

R09**Code: 9A03302**

B.Tech II Year I Semester (R09) Supplementary Examinations December 2015

THERMODYNAMICS

(Common to AE & ME)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Answer any FIVE questions
All questions carry equal marks

- 1 (a) Show that work is a path function and not a property.
(b) A mass of gas is compressed in quasi-static process from 80 KPa, 0.1 m³ to 0.4 MPa, 0.03 m³. Assuming that the pressure and volumes are related by $PV^n = \text{constant}$, find the work done by the gas system.
- 2 (a) Explain the limitations of first law and state the essence of second law.
(b) Prove that the formula $T^b V^{a-b} e^{kt} = \text{constant}$ for the adiabatic expansion of the gas if $C_p = a + KT$ and $C_v = b + KT$, where a, b, and k are constants and T in K.
- 3 Derive the Maxwell relations and explain their importance in thermodynamics.
- 4 Calculate the state of steam i.e. whether it is wet, dry or superheated for the following cases:
(a) Steam has a pressure of 15 bar and specific volume of m³/kg.
(b) Steam has a pressure of 10 bar and temperature 200°C.
(c) Steam has pressure of 30 bar and if 2700 kJ/kg of heat is required to generate steam.
- 5 (a) What is Joule Thompson coefficient? Explain its significance.
(b) Explain the difference between Throttling and free expansion process by considering suitable illustration.
- 6 (a) Explain Amagat's law of reducing volumes.
(b) An exhaust gas is analyzed and is found to contain by volume 78% N₂ and 12% CO and 10% O₂. What is the corresponding gravimetric analysis calculate the mass of the mixture per mole, and the density, if the temperature is 550°C and total pressure is 1 bar.
- 7 (a) Explain sensible cooling and dehumidification with the help of psychrometric chart.
(b) Define ADP and By-pass factor with the help of necessary sketches.
- 8 (a) Explain the working of a constant pressure combustion cycle.
(b) Derive an expression for the efficiency of Diesel cycle.
