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B.Tech. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING (COMPUTER INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING) / BTMEVI

Term-End Examination

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BME-019 : ENGINEERING THERMODYNAMICS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

- Note: Attempt any seven questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. Use of steam table is also allowed. Assume missing data, if any.
- 1. (a) State the thermodynamic definition of work. Also differentiate between heat and work.
 - (b) A platinum resistance thermometer has a resistance of 2.8 ohm at 0°C and 3.8 ohm at 100°C. Calculate the temperature when the resistance indicated is 5.8 ohm. 5+5
- **2.** (a) Define an isolated system. What is thermodynamic cycle ?
 - (b) An engine cylinder has a piston of area 0.12 m^2 and contains gas at a pressure of 1.5 MPa. The gas expands according to a process which is represented by a straight line on a pressure-volume diagram. The final pressure is 0.15 MPa. Calculate the work done by the gas on the piston, if the stroke is 0.30 m. 5+5

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- 3. (a) Explain vapour compression refrigeration cycle with the help of a block diagram.
 - (b) A single-cylinder, single-acting, 4-stroke engine of 0.15 m bore develops an indicated power of 4 kW when running at 216 rpm. Calculate the area of the indicator diagram that would be obtained with an indicator having a spring constant of 25 × 10⁶ N/m³. The length of the indicator diagram is 0.1 times the length of the stroke of the engine. 5+5
- 4. Determine the total work done by a gas system following an expansion process as shown in Figure 1.

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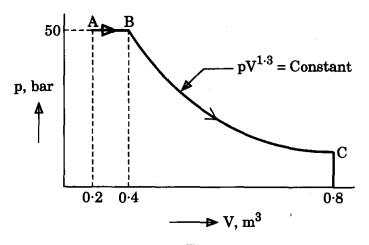


Figure 1

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- 5. (a) Briefly explain the equivalence of Kelvin-Planck and Clausius statements of the second law of thermodynamics.
 - (b) In a cyclic process, heat transfers are
 + 19·3 kJ, 29·5 kJ, 2·95 kJ, + 15·5 kJ
 and + 30·5 kJ. What is the net work for
 this cyclic process ? 5+5
- 6. (a) What is an ideal gas ? What is the difference between universal gas constant and characteristic gas constant?
 - (b) A domestic refrigerator is loaded with food and the door is closed. During a certain period the machine consumes 1 kWh of energy and the internal energy of the system drops by 5000 kJ. Find the net heat transfer for the system. 5+5
- 7. (a) Show the work (W) in non-flow process for polytropic process pV^n = Constant is given by

$$W = \frac{p_1 V_1 - p_2 V_2}{n - 1},$$

where symbols carry usual meanings.

(b) A cyclic heat engine operates between a source temperature of 100°C and a sink temperature of 30°C. What is the least rate of heat rejection per kW net output of the engine ? 5+5

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- 8. (a) Define 'change of state', 'path' and 'process'. What are 'intensive' and 'extensive' properties ?
 - (b) A heat engine receives half of its heat supply at 1000 K and half at 500 K while rejecting heat to a sink at 300 K. What is the maximum thermal efficiency of the heat engine? 5+5
- **9.** (a) Define entropy. Show that entropy is a property of a system.
 - (b) Find the enthalpy, entropy and volume of steam at 1.4 MPa, 380°C. 5+5
- 10. (a) What is a heat pump? How does it differ from a refrigerator?
 - (b) Determine the ideal COP of an absorption refrigerating system in which the heating, cooling and refrigeration take place at 197°C, 17°C and – 3°C respectively. 5+5

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