



Seventh Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Examination, June/July 2025 Thermal Engineering

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Define the following use diagram and equations of necessary.
i) Thermodynamics ii) System iii) Boundary iv) Work v) Energy. (10 Marks)
- b. State Zeroth law of thermodynamics and explain thermodynamics equilibrium. (05 Marks)
- c. Explain quasistatic process with neat sketch. (05 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the following types of work transfer
i) Shaft work ii) Electrical work iii) Stirring work. (06 Marks)
- b. Derive an expression for displacement work with P.V diagram for the following process.
i) Isobaric process ii) Isochoric process. (04 Marks)
- c. A spherical balloon has a diameter of 25 cm and contains air at a pressure of 1.5 bar the diameter of the balloon increases to 30 cm due to heating and during this process, the pressure is directly proportional to diameter. Calculate the work done by air. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Explain energy is a property of system. (10 Marks)
- b. Derive an expression for Steady Flow Energy Equation (SFEE) with suitable assumptions. (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. State Kelvin Plank and Claussius statement and explain equations of two statements. (08 Marks)
- b. Prove that $(COP)_{HP} = 1 + (COP)_{ref}$ (04 Marks)
- c. Define :
i) Heat pump ii) Refrigerator iii) Thermal efficiency iv) Co-efficient of performance. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Compare Otto, diesel and dual cycles. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain diesel cycle with P-V and T-S diagram. Derive an expression for its mean effective pressure. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Define heat transfer and explain different modes of heat transfer. (10 Marks)
- b. Describe boundary conditions of 1st, 2nd and 3rd kind with figures. (10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Derive an expression for general of 3-D dimensional conduction equation in Cartesian coordinate. (10 Marks)
- b. A slab of 40 mm thick ($K = 20 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}$) is placed between 2 fluids having temperature 120°C and 25°C respectively. If the corresponding heat transfer coefficients are $250 \text{ W/m}^2\text{C}$ and $500 \text{ W/m}^2\text{C}$ respectively, find the heat flow rate. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Using Buckingham's π theorem method for natural convection show that $N_u = f(Gr, Pr)$. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the following :
- Natural convection
 - Local heat transfer coefficient
 - Grashoff Number
 - Drag force
 - Nusselt Number.
- (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Air at 25°C and atmospheric pressure is flowing over a flat plate at a velocity of 4 m/sec . If the plate is 20 cm wide and 65°C , calculate the following quantities at a distance of 40 cm from the leading edge.
- Thermal boundary layer thickness
 - Local shear stress
 - Local heat transfer coefficient
 - Total drag force and heat transfer.
- (12 Marks)
- b. Explain the physical significance of
- Raynolds Number
 - Stanton Number
 - Prandtl Number
 - Nusselt number.
- (08 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. State and explain the following laws with equations
- Stefan – Boltzman law
 - Planck's law
 - Kirchoff's law
 - Wein displacement law
- (12 Marks)
- b. Define Emissivity. Explain grey body and black body emissivity. (08 Marks)
