

**SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR**  
(AUTONOMOUS)

**M.Tech I Year I Semester Regular & Supplementary Examinations February-2025**  
**THERMODYNAMICS AND COMBUSTION**

(Thermal Engineering)

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 60**

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

**UNIT-I**

- 1 Derive an energy balance relation for a reacting closed system undergoing a quasi-equilibrium constant pressure expansion or compression process. CO1 L3 12M

OR

- 2 Air at 5000 kPa and 300 K is flowing through a pipeline. An evacuated and insulated cylinder of volume 0.1 m<sup>3</sup> is connected to the pipeline through a valve. The valve is opened and the cylinder is filled with air till the pressure in the cylinder reaches the line pressure. The valve is then closed. Assuming that the air behaves like an ideal gas with  $k=1.4$ , determine the temperature of the air in the cylinder at the end of the filling operation and the mass of air that is filled in the cylinder. CO1 L5 12M

**UNIT-II**

- 3 a One kmol of octane  $C_8H_{18}$  is burned with air that contains 20kmol of  $O_2$ . Assuming the product contains only  $CO_2$ ,  $H_2O$ ,  $O_2$  and  $N_2$ , determine the mol number of each gas in the products and the air-fuel ratio for this combustion process. CO2 L5 6M
- b How does the presence of  $N_2$  in air affects the outcome of a combustion process. What does the dew point temperature of the product gases represent? How it is determined? CO2 L1 6M

OR

- 4 Acetylene  $C_2H_2$  is burned with stoichiometric amount of air during a combustion process, assume complete combustion determine air-fuel ratio on a mass basis and on a mole basis. CO2 L5 12M

**UNIT-III**

- 5 A gases fuel with 80%  $CH_4$ , 15 percent  $N_2$  and 5 percent  $O_2$  is burned with dry air that enters the combustion chamber at 25 degree and 100kpa. The volumetric analysis of the product on a dry basis is 3.36%  $CO_2$ , 0.09%  $CO$ , 14.91%  $O_2$  and 81.64%  $N_2$ . Determine the air-fuel ratio, percent theoretical air used, volume flow rate and air used to burn fuel at a rate of 1.4kg/min. CO3 L5 12M

OR

- 6 Octane  $C_8H_{18}$  is burned with 250% theoretical air, which enters the combustion chamber at 25 degree C, assuming complete combustion and a total pressure of 1 atm, determine air-fuel ratio and dew point temperature of the product. CO3 L5 12M

**UNIT-IV**

7 Explain with neat sketch of air aspiration gas burner. CO4 L2 12M

**OR**

8 Design an burner which uses gas as a fuel and the flow rate of oil is 20cc per minute. CO4 L6 12M

**UNIT-V**

9 Describe thermo-ionic energy system with neat sketch and list out the materials use in it. CO4 L2 12M

**OR**

10 Design an solar power panal using PV CELL to operate an pump motor of capacity 7HP runs continuously for 4 hours at full load condition and the s total ead id 20m. CO4 L6 12M

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