

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FIRE SAFETY
AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT
(PGDFSTYDM)**

**Term-End Examination 00805
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MSE-007 : FIRE ENGINEERING SCIENCE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : 1. Q. No. 1 is compulsory.

2. Attempt **any four** questions from remaining.

3. Log Tables non- Programmable calculators can be used.

1. (a) Tick the correct answer. **2x10=20**
- (i) How much heat is required to convert 10 gms. of ice at -10°C into steam.
- (A) 726 Cal.
(B) 1726 Cal.
(C) 2726 Cal.
(D) 7260 Cal.
- (ii) What term will satisfy to the minimum Temperature at which sufficient vapors are given by a flammable material to ignite on application of external flame ?
- (A) Flash Point
(B) Ignition Temp.
(C) Auto Ignition Temp.
(D) Spontaneous Ignition Temp.

- (iii) If the nozzle diameter is doubled, what will be change in Jet reaction while discharging water ?
- (A) one-fourth
 - (B) Halved
 - (C) doubled
 - (D) 4-times
- (iv) At what pressure a nozzle of 40 m.m will discharge 2133 LPM ?
- (A) 2 bars (B) 3 bars
 - (C) 4 bars (D) 9 bars
- (v) While taking water from open source, higher vacuum reading is observed. State the reason.
- (A) Falling level of static water
 - (B) Increase in discharge rate
 - (C) Partial blockage of strainer
 - (D) All three.
- (vi) What is the reason that solids in dust form are more susceptible to fire and explosion ?
- (A) Because of Increased mass
 - (B) because of reduction in Ignition Temp.
 - (C) because of larger surface area exposed to air
 - (D) None of the above.

- (vii) From among the following gases, which gas is considered most dangerous with respect to its flammability.
- (A) Hydrogen (B) Acetylene
(C) Butane (D) Propane
- (viii) A delivery hose is taken to certain height from pump level as a result pressure at pump increases by 2.5 bars. If the total loss due to friction is . 5 bars, what is the height of nozzle ?
- (A) 15 meters
(B) 20 meters
(C) 25 meters
(D) 30 meters
- (ix) Why practical pump lift is less than theoretical life ?
- (A) due entry loss
(B) due bend loss
(C) due friction loss
(D) all three.
- (x) Diameter of a nozzle was doubled and it was found that the discharge rate is 3200 LPM at 9-bar pressure. What was it original discharge rate ?
- (A) 6400 LPM
(B) 1600 LPM
(C) 800 LPM
(D) 1500 LPM

(b) Fill in the blanks : 2x10=20

- (i) Carboxi haemoglobin will be formed in blood if _____ gas is inhaled.
- (ii) The temperature above which a gas can not be liquified by pressure alone, is known as _____.
- (iii) Among all pumps, _____ pump is least efficient.
- (iv) Heat required to raise the temperature of unit of substance by 1°C is known as _____.
- (v) In an ideal gas variation in its temperature is _____ proportional to its volume, if pressure remain constant
- (vi) If a stone is through upward at a speed of 70 km/H the speed of the stone while reaching back to the ground will be _____ km/H
- (vii) A temperature of 100°C is equal to _____ $^{\circ}\text{F}$.
- (viii) Wattage of bulb at 240 volt supply with consumption of 15 Amp. current would be _____ W.
- (ix) The force required for movement of electrons is known as _____.
- (x) Maximum Theoretical suction lift is _____ meters.

2. A pump is delivering water through a 70 mm. hose, 150 meters long with 25 mm nozzle at a pressure of 4 bars. The friction factor of Hose is .005.
- (a) Calculate the loss of pressure due to friction. 8
 - (b) What pressure is maintained in pump to maintain 4 bar pressure at nozzle, if 5 bar additional bend loss is anticipated ? 7
3. (a) Define spontaneous Ignition Temp. 5
- (b) State the conditions which are necessary for spontaneous combustion to take place. 5
 - (c) In the light of definition given above, explain why carbon-di-sulphide Linseed oil and haystack are special risk. 5
4. (a) Write the chemical equations of following : 8
- (i) Magnesium burning in oxygen to form magnesium oxide
 - (ii) Iron reacting with Hydrochloric Acid to give ferrous chloride
 - (iii) Methane burning in oxygen to give CO_2 and H_2O .
 - (iv) Carbon heated in steam to give CO and H_2
- (b) Find Vapor densities of CO_2 , CO, O_2 and CH_4 . Atomic wt. of C = 12; O = 16; H = 1, $\text{Cl}_2 = 35.5$ 7

5. What is Tetra-Hedron of fire ? Give details of principles of fire extinction and name the best extinguishing media fulfilling each principle. 15
6. (a) Explain Gas Laws with examples. 8
(b) A cylinder with 5 Litres capacity is filled at 5 bar pressure at 27°C. After a fire the temperature of cylinder went up to 327°C. Find the pressure of cylinder. 7
7. Give short notes on *any three* of the following : 3x5=15
(a) Physical properties of water
(b) Diffusion of gases
(c) Thermal Expansion
(d) Venture effect
(e) Work, Energy and power
(f) Critical Temperature and pressure.
8. (a) A hose line is Laid down the hill, 60 meter high, having 30° angle of depression. Find the length of hose if the slope is gradual and the pressure at base if the pump pressure is 1-bar. 8
(b) What is Bernoulli's Theorem ? Give three examples of application of Bernoulli's Theorem. 7
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