

2007 COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

B.TECH MECHANICAL ENGINEERING FUNDAMENTALS OF ENGINEERING

JUNE 2007

TIME: 3 HOUR
MARK: 90

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTION
ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

MARK [4*15]

- 1 a. Derive an expression for work done in an adiabatic process
- b. A closed vessel containing 2Kg of carbon dioxide is at a temperature 20 degree celsius and pressure of 0.7 bar. Heat is supplied to the vessel till the gas acquires a pressure of 1.4 bar. Calculate: final temperature, work done on or by the gas, heat added, change in internal energy
- 2 a. Explain the Kelvin-Planck and Clausius statements of the second law of thermodynamics and prove their equivalence
- b. A Carnot heat engine receives 50 KJ of heat per cycle from a high temperature source at 652 degree celsius and rejects heat to a low temperature sink at 30 degree celsius. Determine the Carnot efficiency and the amount of heat rejected to the sink per cycle
- 3 a. Derive an expression for the air standard efficiency of Diesel cycle
- b. An engine working on the Otto cycle has a cylinder diameter of 150mm and stroke of 225mm. The clearance volume is $1.25 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$. Find the air standard efficiency. Take $\gamma = 1.4$
- 4 a. Explain the working of a four stroke C.I engine with a neat sketch
- b. Explain with the help of a neat sketch, a plain carburettor showing idling jet and choke. What is the function of choke?
- 5 a. Explain the terms:
 - i) saturation temperature
 - ii) Wet steam
 - iii) super heated steam
 - iv) dryness fraction
- b. Explain the working of a Babcock and Wilcox water tube boiler with a neat sketch
- 6 a. Explain the difference between impulse turbine and reaction turbine
- b. Explain the term 'compounding' in steam turbines. Discuss various methods of compounding steam turbines