

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING Paper I**Time Allowed: Three Hours****Maximum Marks: 200****INSTRUCTIONS**

Please read each of the following instructions carefully before attempting questions.

Candidates should attempt **FIVE** questions in all. Question No, 1 is compulsory.

Out of the remaining **SIX** questions attempt any **FOUR** questions.

The number of marks carried by a part of a question are indicated against it.

Answers must be written in **ENGLISH** only.

Assume suitable data, if necessary, and indicate the same clearly.

For air $R = 0.287 \text{ kJ/kg-K}$, $C_p = 1.005 \text{ kJ/kg-K}$, $\gamma = 1.4$, $M = 28.97 \text{ kg/kg-mole}$,
Universal gas constant $R = 8.314 \text{ kJ/kg mole-K}$.

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Neat sketches may be drawn, wherever required.

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A psychrometric chart is attached to this question paper for necessary use by the candidate.

1. (a) 3 kg of air at 1.50 bar pressure and 87°C temperature at condition 1 is compressed polytropically to condition 2 at pressure 7.50 bar. Index of compression being 1.2. It is then cooled at constant pressure in condition 3 and then finally heated at constant temperature to its original condition 1. Find the net work done and heat transferred. 20
(b) 500 kJ of heat is removed from a constant temperature heat reservoir maintained at 835K. The heat is received by a system at constant temperature of 720 K. The temperature of the surroundings, the lowest available temperature is 280K. Illustrate the problem by T-S diagram and calculate the heat loss of available energy as a result of this irreversible heat transfer. 20
2. (a) Discuss the importance of nuclear fuels and their properties required in the development of various nuclear power plants. 20
(b) A simple jet carburettor has to supply 5 kg of air per minute. The air is at a pressure of 1.013 bar and at a temperature of 27°C . Calculate the throat diameter of the choke for air flow velocity of 90 m/s. Take velocity coefficient to be 0.8. Assume isentropic flow. Assume the flow to be compressible. 20
3. (a) What are the advantages of using large capacity boilers? With neat sketches describe the operation of a Benson Boiler. 20
(b) In a steam power plant operating on Rankine cycle the steam enters the turbine at 70 bar and 550°C with a velocity of 30m/s. It discharges to the condenser at 0.20 bar with a velocity 90 m/s. If the steam flow rate is 35 kg/s find the thermal efficiency and the net power produced. 20
4. (a) Air is expanded reversibly and adiabatically in a nozzle from 13 bar and 150°C to a pressure of 6 bar. The inlet velocity of the nozzle is very small and the process occurs under steady state flow conditions Calculate the exit velocity of the nozzle. 20
(b) A gas turbine unit receives air at 1 bar and 300K and compresses it adiabatically to 6.20 bar. The compressor efficiency is 88%. The fuel has a heating value of 44186 kJ/kg and the fuel air ratio is 0.017 kg fuel/ kg of air. The turbine internal efficiency is 90%. Calculate the work of turbine and compressor per kg of air compressed and thermal efficiency. For products of combustion $C_p = 1.147 \text{ kJ/kg K}$. $\gamma = 1.333$. 20
5. (a) An air compressor has eight stages of equal pressure ratio 1.35. The flow rate through the compressor and its overall efficiency are 50kg/s and 82%

respectively. If the air enters the compressor at a pressure of 1.0 bar and temperature of 313K. Determine:

- (i) State of air at the exit of the compressor.
 - (ii) Polytropic or small stage efficiency.
 - (iii) Efficiency of each stage.
 - (iv) Power required to drive the compressor assuming the overall efficiency as 90%. 20
- (b) One stage of an impulse turbine consists of a converging nozzle ring and one ring of moving blades. The nozzles are inclined at 22° to the blades whose tip angles are both 35° . If the velocity of steam at exit from the nozzle is 660 m/s. Find the blade speed so that the steam shall pass on without shock. Find the diagram efficiency neglecting losses if the blades are run at this speed. 20
6. (a) Show that temperature distribution in a sphere of radius R , having a surface temperature of T_w , in which heat is generated at a uniform rate of q_g W/m^3 is given by:

$$[T(r) - T_w] = \frac{q_g R^2}{6k} \left(1 - \frac{r^2}{R^2}\right)$$

where, k is the thermal conductivity of the sphere material. 20

- (b) A chemical having specific heat of 3.3 kJ/kg K flowing at the rate of 20,000 kg/h enters a parallel flow heat exchanger at $120^\circ C$. The flow rate of cooling water is 50,000 kg/h with an inlet temperature of $20^\circ C$. The heat transfer area is 10 m^2 and the overall heat transfer coefficient is $1050 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{ K}$. Find the outlet temperatures of water and chemical and effectiveness of the heat exchanger. Take for water specific heat = 4.186 kJ/kgK. 20
7. (a) A refrigeration machine is required to produce ice at $0^\circ C$ from water at $20^\circ C$. The machine has a condenser temperature of 298 K while the evaporator temperature is 268 K. The relative efficiency of the machine is 50% and 6 kg of Freon-12 refrigerant is circulated through the system per minute. The refrigerant enters the compressor with a dryness fraction of 0.6. Specific heat of water is 4.187 kJ/kg. K and the latent heat of ice is 335 KJ/kg. Calculate the amount of ice produced in 24 hours. The table of properties of Freon-12 is given below: 20

Temperature	Liquid heat	Latent heat	Entropy of liquid
K	kJ/kg	kJ/kg	kJ/ kg K
298	59.7	138.0	0.2232
268	31.4	154.0	0.1251

- (b) A small auditorium is required to be maintained at $22^\circ C$ dry bulb temperature and 70% relative humidity. The ambient conditions are at $30^\circ C$ dry bulb temperature and 75% relative humidity. The amount of free air circulated is $200 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$. The required conditions are achieved by first cooling and dehumidifying through a cooling coil having apparatus dew point of $14^\circ C$ and then by heating. With the help of psychrometric chart find.
- (i) The cooling capacity of cooling coil in tons of refrigeration and its bypass factor.
 - (ii) The amount of water vapour removed by the cooling coil in kg/h.
 - (iii) Assuming the bypass factor as 0.2. determine the capacity of the heating coil in kW and its surface temperature. 20
8. (a) The velocity profile for laminar flow in the boundary layer of a flat plate is given by

$$\frac{u}{U} = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{y}{\delta}\right)$$

where, u is the velocity of fluid in the boundary layer at a vertical distance r

from the plate surface and U is the free stream velocity. Prove that the boundary layer thickness δ may be given by the expression

$$\delta = \frac{4.795x}{\text{Re}_x^{1/2}}$$

where Re_x is the Reynolds number of the fluid at a distance x from the leading edge of the plate. 20

- (b) A swimming pool 12m long and 7m wide holds water to a depth of 2m. If the water is discharged through an opening of area 0.2m^2 at the bottom of the pool, find the time required to empty the tank. Take coefficient of discharge for the opening as 0.6. 10
- (c) Give the range of specific speed values of the Kaplan, Francis turbines and Pelton wheels. What factors decide whether Kaplan, Francis or a Pelton wheel type turbine would be used in a hydro-electric project? 10

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING Paper II**Time Allowed: Three Hours****Maximum Marks: 200****INSTRUCTIONS**

Please read each of the following instructions carefully before attempting questions: Candidate should attempt **FIVE** questions in all. Question No. 1 in Section A is compulsory.

Out of the remaining, attempt **TWO** from Section-B and **TWO** from Section—C.

All questions carry equal marks. The number of marks carried by a part of a question is indicated against it.

Answer must be written in **ENGLISH** only.

Unless other-wise mentioned, symbols and notations have their usual standard meanings.

Neat sketches may be drawn, wherever required.

All parts and sub-parts of a question are to be attempted together in the answer book.

Attempts of questions shall be counted in chronological order. Unless struck off, attempt of a question shall be counted even if attempted partly.

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SECTION—A

1. Answer all 20 parts of the question each part carries 2 marks.
 - (a) State the conditions for a four-bar linkage to be called a Grashofs linkage and also when this linkage would become a double-crank mechanism.
 - (b) Define the coefficient of fluctuation of energy in case of a flywheel. How is it related to the coefficient of fluctuation of speed?
 - (c) What is hunting in a centrifugal governor? When does it occur?
 - (d) When can you say that a vibratory system is critically damped? How is critical damping coefficient related to mass (m) and spring constant (k) of the system?
 - (e) What is a Gyro? How is gyroscopic torque (T) related to spin velocity (ωS) and precession velocity (ωP)?
 - (f) State the fundamental law of gearing. State when the meshing surfaces can be called conjugate.
 - (g) Sketch international metric V-thread with flat root and express various dimensions in terms of pitch p .
 - (h) Distinguish between trilateral and bilateral tolerances.
 - (i) Define true stress and true strain in a simple tensile test. Express their relations with the corresponding nominal quantities.
 - (j) How is toughness different from resilience of a material? Give an example, where the former is more important.
 - (k) Static Distortion Energy Theory for failure.
 - (l) From the aspect of corrosion explain how a tin plated iron sheet is different from a galvanized iron sheet.
 - (m) Distinguish between the microstructures of pearlite and plate martensite formation.
 - (n) What effects are brought about by the following in plastics?
 - (i) Reinforcements (ii) Plasticizers
 - (o) What is the difference between austempering and ordinary tempering?
 - (p) What do you understand from machinability of a material? List any two properties, which have a bearing on machinability.
 - (q) Distinguish between electrochemical machining and electrochemical grinding.
 - (r) List any four factors, which determine a plant layout.
 - (s) What is ABC inventory system?
 - (t) Define the assignment problem and illustrate it by an example.

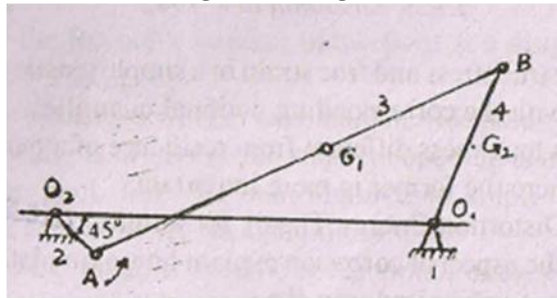
SECTION—B

2. (a) A steel shaft of 7.5 cm diameter has an aluminum disc of 30 cm outside diameter shrunk on it. The shrink allowance is 1 part per 1000. Find the tangential and radial stresses at the interface due to shrink-fit. Calculate also

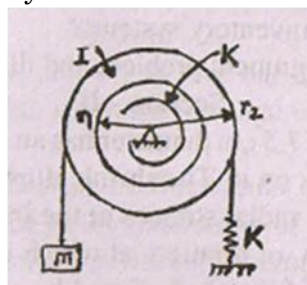
the r.p.m. of rotation, at which the shrink-fit loosens up.
 Neglect the expansion of the shaft caused by rotation. Take
 Poisson's ratio for both metals = 0.3
 E for steel = 210×10^3 MPa
 E for aluminum = 71×10^3 MPa
 Density of aluminum = 2.76 g/cm^3 . 20

- (b) A uniform beam of span L , and flexural rigidity EI is simply supported at its ends. It is carrying a load W at a distance b from the left hand support and subjected to an axial force P (compressive). Derive the expression for the deflection of the beam. What would be the deflection under the lateral load, when $b = L/2$? What is the critical value of P for which the deflection becomes very large? 20

3. (a) The crank of a four-bar mechanism shown in the above figure is balanced and rotating in anti-clockwise direction at a constant angular speed of 200 rad/sec. The particulars of the mechanism are $O_2A = 5 \text{ cm}$; $AB = 45 \text{ cm}$; $AG_3 = 22.5 \text{ cm}$; $O_4B = 20 \text{ cm}$; $O_4G_2 = 10 \text{ cm}$; $O_2O_4 = 35 \text{ cm}$; $W_3 = 1.2 \text{ kg}$; $W_4 = 3 \text{ kg}$; $I_3 = 68.6 \text{ kg cm}^2$; $I_4 = 550 \text{ kg cm}^2$. G_3 and G_4 are mass-centers of links 3 and 4. W_3 and W_4 their respective masses and I_3 ; I_4 their respective mass moment of inertia about their mass-centers. For the given angular position of the crank 2. Draw velocity and acceleration diagrams and find the angular accelerations of links 3 and 4. Determine also the forces acting at the pin-joints A, B and the external torque, which must be applied to link 2. Ignore the gravitation effects. 32



- (b) An integral pulley shown in the above figure is restrained in its movement about its own axis by a torsional spring of stiffness K and a linear spring of stiffness k . A load of mass m is hung from the smaller pulley by means of an inextensible string. Using D'Alembert's principle derive the equation of motion for small oscillations and determine the natural frequency. Take J as mass moment of inertia of the pulley about its axis. 8



4. (a) A single start square thread screw clamp is to be designed for a compressive load of 20 kN. The pad offers a friction torque of 30 Nm Calculate
 (i) the pitch and diameter of the screw;
 (ii) height of the nut and
 (iii) dimensions of the tommy bar operating the screw.
 Assume Maximum force at the end of the tommy bar = 250 N
 Safe compressive stress for the screw = 100 MPa
 Safe bearing pressure for the screw and nut = 8 MPa
 Safe bending stress in the handle = 95 MPa
 Coefficient of screw thread friction = 0.15. 20

- (b) A shaft running at 500 r.p.m. carries a pulley 100 cm diameter which drives another pulley in the same direction with a speed reduction of 2 : 1 by means of ropes. The drive transmits 250 HP. Angle of grooves is 40° . The distance between pulley centers is 200 cm. The coefficient of friction between the rope and pulley is 0.2 The rope weighs 1.2 kg/m and has a safe allowable stress of 175 N/cm^2 . It is recommended that the initial tension in the rope should not exceed 800 N. Find the number of ropes required and rope diameter. Calculate also the length of each rope. 20

SECTION—C

5. (a) Draw continuous-cooling-Transformation (C-C-T) diagram for aneutectoid steel and explain how the cooling rate affects the microstructure of the transformation products. 15
- (b) What properties are expected of the alloys used in bearings? Describe the role of hard particles and soft matrix in the functioning of a bearing alloy. 10
- (c) Machine components are received from two vendors. Vendor A supplies 75% of the components known to include 5% defective and Vendor B's supply of 25% components includes 10% defectives. When a sample of size 5 is inspected, only one defective component is found. By this information, determine the posterior probability that the components are delivered from Vendor A from Vendor B. 15
6. (a) Explain the difference between orthogonal and oblique cutting. In an orthogonal cutting process, the following observations were made:
 Depth of cut = 0.25 mm
 Chip thickness ratio = 0.45
 Width of cut = 4 mm
 Cutting velocity = 40 m/min
 Cutting force component parallel to cutting velocity vector = 1150 N
 Cutting force component normal to cutting velocity vector = 140 N
 Rake angle of the tool = 18°
 Determine resultant cutting force, power of cutting, shear plane angle, friction angle and force component parallel to shear plane. 16
- (b) List the various gear cutting processes. How are they classified? Describe with simple sketches the principle and working of a gear shaper. 12
- (c) How is the suitability of a sheet metal for deep drawing operation assessed? Discuss the effect of punch and die profile radii on the thickness changes, which occur during drawing and also their effect on maximum punch load. 12
7. (a) Two products are manufactured by passing sequentially through three machines. Time per machine allocated to the two products are limited to 10 hours per day. The production time and profit per unit of each product are:
- | Production Time (Minutes) | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| Product | Machine 1 | Machine 2 | Machine 3 | Profit (Rs) |
| 1 | 12 | 10 | 5 | 20 |
| 2 | 4 | 8 | 10 | 30 |
- (i) Find the optimal mix of the two products using Simplex Method.
 (ii) Identify the machine (s) with abundant capacity at the optimum solution.
 (iii) For each machine with full utilization, determine the worth per unit increase in its capacity.
 (iv) Which of the three machines should be given highest priority for capacity increase. 20
- (b) What are essential components of Production Planning? Explain them with simple examples. 12
- (c) Write briefly on
 (i) Surface integrity of machined parts.
 (ii) Value engineering. 8