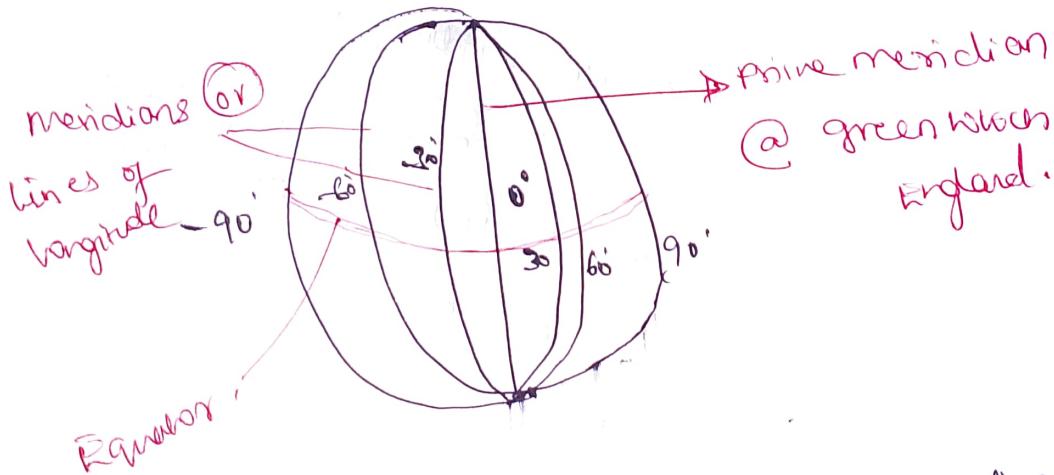


Latitude: The geographic co-ordinates that indicate the distance of a location north-south of the equator are referred as latitude.

Longitudes: longitudes refer to a geographic co-ordinate that indicates a point's east-west distance from the prime meridian.



Note: India has a west longitudinal extent, the standard meridian of India lies  $82.5^\circ E$  of the green which meridian.

## RENEWABLE ENERGY

Renewable energy is energy that is collected from renewable resources, which are naturally replenished on a human time scale, such as sun-light, wind, rain, tides, wave and geothermal heat.

Based on REN 21's report (2017) renewable contributed 19.3% to humans' global energy consumption and 24.5% to their generation of electricity in 2015 and 2016 respectively.  
(Replenished to fill  $\circledcirc$  complete gain)

Renewable and Non-renewable energy sources

Non-renewable energy resources like coal, nuclear, oil and natural gas are available in limited supplies. This is usually due to the long time it takes for them to be replenished.

Renewable energy: There are many forms of renewable energy. Most of these renewable energies depend in one way  $\circledcirc$  another on sunlight.

- \* Solar
- \* Wind power
- \* Hydroelectric energy
- \* Geothermal power.

- \* Bio-mass in the term of energy from plants
- \* Hydrogen and fuel cell.

## Renewable resources

- (1) solar energy
- (2) wind energy
- (3) geo-thermal energy
- (4) water
- (5) Air
- (6) Soil
- (7) cultivated plants
- (8) Bio-mass
- (9) Bio-fuel
- (10) Animals

## Non-Renewable resources:

- (1) coal
- (2) oil
- (3) peat: peat, commonly found in UK, Ireland or Finland.  
Peat is a soft organic material consisting of partly decayed plant matter together since it is a protective layer.
- (4) uranium

Non-renewable resource because of its cosmic origin. The isotopes of uranium were found 6.6 billion years ago in supernovas and do not naturally regenerate.

Note!FOR Problems on Module - I Conversion L

Indian standard time: I.S.T

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Day of the year, n.

n varies from 1 to 365

Example: Jan 1<sup>st</sup>; n=1, and so on

Declination angle

$$\delta = 23.45 \sin \left[ \frac{360}{365} (284 + n) \right]$$

(VTU) point out the Renewable Energy Scenario in India.

(as on 2021)

As on 31 DEC 2021

→ Wind power → 40.08 GW

→ Solar power → 49.34 GW

→ Bio-power → 10.61 GW

→ Small hydro power → 4.83 GW.

→ Large hydro → 46.51 GW.

45 solar parks of aggregate capacity of 37GW approved by Govt. of India

Solar parks in Panjguda (2 GW),  
(in Hyderabad)Kurnool  
(AP) → (1 GW)Bhadla II 6481 W.  
(Rajasthan)

World's largest renewable energy park  
30 GW capacity solar-wind hybrid.  
Project is under installation in

Gujarat.

### Energy sources (PES)

#### Various Renewable

1) Solar power on the surface of the earth is  $10^{16}$  W whereas the total world wide power demand for all civilization is  $10^{13}$  W.

SUN gives 1000 times more power than actually needed.

#### Wind power

Installed capacity as on

2018  $\rightarrow$  34,293 MW

target for 2022

60,000 MW (wind power based Electricity)

(3) Bio-Energy:- Bio-mass is a resource of renewable energy that is derived from human & natural activities.

Bio-Energy encompassed bio-mass power, Biogas cogeneration, waste to energy, biomass gasifier, bio ethanol, bio-diesel etc.,

#### Biomass Energy in India

16,000MW from biomass energy  
3500MW from Biogas cogeneration,

Seconds to decimal & (Conversion 16)

D° M' S" → Degrees

Note: 1 hr → 1 degree

60 min = 1 hr

3600 sec = 1 hr.

Convert  $45^{\circ} 28' 32'' = 45^{\circ} + \frac{28}{60} + \frac{32}{3600}$

$$= 45.4756^{\circ}$$

Determine the LAT corresponding to 14.80 h

@ mumbai ( $19^{\circ} 07' N$ ,  $72^{\circ} 51' E$ ) on  
July 1, ~~2009~~ in india, Std time  
is based on  $82.5^{\circ} E$

$$E = 9.87 \sin 2B - 7.53 \cos B - 1.5 \sin B,$$

$$B = (n-81) \left( \frac{360}{364} \right),$$

$$LAT = IST - 4(4_{std} - 4_L) + E$$

$$\eta = 182, B = 99.89$$

$$E = -3.54,$$

$$\begin{aligned} LAT &= 14.30h - 4(82.50 - 72.85) \text{ min} \\ &= 14.30h - 42.1 \text{ min} + (-3.524) \text{ min} \\ &= 13h 47.9 \text{ min} \end{aligned}$$

Note:

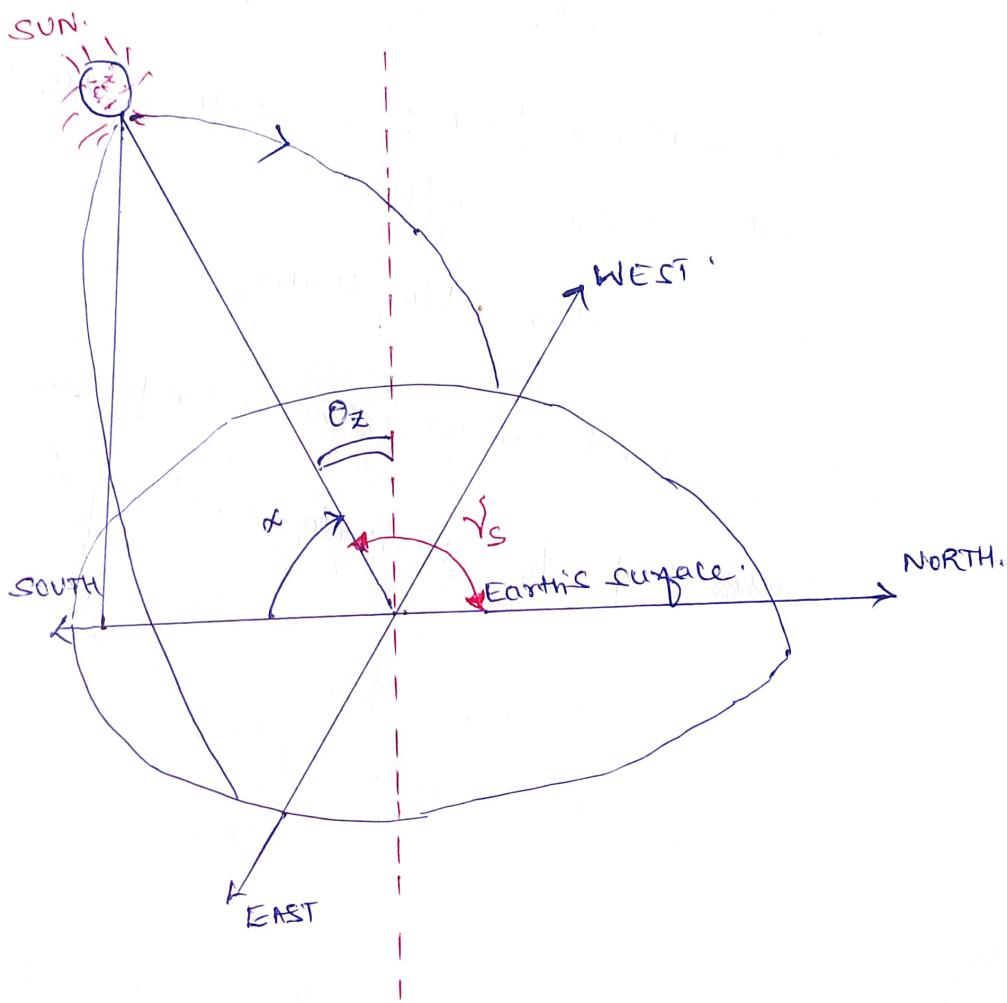
Earth rotates

$1^\circ$  longitude every 4 minutes.

(4 minutes / degree)

in other words ( $1^\circ$  degree = 4 minutes in GMT)

Altitude angle ( $\alpha$ ): It is the vertical angle between the projection of the sun's rays on the horizontal plane and the direction of sun's rays (passing through the point).



ZENITH ANGLE: zenith angle ( $\Theta_z$ ) is the vertical angle b/w the sun's rays and a line perpendicular to the horizontal plane through the point. It is the angle b/w the beam

from the sun and the vertical otherwise.

Zenith angle ( $\Theta_Z$ ) is the complementary angle of sun's altitude angle.

$$\Theta_Z = \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha$$

{ Note: mathematically two angles are complementary when they add upto  $90^\circ$ . }

Altitude angle ( $\alpha$ ), zenith angle  $\Theta_Z$  and solar azimuth angle ( $\gamma_s$ ) hour angle ( $\omega$ ) are all basic angles.

The relation b/w them.

$$\cos \Theta_Z = \cos \phi \cos \omega \cos \delta + \sin \phi \sin \delta$$

Where  $\phi = \phi_L$  = latitude angle of the location.

$\Theta_Z$  = zenith angle.

$\omega$  = hour angle

$\delta$  = declination angle.

also

$$\delta = 23.45 \sin \left[ \frac{360}{365} (284 + n) \right]$$

(in degrees)

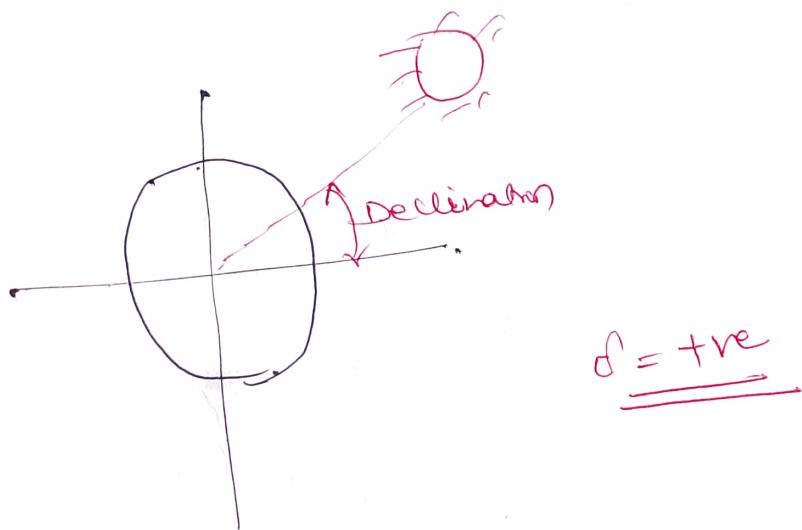
$$t_d = \frac{2 \cos^{-1}(-\tan \phi \tan \delta)}{\pi}$$

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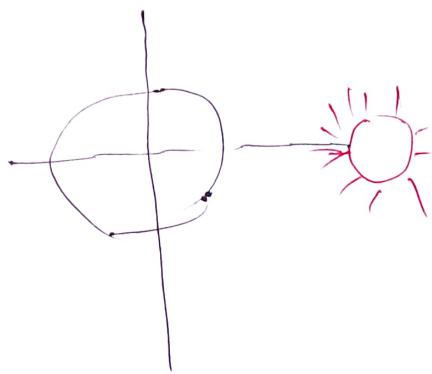
(A)

From equation A we note that length of the day ( $t_d$ ) (or) DAY length is the function of latitude and solar declination.

### Declination angle

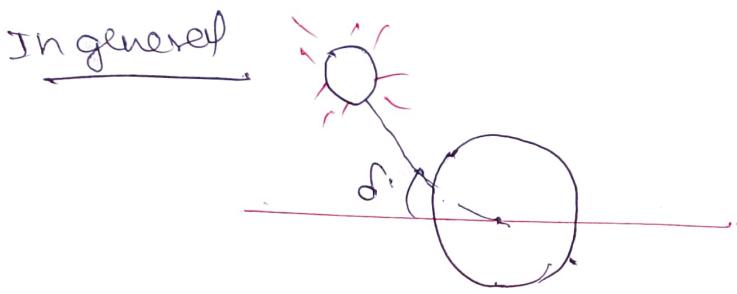
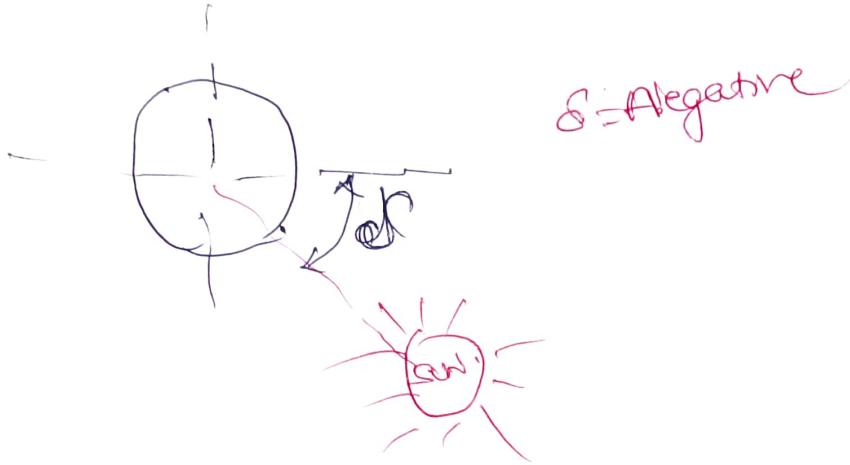


Summer solstice in Northern hemisphere



equinox

equinox days  
(moment ~~in time~~ in time when sun crossed the earth's equator.  
(March 23 & September 23)



$$LST = LT + 4 \left( \frac{\text{Stand time longitude}}{\text{longitude}} - LSTM \right) + EOT$$

$LST$  = local solar time

$LT$  = local time

$4$  = Earth rotates 1 degree longitude every  
4 minutes. ( $4 \text{ minutes}/\text{degree}$ )

$LSTM$  = (stand time longitude)

$LSTM$  = local standard time meridian.

RE.S  
(NATURAL)

SEE 563.  
Renewable energy sources. ①

Renewable energy is energy generated from natural resources - such as sunlight, wind, rain, tides and geothermal heat - which are renewable (naturally replenished)

Renewable energy sources.

- \* Biogas
- \* Biomass
- \* Solar
- \* Hydropower
- \* Geothermal
- \* TIDAL
- \* WAVE & WIND.

Hydropower — A power source that is clean and renewable - it does not pollute the air because no fuels are burned and it's renewable because it uses the Earth's water cycle to generate electricity (assuming global rainfall is constant).  
Hydropower is renewable.

Geothermal energy is heat energy generated and stored in the earth. The thermal energy in the energy that determines the temperature of matter.

Geothermal energy of the Earth's crust originates

R.E.S in India.  
Renewable energy in India comes under  
purview of the ministry of new and Renewable  
Energy (M.N.R.E).

standard definitions:-

Renewable energy: Energy obtained from  
natural & persistent flows of energy  
occurring in the immediate environment

An obvious example is solar  
(sun-shine) energy,

Non-renewable energy:- Energy obtained  
from static stores of energy that remain  
underground until released by human  
interaction

Example:- nuclear, fossil fuels of coal  
oil, natural gas.

Environmental energy

Total solar flux absorbed at  
sea level is about  $1.2 \times 10^{17} \text{ W}$ .

The solar flux reaching the Earth's surface  
is  $\approx 20 \text{ MW}$  per person

## Renewable energy Resources

(2)

Solar → solar radiation absorbed by the earth and its atmosphere is  $3.8 \times 10^{24}$  J/yr.

Wind: The kinetic energy available in the atmosphere circulation is  $7.5 \times 10^{20}$  J.

Form of Energy heat → Electricity.

Biomass :- Total solar radiation absorbed by plants is  $1.3 \times 10^{21}$  J/year.

Form of Energy → High temperature heat

World's standing biomass has energy content of about  $1.5 \times 10^{22}$  J.

Form of Energy → Bio-gas (Cooking mechanical power)

Geothermal :- The heat flux from the earth's interior through the surface is  $9.5 \times 10^{20}$  W.

Form of Energy → Low temperature heat.

Total amount of heat stored in water to a depth of 10 km is

Or stream to be  $4 \times 10^{21}$  J; that stored estimated to be around  $10^{27}$  J in dry rock in the first 10 km of

Tidal.

Energy dissipated in connection with the rotation of the earth as a result of tidal action is around  $10^{26} \text{ J}$ .

Form of energy  $\rightarrow$  Electricity.

Large tidal barrage is in operation at Rance in France.

Total installed capacity is about 240 MW.

Name:

The amount of energy stored as kinetic energy in waves is order of  $10^{18}$ .

Form of energy  $\rightarrow$  Electricity.

Hydro! - The annual precipitation

land amounts to  $11 \times 10^7 \text{ kg}$  of water.

Taking average elevation of land area as 840 m, the annually accumulate potential energy would be  $9 \times 10^{20} \text{ J}$ .

Form of energy  $\rightarrow$  Electricity.

World's Hydro scheme  $\rightarrow$  tot. of Electricity  $\rightarrow$  363 Gw.

## Biomass and Biogas.

(3)

Bio-mass is produced in nature through photosynthesis achieved by solar energy conversion.

Biomass  $\Rightarrow$  organic matter.

Biomass resources fall into 3 categories.

1) Biomass in non-traditional solid mass (wood and agricultural residue).

2) Biomass in non-traditional form converted into liquid fuels.

First category is to burn the biomass directly and get the energy.

In the second category the biomass is converted into ethanol and methanol to be used as liquid fuel in engines.

3) The third category is to ferment the biomass anaerobically to obtain a gaseous fuel called biogas.

Bio-Gas  $\rightarrow$  55% to 65% methane  
30% to 40% CO<sub>2</sub>

+ gaseous H<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>S and N<sub>2</sub>.

Bio-mass resources include

(a) concentrated - waste - municipal so sewage , wood products , Industrial waste,

(b) disposed manure, crop residue etc.,

BIO-GAS! :- The main source for production of Bio-gas is wet - cowdung (or) wet live stock (human).

In India cattle population is 250 million so the main source for bio-gas is cowdung.

Sewage: → sewage water contains 84% methane → could be effectively used to run engines to drive electric generator.

### SOLAR RADIATION AND ITS MEASUREMENT

Sun is a large sphere of very hot gases, the heat being generated by various kinds of fusion reactions.

$$\text{sun's diameter} = 1.39 \times 10^6 \text{ km.}$$

$$\text{Earth's diameter} = 1.27 \times 10^4 \text{ km.}$$

$$\text{mean distance b/w earth & sun} \\ = 1.50 \times 10^8 \text{ km.}$$

(4)

NASA: National Aeronautics and  
Space Administration.

As per NASA solar constants are as  
under

→ 1.353 Watts per square metre.

→ 116.5 Kcal per square metre/hour.

(OR) 1 Langley = 1 cal/cm<sup>2</sup> of  
solar radiation received in one day.  
116.5 Langleys (calories per sq cm) per  
hour.

→ 429.2 BTU per sq ft per hour.

Note(1)  
Potential Energy! - The energy possessed by a  
body because of its position relative to  
other stressed within itself electric charge  
and other factors.

Kinetic energy is energy of an object due  
to its movement in motion.  
Kinetic energy  $\frac{1}{2}mv^2$   $\frac{1}{2}(mass)(velocity)^2$ .

Note(2)

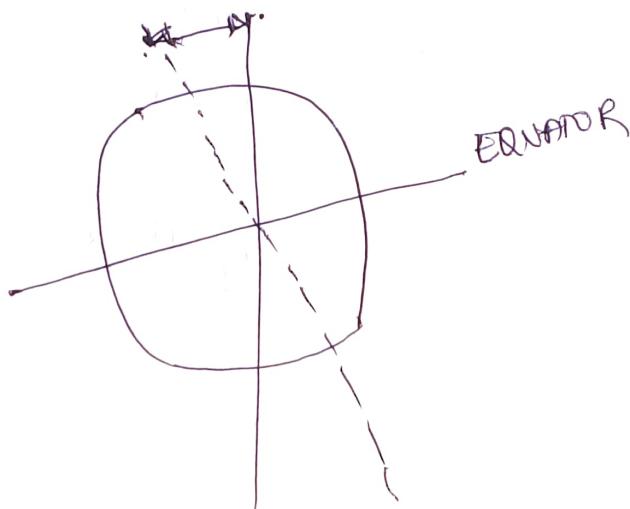
$$1 \text{ kW} = 3412.142 \text{ BTU/hr.}$$

$$1 \text{ BTU/hr} = 0.0002930710386 \text{ kW.}$$

1 KW = 859,845.23 cal/hr.

1 cal = 4.1868 Joules

SUN-EARTH RELATIONSHIP  
The earth's axis is inclined  $23.5^\circ$  from vertical.  
The earth's axis tilted to  $23.5^\circ$  degree

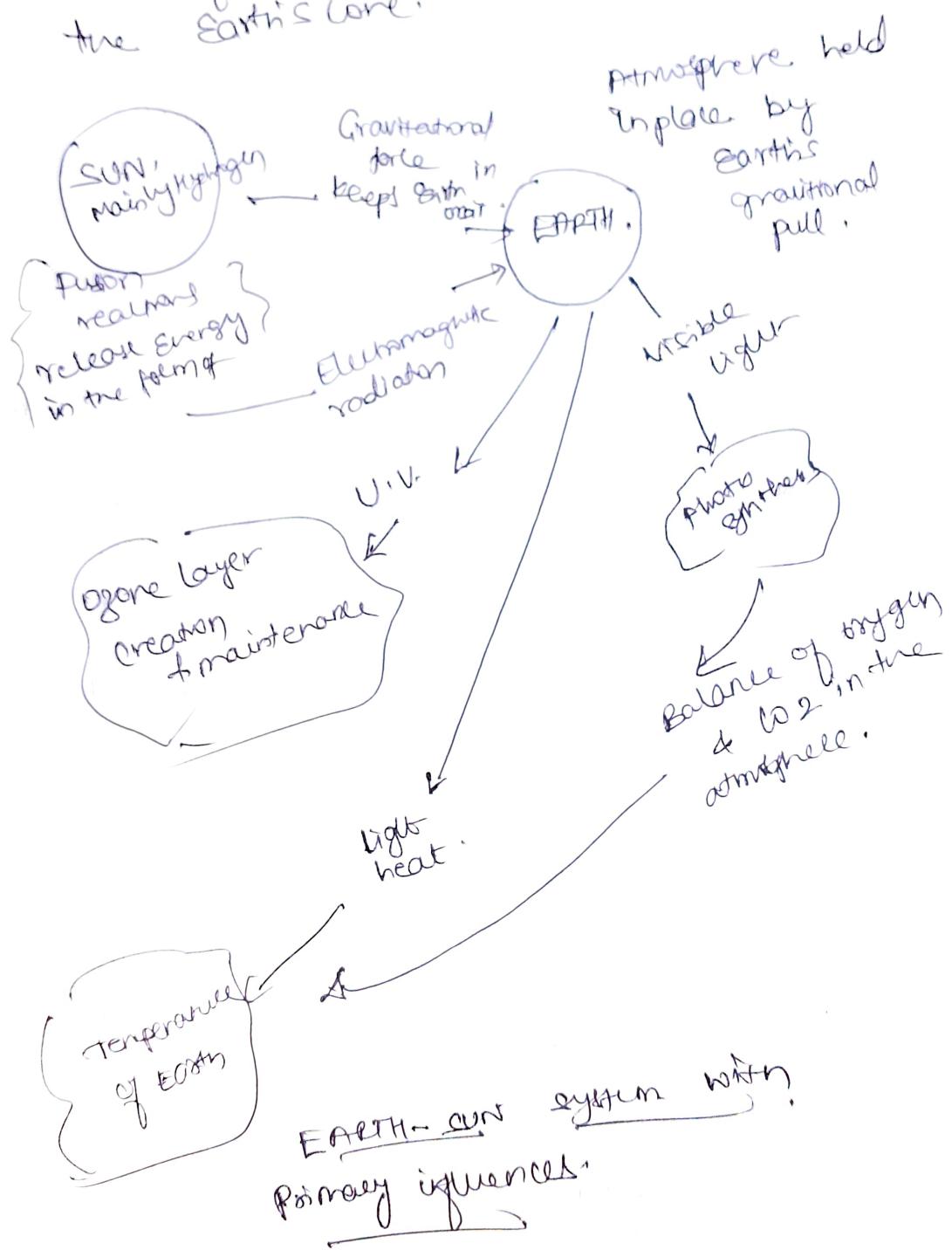


The earth's immediate physical environment is patterned by 3 primary influences

- (1) Nearness of the Sun
- (2) The earth's atmosphere, a mixture of gases held in a layer surrounding the earth by the earth's gravitational force. This layer has reached the current and somewhat steady composition of approximately 80% Nitrogen and 20% of oxygen.

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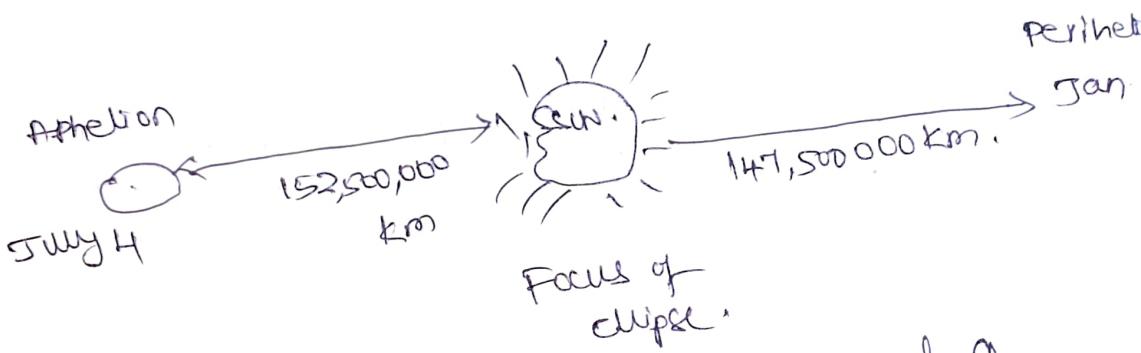
(2) The composition of solid mass of the earth, which gives rise to the material in and on the earth (including water, air essential to our type of life), also resulting from the composition and manner of origin of the earth in the temperature of the Earth's Core.



Different components of the sun's solar spectrum interact with the atmosphere.

Earth rotates about on a fixed plane that is tilted  $23.5^\circ$  w.r.t its vertical axis around the sun. The earth needs 23 hours 56 minutes to complete one true rotation, across

orbit of Earth about the sun is not circular



one orbit around the sun is called a revolution  
one revolution takes 365 days or one year to complete.

$$\text{Aphelion distance} = 9.45 \times 10^7 \text{ miles}$$

$$\text{Perihelion distance} = 9.15 \times 10^7 \text{ miles}$$

$$[1 \text{ mile} = 1.609 \text{ km}]$$

## SOLAR ENERGY

## Reaching earth's surface

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Terrestrial radiation is the solar radiation that is reaching the earth's surface and useful on the earth.

Extraterrestrial radiation is the solar radiation that is not reaching the surface of the earth.

Due to the elliptical shape of the earth's orbit around the sun the distance between the earth and sun varies continuously throughout the year there will be a variation of intensity of terrestrial flux on the earth. The intensity of solar radiation I can be given by

$$\frac{I}{I_{sc}} = 1 + 0.033 \cos \left( \frac{360(n-1)}{365} \right) \quad A$$

where  $I =$  intensity of solar

radiation.

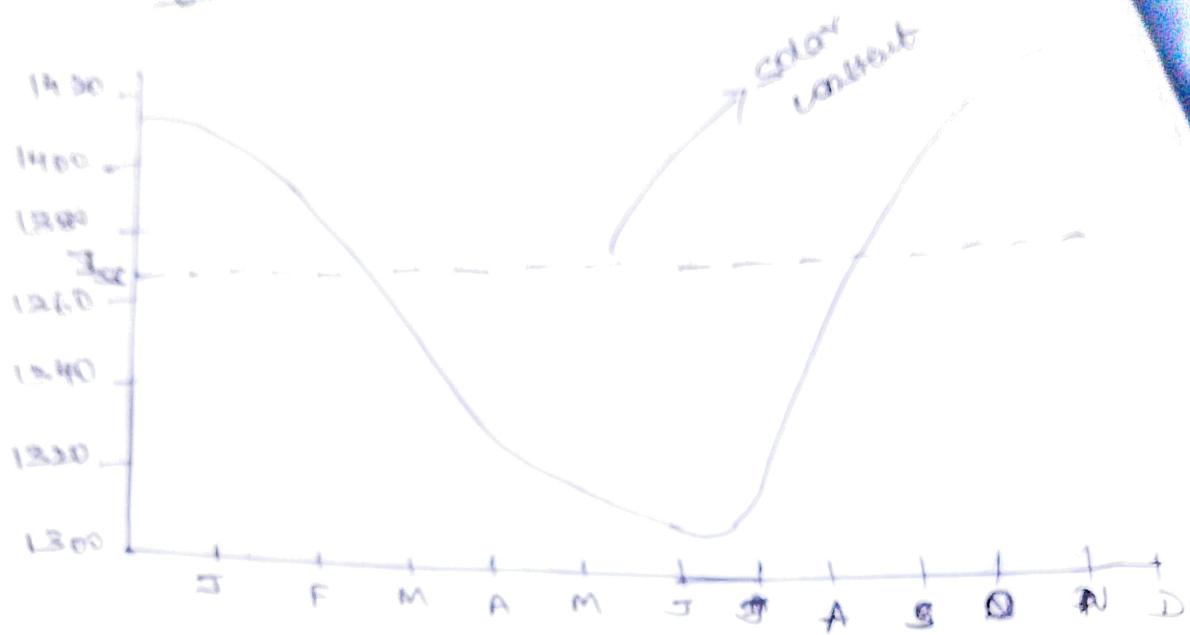
( $1.293 \text{ kw/m}^2$  to  $1.412 \text{ kw/m}^2$ ).

$I_{sc}$  = solar constant. {EG for Jan 1<sup>st</sup>  $n=1$  }.

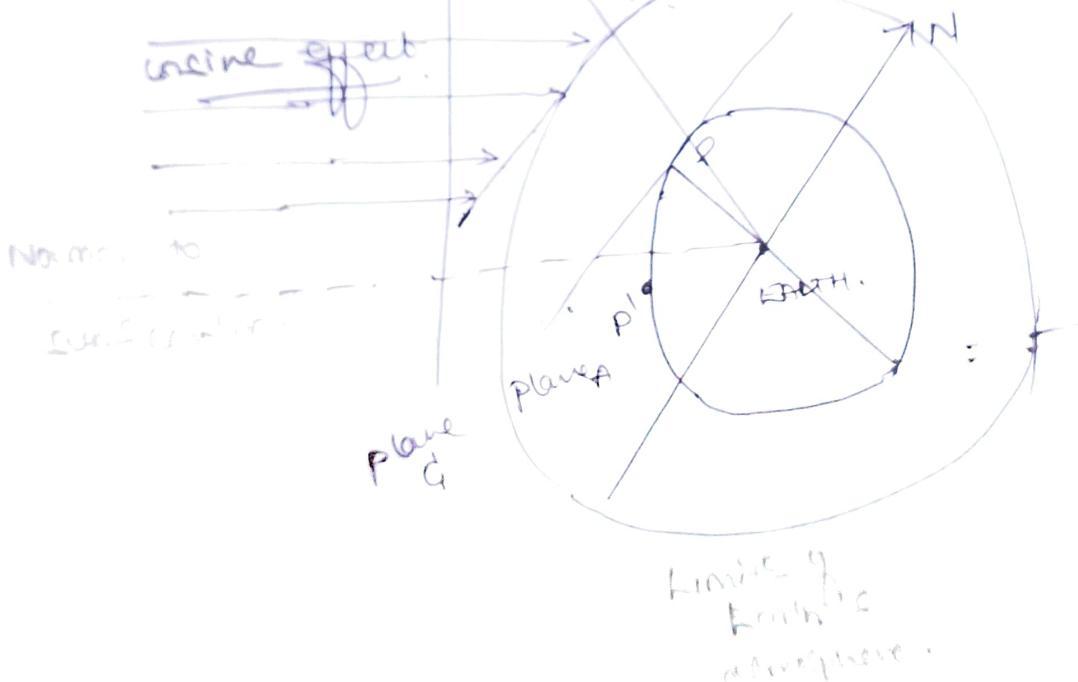
$n$  = day of the year.

We note that the solar radiation varies with season and regions. The solar radiation intensity falling on a surface is called insolation. It is measured by  $\text{W/m}^2$  or  $\text{kw/m}^2$ .

Variation of I over the course of a year.



Variation of I over the course of a year.  
(dotted line shows the value of solar constant (Iscc), planet).



\* plane A - Horizontal plane at the point P on the earth's surface

\* Plane B: Surface parallel to plane A on the edge of earth's atmosphere.  
(Horizontal plane)

\* Plane C  $\rightarrow$  surface perpendicular to the sun rays, (normal plane).

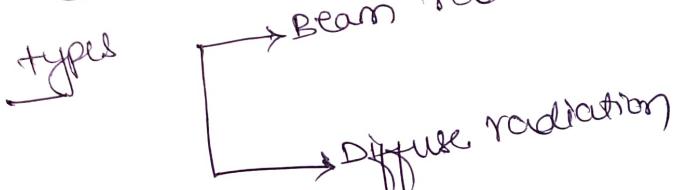
Solar constant:  $[I_{sc}]$ : It can be defined as total energy received from the sun per unit time on a unit area kept perpendicular to the sun rays at a mean distance from the sun on the earth.

Range  
milky  
way

Solar constant is subjected to the variation of  $\pm 4\%$ . The solar const. ranges from  $1.293 \text{ kW/m}^2$  to  $1.412 \text{ kW/m}^2$ .

Solar radiation at earth's surface: (Terrestrial solar radiation)

The solar radiation reaching the earth's surface can be divided into two types



Beam or direct radiation: It is the solar radiation received directly from the sun in a single direction.

Beam radiation exists above earth's atmosphere

As soon as sun-radiation enters the earth's atmosphere, it is absorbed and scattered by the water vapour and dust in the atmosphere.

The scattered and absorbed solar radiation having less intensity than the beam radiation is called diffuse radiation.

The sum of both the beam and diffuse radiation flux is called total (or) global radiation.

### MEASUREMENT OF SOLAR RADIATION

#### RADIATION

The instruments for solar radiation measurements are \* Sunshine Recorder

\* PYRHELIOMETER,

\* PYRANOMETER.

#### SUN-SHINE RECORDER

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standard definitions (w.r.t

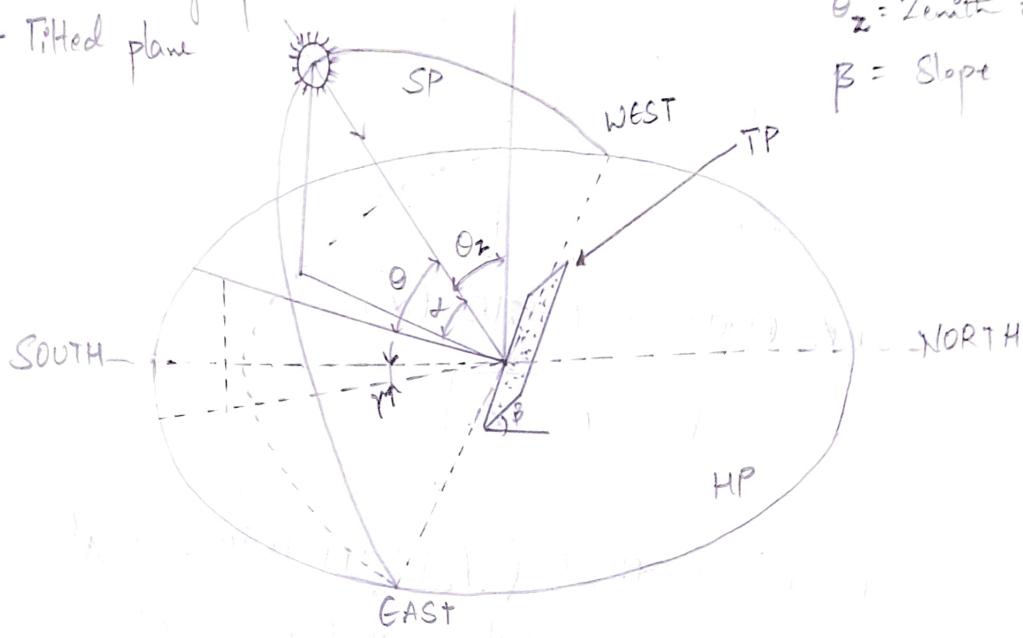
## SOLAR RADIATION GEOMETRY

HP - Horizontal Plane

SP - Sun rays plane

TP - Tilted plane

$\gamma$  = Solar azimuth angle  
 $\alpha$  = Altitude Angle  
 $\theta$  = Incident Angle  
 $\theta_z$  = Zenith Angle  
 $\beta$  = Slope



## SOLAR ANGLES

Incident angle ( $\theta$ ): It is the angle made between the incident beam and the normal to the tilted plane. If  $I$  is the intensity of solar radiation, with incident angle  $\theta$ , then the flux or radiation intensity falling normal to the surface is given by,  $I \cos \theta$ .

Altitude angle or solar altitude angle ( $\alpha$ ). It is the vertical angle made between the projection of the sun's rays on the Horizontal plane, and the direction of sun's rays.