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Paper ID : 140408

**B.TECH.**

**Theory Examination (Semester-IV) 2015-16**

**APPLIED THERMODYNAMICS**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks : 100**

**Section-A**

**Q1. Attempt all parts. All parts carry equal marks. Write answer of each part in short. (2×10=20)**

- (a) Define the heat rate using in the Rankine cycle.
- (b) Define propulsive power and propulsive efficiency.
- (c) Explain about congeneration.
- (d) Explain the significance of Willian's law in steam engines.
- (e) How Equivalent evaporation is used for comparison of boilers?

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## Section-B

Q.2 Attempt any five question. Each question carries equal marks. (5×10=50)

- (a) What do you understand by inversion curve? Define Joules coefficient. How these can be used for refrigeration?
- (b) A sample fuel has the following percentage composition by weight, Carbon = 84% hydrogen = 10% oxygen = 3.5% nitrogen = 1.5% and Ash = 1%.
- (i) Determine the stoichiometric air fuel ratio by mass.
- (ii) If 20% excess air is supplied, find percentage composition of dry fuel gas by volume.

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the efficiency of the cycle.

- (c) A double acting single cylinder steam engine runs at 250 rpm and develops 30 kW. The pressure limits of operation are 10 bar and 1 bar. Cut off is 40% of the stroke. The  $L/D$  ratio is 1.25 and diagram factor is 0.75. Assume dry saturated steam at inlet, hyperbolic expansion and negligible effect of piston rod. Find:
- (i) Mean effective pressure
- (ii) Cylinder dimensions
- (ii) Indicated thermal
- (f) An impulse steam turbine of 180 kW has steam flowing at rate of 165 kg/min and leaving axially. Steam turbine blade speed is 175 m/s and it leaves nozzle at 400 m/s. For the blade velocity coefficient of 0.9.

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diagrams explain the difference between the working of a propeller turbine and a jet turbine.

### Section-C

**Attempt any two question. Each question carries equal marks.**

**(2×15=30)**

Q3. The following data refer to a single stage impulse turbine:  
Isentropic nozzle heat drop = 251 kJ/kg : nozzle efficiency = 90% : nozzle angle =  $20^\circ$  : ratio of blade speed to whirl component of steam speed = 0.5 : blade velocity coefficient = 0.9 ; the velocity of steam entering the nozzle = 20m/s. Determine:

- (i) The blade angles at inlet and outlet if the steam enters in to the blades without shock and leaves the blades in an axial direction.

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stage turbine. If the maximum temperature ( $T_{\max}$ , K) and minimum temperature ( $T_{\min}$ , K) in the cycle remain constant, show that for maximum specific output of the plant, the optimum overall pressure ratio is given by

$$r_{o_{pt}} = (\eta_T \cdot \eta_C \cdot T_{\max} / T_{\min})^{2\gamma/(3\gamma-1)}$$

Where  $\gamma$  – Adiabatic index :  $\eta_T$  = Isentropic efficiency of the turbine.

$\eta_C$  = Isentropic efficiency of compressor.

Q5. A boiler generate 7.5 kg of steam per kg of coal burnt at a pressure of 11 bar, from feed water having a temperature of  $70^\circ\text{C}$ . The efficiency of boiler is 75% and factor of evaporation 1.15. specific heat of steam at constant pressure is 2.3. Calculate:

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- (i) Degree of superheat and temperature of steam generated;
- (ii) Calorific value of coal in kJ/kg;
- (iii) Equivalent evaporation in kg of steam per kg of coal.

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