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REFRIGERATION AND AIR CONDITIONING

(MECH)

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 70]

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 20 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART-A

(20 Marks)

1. a) What are the applications of refrigerators? [2M]
- b) Differentiate between the open air and dense air refrigeration systems. [2M]
- c) Explain the importance of superheating vapors before suction to compressor. [2M]
- d) What are the differences between ideal and actual VCRS? [2M]
- e) How do you nomenclature to a refrigerant? [2M]
- f) What are the reasons for the Ozone depletion? [2M]
- g) Under what situation, the vapor absorption system of refrigeration is preferred to vapor compression system of refrigeration? [2M]
- h) Describe the working principle of three fluid VARS. [2M]
- i) State the factors that determine human comfort. [2M]
- j) What is the role played by deodorants in an air-conditioning system? [2M]

PART-B

(50 Marks)

2. A refrigerating machine of 6 TR capacity working on Bell-Coleman cycle has an upper limit of pressure of 5.2 bar. The pressure and temperature at the start of compression are 1 bar and 16°C respectively. The compressed air is cooled at constant pressure to a temperature of 41°C, enters the expansion cylinder. Assuming both expansion and compression processes to be isentropic with $\gamma=1.4$. Calculate: (i) Coefficient of Performance; (ii) Quantity of air in circulation per minute; (iii) Piston displacement of compressor and expander; (iv) Bore of compressor and expansion cylinders. The unit runs at 240 rpm and is double acting. Stroke length is 200 mm; and (v) Power required to drive the unit. For air, take $C_p = 1.005 \text{ kJ/kg K}$. [10M]

OR

3. Draw p-V and T-s diagrams of actual air refrigeration system and discuss the salient points. [10M]
4. Explain the important components required for the operation of simple vapour compression refrigeration system. [10M]

OR

5. A simple vapor compression cycle using F-12 is designed to take a load of 10 TR. Ambient is at 30°C and refrigerator is at 0°C. A minimum temperature of -5°C is required in evaporator. Find the mass flow rate through the system, power required in kW, cylinder dimensions assuming $L/D=1.2$ for a single cylinder single acting compressor running at 300 rpm if volumetric efficiency= 90%. [10M]

6. What is hermetically sealed compressor? Explain its features and advantages over ordinary compressors. [10M]

OR

7. Explain the desirable physical and chemical properties of better refrigerant used for the operation of vapour compression refrigeration system. [10M]

8. With proper representation on T-s and h-s diagrams, explain the working of Steam-Jet Refrigeration System. [10M]

OR

9. Derive the equation for the estimation of max COP of vapour absorption refrigeration system and how does it affect with the generator temperature? [10M]

10. What is the need of ventilation air in the air conditioning system? Discuss the method to supply the ventilation air. [10M]

11. Eighteen grams of moisture per kg of dry air is removed from atmospheric air when it is passed through an air-conditioning system and its temperature becomes 26°C . The atmospheric conditions are 42°C DBT and 70% R.H. Find (i) Relative humidity, (ii) wet-bulb temperature and (iii) dew-point temperature. Take atmospheric air pressure as 1.01325 bar. [10M]
