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M.Code: 77546 Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

## SECTION-A

#### Write briefly: 1.

- a) What is Free Air Delivery?
- b) Write the effects of various parameters on volumetric efficiency.
- c) State the principle of combustion.
- d) Define Pure Substance.
- e) Define Degree of Superheat
- f) What is the function of nozzle?
- g) Define Nozzle Efficiency.
- h) Write the classification of steam turbine.
- i) What are the functions of condenser in a steam plant?
- j) What part is played by a cooling tower?

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# SECTION-B

- Discuss the need of multistage compression and write its advantages.
- 3. What is adiabatic flame temperature and how it is determined?
- State the methods of improving the Rankine efficiency.
- What is Critical Pressure Ratio? Discuss its significance and its effects on discharge.
- Define the term 'Degree of Reaction' as applied to a reaction turbine. Show that for Parson's reaction turbine, the degree of reaction is 50%.

# SECTION-C

- Draw and explain the Carnot cycle and discuss its limitations.
- 8. The velocity of steam leaving the nozzle of impulse turbine is 1200 m/s and the nozzle angle is 20°. The blade velocity is 375 m/s and the blade velocity coefficient is 0.75. Assuming no loss due the shock at the inlet, calculate for a mass flow of 0.5 kg/s and symmetrical balding:
  - a) Blade inlet angle
  - b) Driving force on the wheel
  - c) Axial thrust on the wheel
  - d) Power developed by the turbine
- What are the methods of governing a steam turbine? Describe any one method of governing steam turbines.

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