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## BASIC THERMODYNAMICS

Paper : ME 301

Full Marks : 100

Time : Three hours

**The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.**

Answer **any five** questions.

1. (a) Explain what do you mean by the thermodynamic property of a system. How will you classify it ? 2+2=4
- (b) What is the Zeroth law of thermodynamics ? 3
- (c) Distinguish between stored energy and energy in transit. 3
- (d) What do you mean by thermodynamic equilibrium ? 5
- (e) Explain the difference between point function and path function. 3

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(f) Give the thermodynamic definition of work. What is positive and negative work ? 2

2. (a) Define Internal energy. 2

(b) What is the difference between non-flow and steady-flow process ? 3

(c) Explain the general steady-flow energy equation. 4

(d) Explain (i) specific heat and (ii) molecular heat. 2+2=4

(e) Fill in the blanks : 1×7=7

(i) In a \_\_\_\_\_, transfer of mass does not take place.

(ii) The energy contained within the system boundaries is known as \_\_\_\_\_.

(iii) Internal energy of ideal gas is a function of \_\_\_\_\_ alone.

(iv) Internal energy is a \_\_\_\_\_ function.

(v) In an isolated system the energy remains \_\_\_\_\_.

(vi) Heat is also energy in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(vii) Work is a \_\_\_\_\_ function.

3. (a) In a system 80kJ of heat is supplied from state 1 to state 2 by constant volume process. The internal energy at state 1 is 90kJ. The system rejects 95kJ of heat from state 2 to state 3 by constant pressure process and 30kJ of work is done on it. The system is brought back from state 3 to state 1 by a reversible adiabatic process. Calculate the adiabatic work and the values of internal energy at state 2 and state 3. 7

(b) A steam turbine developing 34kW receives steam at 15bar with an internal energy of 2720kJ/kg and specific volume of 0.17m<sup>3</sup>/kg and velocity of 110m/s. Steam is exhausted from turbine and at 0.1bar with internal energy 2177kJ/kg and specific volume 15m<sup>3</sup>/kg and velocity 320m/s. The heat loss over the surface of the turbine is 20kJ/kg. Neglecting change in potential energy, determine (i) work done per kg of steam (ii) steam flow through the turbine. 7



(c) Steam enters a steam condenser with an enthalpy of  $2090 \text{ kJ/kg}$  and a velocity of  $510 \text{ m/s}$ . The condensate leaves the condenser with an enthalpy of  $209 \text{ kJ/kg}$  and with a velocity of  $10 \text{ m/s}$ . Determine the heat received by the cooling water per  $\text{kg}$  of steam condensed. 6

4. (a) What are the limitations of the First law of thermodynamics ? 3

(b) State the Second law of thermodynamics as per (i) Kelvin-Planck (ii) Clausius.  $2+2=4$

(c) (i) Define COP. 2

(ii) Show that  $\text{COP}_{\text{Heat Pump}} = \text{COP}_{\text{Ref}} + 1$ . 4

(d) What is a Heat pump ? What is the function of a heat pump ?  $2.5 \times 2 = 5$

(e) What are the four processes that constitute a Carnot cycle ? 2

5. (a) A heat engine, one heat pump and a refrigerator are embedded between two heat reservoirs — one at  $600 \text{ K}$  while the other at  $300 \text{ K}$ . Determine —

(i) the efficiency of the heat engine

(ii) the COP of the heat pump

(iii) the COP of the refrigerator. 7

(b) A Carnot engine works between temperature limits of  $825^\circ \text{C}$  and  $125^\circ \text{C}$ . The engine receives  $3600 \text{ kJ}$  of heat per minute. Determine the power of the engine and the amount of heat rejected to the sink per second. 7

(c) A heat engine, a heat pump and a refrigerator receives  $500 \text{ kJ}$  of heat each. But they reject  $250 \text{ kJ}$ ,  $600 \text{ kJ}$  and  $700 \text{ kJ}$  of heat respectively. Determine —

(i) the efficiency of the heat engine

(ii) the COP of the heat pump

(iii) the COP of refrigerator. 6

6. (a) Define a pure substance. 2

(b) Differentiate between a triple point and a critical point. 3+3=6

(c) A steam vessel of holding capacity  $4\text{ m}^3$  contains a mixture of saturated water and saturated steam at  $250^\circ\text{C}$ . The mass of the liquid present is  $1\text{ ton}$ . Determine the —

(i) pressure

(ii) mass of vapour

(iii) dryness fraction

(iv) specific volume

(v) specific enthalpy

(vi) specific entropy.

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(d) State the conditions of steam in the following cases :  $1 \times 4 = 4$

(i) At a pressure of  $10\text{ bar}$ , total heat is  $2646\text{ kJ/kg}$

(ii) At a pressure of  $15\text{ bar}$ , temperature is  $197.4^\circ\text{C}$

(iii) At a pressure of  $20\text{ bar}$ , temperature is  $225^\circ\text{C}$

(iv) At a pressure of  $7\text{ bar}$ , specific volume is  $0.26\text{ m}^3$ .

7. Write short notes on : (*any five*)  $5 \times 4 = 20$

(i) Macroscopic and Microscopic approaches

(ii) Intensive and Extensive properties

(iii) Carnot cycle

(iv) Rankine cycle

(v) Heat engine and heat pump

(vi) Dryness fraction of saturated steam.

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