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B.E. (Mechanical Engineering) Third Semester

MEC-301: Basic Thermodynamics

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Part. Use of property, Steam and gas tables is permitted.

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Q-1)

- 1) What is displacement work?
- 2) Differentiate between adiabatic and diathermic walls.
- 3) Why is PMM1 impossible?
- 4) What is meant by saturation state?
- 5) Differentiate between external and internal irreversibility.

(5x2=10)

Q-2)

- 1) Air expands from 340kPa and 0.0425m³ to a final pressure of 136kPa. If
- PV²=constant, find the work for the process. 2) A pump discharges a liquid into a drum at $0.032 m^3/s$. The drum is 1.5 min diameter and 4.2m in length, with a holding capacity of 3000kg of this liquid. Find density of liquid and mass flow rate of the liquid handled by the pump

PART A

Q-3) (5,5)

A steam boiler initially contains $5m^3$ of steam and $5m^3$ of water at 1 MPa. Steam is taken out at constant pressure until 4m³ of water is left. What is the heat transferred during the process?

(10)

Q-4)

- 1) Explain control volume technique in a variable flow process.
- 2) Show that enthalpy of a fluid before throttling is same as after throttling.

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PART B

Q-5)

- 1) A heat engine receives half of its heat supply at 1000K and half at 500K while rejecting heat to a sink at 300K. What is the maximum thermal efficiency of the engine?
- 2) Explain Clausius Inequality with mathematical expressions to obtain relations of entropy with type of processes.

Q-6)

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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. Assuming ideal process, find cycle efficiency and steam rate.

Q-7)

Write short notes on any 2 of the following:-

- 1) Flow work and non-flow work
- 2) Reversed Carnot Cycle
- 3) Ideal Reheat Rankine Cycle

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