TIME-3 HOUR MARKS-100

## **2006–ANNA UNIVERSITY** B.E/B.TECH III SEMESTER DEGREE EXAMINATION ME 121 - APPLIED THERMODYNAMICS (ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING)

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# ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

## <u>PART A - (10 \* 2 = 20 MARKS)</u>

- 1) Define path function and point function.
- 2) State Kelvin plank's second law of thermodynamics.
- 3) What is normal and abnormal combustion?
- 4) What do you understand by open and closed cycle gas turbine?
- 5) Define wet steam and dryness fraction of steam.
- 6) List down the advantages of compounding steam turbines.
- 7) What is the need for an intercooler in a multistage air compressor?
- 8) Define ton of refrigeration.
- 9) State Fourier's law of heat conduction and give its expression.
- 10) What do you understand by natural convection and forced convection

### <u>PART B - (5 \* 16 = 80 MARKS)</u>

- 11) (i) Give the steady state flow energy equation and explain the various terms.
- (ii) Explain carnot cycle with a neat sketch and a p-v diagram.

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- 12) (a) (i) Sketch the p-V diagrams of otto, diesel and dual cycles and name the various processes.
- (ii) Explain the principle of operation of a two strke cycle spark ignition engine with a neat sketch.
- (b) (i) With a neat sketch describe the working principle of a four strke cycle compression ignition engine.

(ii) Draw a neat sketch of a brayton cycle on p-V and T-s diagrams indicating the reheating, intercooling and regeneration processes.

13) (a) (i) Mention the function of superheater, reheater, economizer, pressure gauge, safety valve and air preheater.

- (ii) Draw the T-s diagram and schematic of rankine cycle and explain the various processes.
- (b) (i) Mention the principle of operation of an impulse and a reaction turbine.

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- (ii) Draw the layout of a steam power plant and explain its principle of operation.
- 14) (a) With neat sketches explain the principle of operation of centrifugal and axial flow compressors.
- (b)(i) Explain the vapour compression cycle with the help of T-s diagram.
- (ii) Define wet bulb temperature, specific humidity, humidification and dehumidification.

- 15) (a)(i) Explain conduction, convection and radiation heat transfer with examples.
- (ii) Obtain an expression for heat conduction through a cylinder with a neat sketch.

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