

## SUMMER - 2023

## UNIT-1

**Q.1. a)** State difference between extensive and intensive properties of a thermodynamic system. Give three example of each. (3)

**b)** Define the law that forms the basis for temperature measurement. (3)

**c)** A 2.5 m<sup>3</sup> of tank contains N<sub>2</sub> gas at a pressure of 100 kPa and 30°C. What is mass of N<sub>2</sub> in the tank of temperature of air surrounding tank is raised and temperature of tank is maintained at 150°C. What is new pressure in the tank? (7)

**Q.2. a)** Define thermodynamic work. Prove that it is a path function. (4)

**b)** A gas for which  $\gamma = 1.4$  is initially at 300 kPa pressure with specific volume of 0.48 m<sup>3</sup>/kg. The initial temperature is 500 K. If expanded adiabatically to pressure of 100 kPa. What is final volume, final temp and work done? (9)

## UNIT-2

**Q.3. a)** State the first law applied to cyclic process and change of state for a closed system. (4)

**b)** 4 kg of air initially at absolute pressure of 110 kPa and 300 K is compressed polytropically until pressure and temperature becomes 1500 kPa and 500 K respectively. Evaluate polytropic exponent, final volume, work of compression and heat interaction. (9)

Take  $R = 287 \text{ J/kg K}$ .

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**Q.5. a)** Derive 'steady flow energy equation'. Apply same to-

i) Turbine                      ii) Throttling device (6)

**b)** A perfect gas flows through a nozzle where it expands in a reversible adiabatic manner the inlet conditions are 22 bar 500°C and 38 m/s. At exit, pressure is 2 bar.

2 Determine the exit velocity and exit area, if the flow rate is 2 kg/sec. Take  $R = 190$  J/kg k and  $\gamma = 1.35$ . (8)

**Q.6. a)** Show that work done by steady flow process is given by  $WD = -\int Vdp$ . (5)

**b)** A blower handles 1 kg/sec of air at 25°C and consumes a power of 16 kw. The inflow and outflow velocities are 95 m/s and 160 m/s respectively. Find exit air temperature assuming adiabatic condition of air  $C_v = 0.7187$  kJ/kg k. (9)

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### UNIT-5

- Q.9. a)** Define: (4)
- i) Sensible heat ii) Latent heat  
iii) Enthalpy of wet steam iv) Critical Point
- b)** Using phase diagram (P-t) discuss various phase changes for water. (4)
- c)** A vessel of volume  $0.05 \text{ m}^3$  contains a mixture of saturated water and saturated steam at a temperature of  $250^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The mass of water present is 9 kg. Find mass, specific volume and enthalpy of the steam. (6)
- Q.10. a)** What is meant by quality of steam? Outline the procedure followed to determine its value by using a throttling calorimeter? (6)
- b)** A rigid vessel of volume  $0.86 \text{ m}^3$  contains 1 kg of steam at a pressure of 2 bar. Evaluate the specific volume, temperature, dryness fraction, enthalpy, internal energy and entropy of steam. (8)

### UNIT-6

- Q.11.** Derive an expression for air standard efficiency of Brayton cycle. (6)
- b)** With the help of P-V and T-S diagrams, compare the thermal efficiencies of Otto, Diesel and dual cycle for same maximum pressure and temperature and heat rejection. (7)
- Q.12. a)** Explain Rankine cycle with P-V and T-S diagrams. Derive an expression for efficiency of Rankine cycle. (7)
- b)** Derive the expression for air standard efficiency of diesel cycle. (6)

## WINTER - 2022

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**Q.1 a)** Explain the concept of macroscopic and microscopic view points applied to the study of thermodynamics. (6)

**b)** In a reversible non-flow process, the work is done by a substance in accordance with  $V = \frac{2.80}{P} \text{m}^3$ ,

Where P – pressure in bar.

Find the work done on or by the system as pressure increases from 0.7 bar to 7 bar. (7)

**Q.2 a)** Differentiate between

i) Open system & closed system.

ii) Homogeneous & Heterogeneous system. (6)

**b)** Estimate the rise in temperature of water when it falls through a height of 50 m. Assume that all the heat generated stays in water. The specific heat of water may be taken as 4.2 kJ/kg°k. (7)

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**b)** A cylinder contains 0.12m<sup>3</sup> of air at 1 bar & 90° C. It is compressed to 0.035 m<sup>3</sup>, the final pressure being 6 bar. Find the index of compression, increase in internal energy & heat transferred. (7)

**Q.4 a)** Show that the work transfer per kg of a perfect gas during an adiabatic process is given by  $W_{1-2} = \frac{R(T_1 - T_2)}{\gamma - 1}$

Where, T<sub>1</sub> & T<sub>2</sub> are initial & final temperatures

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2 Air flows at the rate of 2.3 kg/s in a 15 cm diameter pipe. It has a pressure of 7 bar & a temperature of 95°C, it is throttled by a valve to 3.5 bar, Find the velocity of air at exit. (8)

### UNIT-4

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**b)** Calculate volume, density, enthalpy of  $2 \text{ kg}$  steam at  $80^{\circ}\text{C}$  and having dryness fraction of  $0.85$ . (7)

**Q.10 a)** Define.

- i) Triple point
- ii) Sublimation point &
- iii) Critical point.

(6)

**b)** Calculate the amount of heat to be supplied to produce  $5 \text{ kg}$ , of steam at a pressure of  $8 \text{ bar}$  & a temperature of  $320^{\circ}\text{C}$  from a water at  $30^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Take sp. Heat of superheated steam as  $2.2 \text{ kJ/kg}^{\circ}\text{k}$ . (7)

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**Q.11 a)** Sketch & explain otto cycle with its  $P - V$  &  $T - S$  diagram & find its efficiency. (7)

**b)** A diesel engine has a compression ratio of  $18$  & cut off takes place. At  $5\%$  of the stroke. Calculate the air std. efficiency of diesel engine. (7)

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## WINTER - 2019

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- Q.2 a)** State Zeroth law of thermodynamics and also state its significance. (3)
- b)** The power station has an output of 800 mw and thermal efficiency is 30 %. Determine the coal consumed per hour if the calorific value of coal is 30 MJ/kg. (3)
- c)** A electric heater draws 10A when the voltage is 230V. Determine the units of energy used in  $\frac{1}{2}$  an hour. (7)

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**Q.10 a)** What is irreversibility? What are the effects of irreversibility on work output of a system. (3)

**b)** Define Helmholtz and Gibbs function. (4)

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## SUMMER-2019

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**Q.1 a)** Explain the concept of macroscopic and microscopic view points applied to study of thermodynamics. (7)

**b)** The compression ratio of an engine is 15 (i.e.  $V_1 = 15 V_2$ ). The pressure of gas at the beginning of stroke is 100 kPa and temperature is 30°C. Calculate absolute pressure at the end of compression stroke, if the temperature is to be 980°C. (6)

**Q.2 a)** Explain the following terms with neat sketch.

i. State,

ii. Property,

iii. Process,

iv. Quasi-static process. (7)

**b)** An electric potential of 100 V is impressed on a certain resistor such that a current of 12 A is drawn. Calculate the energy dissipated in 3 min. (6)

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**Q.3 a)** Define Enthalpy. Why does the enthalpy of ideal gas depend only on temperature? (7)

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**b)** A heat is used to drive a heat pump. The heat transfers from heat pump and heat engine is used to heat the water circulating through a building. The efficiency of heat engine is 27% and the COP of the heat pump is 4. Evaluate the ratio of heat transfer to circulating water to heat transfer to the engine. (6)

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## WINTER-2018

## UNIT 1

**Q.1 a)** What is system and surrounding. What are types of thermodynamics system explain them with suitable examples. (7)

**b)** A vehicle of mass 1200 kg is running at a speed of 50 km/hr. The brakes are applied and the vehicle is brought to rest. Calculate the rise in temp of brakes if their mass is 13 kg. Take specific heat of brake material =  $0.45 \text{ kJ/kg}^\circ \text{K}$ . (6)

**Q.2 a)** Prove the expression

$$C_p - C_v = R$$

where,  $C_p$  -  $S_p$  heat at constant pressure

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## UNIT 2

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**b)** A quantity of gas occupying  $0.14 \text{ m}^3$  at a pressure of 1400 kPa and  $300^\circ \text{C}$  is expanded is entropically to 280 kPa. Calculate (6)

- i. Mass of gas,      ii. Final temperature,  
iii. Work transfer.

**Q.4 a)** For polytropic process, derive

$$Q_{1-2} = \frac{\gamma - n}{\gamma - 1} \times \text{Polytropic work transfer.}$$

where,  $Q_{1-2}$  - Polytropic heat transfer

$\gamma$  - adiabatic index

$n$  - polytropic index (7)

**b)** 0.5 kg of air is compressed reversibly and adiabatically from 80 kPa and  $60^\circ \text{C}$  to 0.4 MPa and is then expanded at constant pressure to the original volume. Sketch the process on P - V and T - S diagram. Find work transfer and heat transfer. (6)

## UNIT 3

**Q.5 a)** Derive steady flow energy equation for (7)  
i. Condenser,      ii. Rotary compressor.

**b)** In gas turbine the gas enters at the rate of 5 kg/s with a velocity of 50 m/s and enthalpy of 900 kJ/kg and leaveAs the turbine with a velocity of 150 m/s and enthalpy of 400 kJ/kg. The loss of heat from gases to surrounding is 25 kJ/kg. Assume  $R = 0.285 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{kg}^\circ \text{K}}$  and  $C_p = 1.004 \text{ kJ/kg}^\circ \text{K}$  and inlet conditions are 100 kPa at  $27^\circ \text{C}$ . (7)

**Q.6 a)** Apply steady flow energy equation to (7)  
i. Steam turbine      ii. Evaporator.

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$\gamma$  - adiabatic index

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Calculate per kg of air (5)

i. Actual amount of work required.

ii. Minimum amount of work required.

iii. The irreversibility of the process.

#### UNIT 6

**Q.11 a)** Sketch and explain Diesel cycle with P - V and T - S diagram. (7)

**b)** Derive expression for efficiency of Stirling cycle. (7)

**Q.12 a)** Sketch and explain modified Rankine cycle with P - V and T - S diagram. (7)

**b)** Explain Brayton cycle with neat sketch. Also derive its efficiency. (7)

## UNIT-1

- Q.1 a)** Define the terms state, property, Process and cycle of a thermodynamic system. (4)
- b)** Define quasi-static process. State its salient features. (3)
- c)** Two spheres, each of capacity  $2\text{m}^3$ , are connected by a pipe with a valve inserted in between. When the valve lies in the closed position one sphere contains oxygen at 50 kPa and 320 K and the other contains oxygen at 45 kPa and 290 K. Subsequently the valve is opened and the entire system is allowed to attain the equilibrium conditions. At this state, the final temperature is noted to be 300 K. Presuming that the volume of the connecting pipe is negligible, determine the final pressure of the composite system. (6)
- Q.2 a)** Prove the characteristics gas equation  $pV = mRT$ . (4)
- b)** What do you understand by thermodynamic equilibrium? (4)
- c)** An automobile vehicle of 1500 kg mass is running at a speed of 60 km/hr. the brakes are applied and the vehicle is brought to rest. Calculate the rise in temperature of the brakes if their mass is 15 kg. Take specific heat of the brake material = 0.46 kJ/kgK. (5)

## UNIT-2

- Q.3 a)** Define the following:
- i.** Enthalpy    **ii.** Internal Energy    **iii.** Flow work (4)
- b)** State first law of thermodynamics. Apply it to reversible adiabatic process and show that:  $pV^r = \text{constant}$  for adiabatic process. (5)
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Determine:

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Determine:

1. Rate of heat transfer to air H.E.
2. Power output from turbine assuming no heat loss and
3. Velocity at exit from nozzle assuming no heat loss.

Take the enthalpy of air  $h = c_p t$ , where  $C_p$  is the specific heat equal to 1.005 kJ/kgK and  $t$  is the temperature in °C.

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c) A cold storage is maintained at 268°K, while the surroundings is at 308°K. The heat leakage from the surroundings into the cold storage is estimated as 29 kJ/s. Determine the power required to run the cold storage plant if the actual COP is 30% of the ideal COP between the same temperature limits. (6)

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Q.8 a) State the two statements of second law of thermodynamics and prove their equivalence. (7)

b) A reversed Carnot cycle operating as a refrigerator has a refrigeration capacity of 100 kJ/s while operating between temperature limits of 20°C and 35°C.

Determine: i. Power output ii. COP

If the system is used for heating purpose only find its COP. What would be its efficiency if it runs as an engine? (6)

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**Q.10 a)** What are Helmholtz function and Gibb's function? (4)

**b)** Show that the transfer of heat through finite temperature difference is irreversible. (4)

**c)** A single stage air turbine is to operate with an inlet pressure and temperature of 6 bar and 800 K. The outlet pressure and temperature are 1.0 bar and 500 K. During expansion the turbine loses 25 kJ/kg to the surroundings which are at 1 bar and 300 K. For unit mass flow rate, determine the decrease in availability, the maximum work and the irreversibility.

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