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M. Tech. I Semester Regular/Supple Examinations, Jan/Feb-2018

**ADVANCED I.C. ENGINES****Thermal Engineering (21)****Time: 3 Hours****Max. Marks: 60**

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*Answer any FIVE Questions*  
*All Questions Carry Equal Marks*

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1. a Discuss the differences between the design and operating characteristics of SI and CI engines. [6M]  
b Explain heat transfer and engine energy balance? [6M]
2. a Explain why the brake mean effective pressure of a naturally aspirated diesel engine is lower than that of a naturally aspirated spark-ignition engine. [6M]  
b Explain the principle of operation of a turbocharger with a neat sketch. Indicate the objectives of turbo-charging. [6M]
3. a Compare the air swirl in CI engines with turbulence in SI engines. [4M]  
b Discuss the different types of swirl generating inlet ports with the help of neat sketches. [8M]
4. a What is common rail injection system? Explain. [6M]  
b Explain the phenomenon of pre-ignition in SI engine. Discuss how pre-ignition leads to detonation and vice-versa. [6M]
5. a What do you understand by ignition delay? Discuss the various factors that affect ignition delay. [6M]  
b Describe the mechanism of formation of CO and NO<sub>x</sub> emissions. [6M]
6. a List down the advantages and disadvantages of using bio-diesel in IC engines. [6M]  
b With a simple sketch, explain the flame ionization method of measuring the unburnt hydrocarbons. [6M]
7. Discuss the variables that affect CI engine performance, efficiency and emissions. [12M]
8. a Discuss the effect of supercharging on the following parameters: i) power output ii) mechanical efficiency iii) fuel consumption. [6M]  
b Explain in detail the smoke emissions in CI engines and different types of particulate traps used in filtering it. [6M]

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