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Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, July/August 2022
Aerothermodynamics

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

- Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.
2. Use of thermodynamic data handbook is permitted.*

Module-1

- 1 a. Define:
(i) Intensive and extensive property
(ii) Open and closed system
(iii) Path and point functions
(iv) Control volume and control surface
using suitable illustrative sketches. (08 Marks)
- b. Fahrenheit and centigrade thermometers are immersed in a fluid. The Fahrenheit scale reads numerically twice that of the centigrade scale. Find the temperature of the fluid expressed in Rankine R and Kelvin K. Assume $T(R) = 1.8 T(K)$. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Discuss briefly on the following types of work: (i) Shaft work (ii) Electrical work. (08 Marks)
- b. A perfect gas is undergoing a process for which $T \propto V^{-2/5}$. Find the work done if the gas is compressed from 100 bar, 4 m^3 at state 1 to 2 m^3 . Find the final pressure. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Using the First law concept, show that energy is a property. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain what are the different modes of energy. (04 Marks)
- c. State and explain 'Two-property Rule' (04 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Derive steady-flow energy equation for an open system, stating the assumptions made. (08 Marks)
- b. In a steady-flow process a working fluid flows at 220 kg/min rejecting 100 kJ/s of heat. The inlet and outlet conditions are $v_1 = 220 \text{ m/s}$, $p_1 = 6 \text{ bar}$, $u_1 = 2000 \text{ kJ/kg}$, $v_1 = 0.36 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$, $v_2 = 140 \text{ m/s}$, $p_2 = 1.2 \text{ bar}$, $u_2 = 1400 \text{ kJ/kg}$, $v_2 = 1.3 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. Find the power capacity of the system in MW. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Write Kelvin-Planck and Clausius statements of second law of thermodynamics. Show that a perpetual motion machine of second kind violates Kelvin-Planck statement. (08 Marks)
- b. Verify the following claim of an inventor regarding his new engine. Power developed is 76 KW, fuel consumed is 8 kg/h, fuel heating value 50000 kJ/kg, temperature limits 725°C and 25°C . Comment on the claim. (08 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. State Clausius inequality and prove it. (08 Marks)
 b. A heat engine is operating between 600 K and 300 K, receiving 450 kJ/cycle of heat. For the following hypothetical situation, verify Clausius inequality:
 (i) 210 kJ/cycle of heat rejected
 (ii) 105 kJ/cycle of heat rejected
 (iii) 315 kJ/cycle rejected (08 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Plot a P-T diagram for a pure substance and show fusion line, vaporization line, critical point and triple point. Further define each of them. (08 Marks)
 b. A spherical shell of 40 cm radius contains saturated steam and water at 250°C. Calculate the mass of each if their volumes are equal. (08 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Using the relations $C_p - C_v = T \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_p \left(\frac{\partial P}{\partial T} \right)_v$ for an ideal gas show that $C_p - C_v = R$. (08 Marks)
 b. A tank of 0.34 m³ contains H₂S at 22°C. When 2.3 kg of gases are drawn out, the temperature in the tank becomes 15°C and pressure 10 bar. Find the mass of the gas in the tank initially and its initial pressure. (08 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. For a petrol engine cycle, show that the thermal efficiency is a function of compression ratio and the index γ only. Draw the cycle (thermodynamic processes) on a P-V diagram. (08 Marks)
 b. A Carnot engine rejects heat to the sink at 32°C and has a thermal efficiency of 52.3%. If the work output of the engine is 120 kJ, find:
 (i) The maximum working temperature
 (ii) Heat added in kJ
 (iii) The entropy change during heat rejection. (08 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. With the aid of a schematic diagram, explain the working of a reheat cycle. Represent the same on a T-S diagram. Further make cycle analysis and find out the thermal efficiency in terms of enthalpies. (08 Marks)
 b. In a power plant working on a reheat cycle, the turbine develops 650 kJ/kg of work between the inlet and reheater and 760 kJ/kg between the reheater and condenser. After reheating steam enters the low pressure turbine at 2 MPa and 500°C and expands down to a condenser pressure of 8 kPa. Determine the cycle efficiency, ignoring the pump work. (08 Marks)

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