

**B.Tech. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING  
(COMPUTER INTEGRATED  
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**Term-End Examination**

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**BME-019 : ENGINEERING THERMODYNAMICS**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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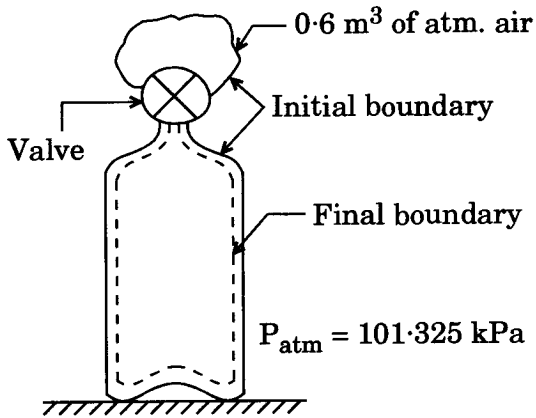
*Note : Answer any seven questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of calculator, steam table and Mollier chart is permitted.*

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1. (a) Explain and differentiate between Extensive and Intensive properties with the help of examples. 5
- (b) Define Thermodynamic System. Explain different types of thermodynamic systems with the help of examples. 5
2. (a) What is the concept of Continuum ? How will you define density and pressure using this concept ? 5

- (b) When the valve of the evacuated bottle (Figure 1) is opened, atmospheric air rushes into it. If the atmospheric pressure is 101.325 kPa, and 0.6 m<sup>3</sup> of air (measured at atmospheric conditions) enters into the bottle, calculate the work done by air. 5



*Figure 1*

3. (a) A stationary mass of gas is compressed without friction from an initial state of 0.3 m<sup>3</sup> and 0.105 MPa to a final state of 0.15 m<sup>3</sup> and 0.105 MPa, the pressure remains constant during the process. How much does the initial energy of the gas change? 5
- (b) Show that Internal Energy is the property of a system. 5

4. A fluid is confined in a cylinder by a spring-loaded, frictionless piston so that the pressure in the fluid is a linear function of the volume ( $P = a + bV$ ). The internal energy of the fluid is given by the following relation :  $u = 34 + 3.15 pV$ ; where  $u$  is in kJ,  $p$  in kPa and  $V$  in  $m^3$ .

If the fluid changes from an initial state of 170 kPa,  $0.03 m^3$  to a final state of 400 kPa,  $0.06 m^3$ , with no work other than that done on the piston, find the direction and magnitude of the work and heat transfer.

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5. (a) Which is the more effective way to increase the efficiency of a Carnot engine to increase  $T_1$ , keeping  $T_2$  constant or to decrease  $T_2$ , keeping  $T_1$  constant ?

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- (b) A domestic food freezer maintains a temperature of  $-15^\circ C$ . The ambient air temperature is  $30^\circ C$ . If heat leaks into the freezer at a continuous rate of  $1.75 kJ/sec$ , what is the least power necessary to pump this heat out continuously ?

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6. Two identical bodies of constant heat capacity are at the same initial temperature  $T_i$ . A refrigerator operates between these two bodies until one body is cooled to temperature  $T_2$ . If the bodies remain at constant pressure and undergo no change of phase, show that the minimum amount of work needed to do this is

$$W_{(\min)} = C_p \left( \frac{T_i^2}{T_2} + T_2 - 2T_i \right). \quad 10$$

7. A steam power plant is proposed to operate between the pressures of 10 kPa and 2 MPa with a maximum temperature of  $400^\circ\text{C}$ , as shown in the figure. Determine the maximum efficiency possible from the power cycle. 10

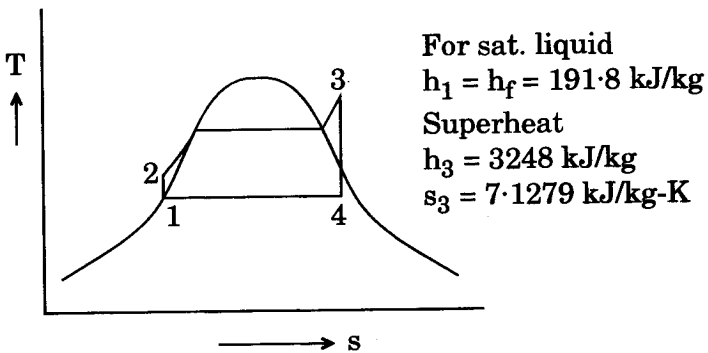


Figure 2

8. (a) What is refrigeration ? How is (i) ice, and (ii) dry ice used for the purpose of refrigeration ? 5

(b) Show that

$$(\text{COP})_{\text{Heat Pump}} = (\text{COP})_{\text{Refrigerator}} + 1. \quad 5$$

9. A steam power station uses the following cycle :

Steam at boiler outlet – 150 bar, 550°C

Reheat at 40 bar to 550°C

Condenser at 0.1 bar

Using the Mollier chart and assuming ideal process, find the 10

- (a) Quality at turbine exhaust  
(b) Cycle efficiency  
(c) Steam rate
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