

**B. Tech. – VIEP – MECHANICAL
ENGINEERING (BTMEVI)**

Term-End Examination

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**BIME-015 : REFRIGERATION AND AIR
CONDITIONING**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

***Note :** Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of Steam table, Refrigeration charts, Mollier diagram, Psychrometric chart, and Scientific calculator is permitted.*

1. A Carnot refrigerator requires 1.5 kW per tonne of refrigeration to maintain a region at low temperature of -38°C . Determine : 14
- (a) C.O.P. of the Carnot refrigerator
- (b) Highest temperature of the cycle
- (c) The heat delivered and C.O.P. when this device is used as heat pump

2. An open air cycle operated by air refrigeration system is required to produce 6 tonnes of refrigerating effect with a cooler pressure of 11 bar abs and a refrigerated space or region at a pressure of 1.05 bar. The temperature of air leaving the cooler is 38°C and the air leaving the room is 16°C . Calculate : 14
- (a) Mass of air circulated per minute
 - (b) Compressor displacement
 - (c) C.O.P.
 - (d) Power required per tonne of refrigeration
3. An ammonia refrigerating machine has working temperature of 35°C in condenser and -15°C in the evaporator. Assume case of dry compression. Calculate the following : 14
- (a) The theoretical piston displacement per ton of refrigeration
 - (b) The theoretical horse power per ton of refrigeration
 - (c) The coefficient of performance
4. A mixture of dry air and water vapour is at a temperature of 21°C under a total pressure of 736 mm Hg. The dew-point temperature is 15°C . Find : 14
- (a) Partial pressure of water vapour
 - (b) Relative humidity
 - (c) Specific humidity
 - (d) Enthalpy of air per kg of dry air

5. 39.6 cubic metre of a mixture of recirculated room air and outdoor air enters a cooling coil at 31°C DB and 18.5°C WB temperature. The effective surface temperature of the coil is 4.4°C. The surface area of the coil is such that it would give 12.5 kW of refrigeration with the given entering air state. Determine :

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- (a) The dry and wet bulb temperature of the air leaving the coil
- (b) The coil bypass factor

6. A laboratory having an unusually large latent heat gain is required to be air-conditioned. The design conditions and loads are as follows :

Summer design conditions : 42°C DBT, 27°C WBT

Inside design conditions : 27°C DBT, 50% RH

Room sensible heat : 34.9 kW

Room latent heat : 18.6 kW

The ventilation air requirement is 90 cubic metre.

Determine the following :

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- (a) Ventilation load
- (b) Room and effective sensible heat factors
- (c) Supply air quantity
- (d) Grand total heat

7. (a) Draw and explain the vapour compression cycle on Temperature-Entropy (T-S) diagram for the case when the vapour is dry and saturated at the end of compression.
- (b) Describe the following processes :
- (i) Cooling and Dehumidification
 - (ii) Heating and Humidification *7+7=14*
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