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**B.Tech. (ME) Re-appear IV SEMESTER
Applied Thermodynamics (PCC-ME-202)**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks:75

- Instructions:**
1. It is compulsory to answer all the questions (1.5 marks each) of Part -A in short.
 2. Answer any four questions from Part -B in detail.
 3. Different sub-parts of a question are to be attempted adjacent to each other.
 4. Use of Steam table , psychrometric chart is allowed

PART -A

- Q1 (a) What is enthalpy of formation? (1.5)
- (b) Draw the Brayton cycle on p-v and T-s chart. (1.5)
- (c) For a given T_2 , show how the Rankine cycle efficiency depends on the mean (1.5)
temperature of heat addition.
- (d) What is thermodynamic wet bulb temperature? (1.5)
- (e) Define the term specific humidity and degree of saturation. (1.5)
- (f) What is a stagnation state? (1.5)
- (g) What do you mean by perfect intercooling? (1.5)
- (h) What is a Mach number? (1.5)
- (i) Write the advantages of multistage compression. (1.5)
- (j) What is the principle of operation of steam turbines? (1.5)

PART -B

- Q2 (a) The following is the ultimate analysis of a sample of petrol by weight: (15)
Carbon=85 % ; Hydrogen=15 %.
Calculate the ratio of air to petrol consumption by weight if the volumetric
analysis of the dry exhaust gas is:
 $CO_2=11.5\%$; $CO=1.2\%$; $O_2=0.9\%$; $N_2=86\%$.
Also find percentage excess air.
- Q3 (a) Explain vapour compression refrigeration system (VCRS) with a neat sketch. (10)
Draw all the processes on T-s and P-h chart and also derive the expression of
C.O.P for VCRS in terms of enthalpy.
- (b) Derive the air standard thermal efficiency of otto cycle in terms of compression (5)
ratio (r) and adiabatic constant (γ).
- Q4 (a) Air at $15^\circ C$ dry bulb temperature and 25 % relative humidity is heated and (10)
humidified at $30^\circ C$ dry bulb temperature and 50 % relative humidity. Using
psychrometric chart, calculate the heat and moisture added to air and the
sensible heat factor for the process.
- (b) Name any five psychrometric processes and represent them on the (5)
psychrometric chart.

- Q5 (a) Show that the discharge through a nozzle is maximum when there is sonic condition at its throat. (10)
- (b) What is a Fanno line? Why do the end states of a normal shock lie on the Fanno line? (5)
- Q6 Explain the working of a reciprocating compressor? Show that the optimum intermediate pressure of a two-stage reciprocating compressor for minimum work is the geometric mean of the suction and discharge pressures. (15)
- Q7 What do you mean by compounding? Explain pressure compounding and velocity compounding in detail with neat sketch. (15)
