

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
MEC803	Power Engineering	4

Objectives

1. To study boilers, boiler mountings and accessories
2. To study utilization of thermal and hydraulic energy
3. To study gas turbine and its applications

Outcomes: Learner will be able to...

1. Compute heat interactions in combustion of reactive mixtures
2. Differentiate boilers, boiler mountings and accessories
3. Calculate boiler efficiency and assess boiler performance
4. Demonstrate working cycles of gas turbines
5. Draw velocity triangles of impulse/reaction turbines and calculate performance parameters/efficiency
6. Demonstrate basic working of pumps

Module	Detailed Contents	Hrs.
01	Combustion of Reactive Mixtures Combustion reactions, Stoichiometric A/F ratio, Actual A/F ratio, Heat of combustion, Enthalpy of formation, First law of reactive system, Adiabatic flame temperature.	04
02	Steam Generators Fire tube and Water tube boiler, Low pressure and high pressure boilers, once through boiler, examples, and important features of HP boilers, Mountings and accessories, Equivalent evaporation of boilers, Boiler performance, Boiler efficiency Steam Turbine- Basic of steam turbine, Classification, compounding of turbine, Impulse turbine – velocity diagram, Condition for max efficiency Reaction turbine - velocity diagram, degree of reaction, Parson's turbine, Condition for maximum efficiency	12
03	Gas Turbines Applications of gas turbine, Actual Brayton cycle, open and closed cycle gas turbine, methods to improve efficiency and specific output, open cycle with intercooling, reheat, and regeneration, Effect of operating variable on thermal efficiency and work ratio	05
04	Jet Propulsion Engines Classification of jet propulsion engines, Thrust, Thrust power, Propulsive efficiency and thermal efficiency, Afterburner, Introduction to Turbojet, Turbofan, Ram jet, Turboprop and Rocket engine	05
05	Impact of Jets: Impact of jet on flat and curved plates Water Turbines: Types of hydro turbines - impulse and reaction, definition of various turbine parameters like gross head, discharge, work done, input power, output power, efficiencies etc., Eulers' equation applied to a turbine, turbine velocities and velocity triangles, expression for work done. Impulse Turbine: Components of Pelton turbine, definition of design parameters like speed ratio, jet ratio, and estimation of various parameters like head, discharge, and efficiency etc., determination of number of buckets. Reaction Turbines: Types of reaction turbines - inward and outward flow, radial mixed and axial; elements of the turbine, estimation of various parameters	12
06	Pumps Classification of pumps - positive displacement and non - positive displacement Positive Displacement pumps: Types and applications, general features of rotary pumps, general feature of reciprocating pumps, definition of head, discharge, work done and efficiency, types of reciprocating pumps, indicator diagram, use of air vessel. Centrifugal Pumps	10

	Types - radial flow, mixed flow and axial flow, Priming of pumps, components of the pump, Euler's equation and velocity triangles, correction factors for the head, design constant e.g., head constant, flow constant etc., self-priming pumps, series and parallel operation of pumps, system curve for branch network, determination of operating point, Cavitation in pumps, Determination of available and required NPSH	
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Assessment:

Internal Assessment for 20 marks:

Consisting Two Compulsory Class Tests

First test based on approximately 40% of contents and second test based on remaining contents (approximately 40% but excluding contents covered in Test I)

End Semester Examination:

Weightage of each module in end semester examination will be proportional to number of respective lecture hours mentioned in the curriculum.

1. Question paper will comprise of total **six questions, each carrying 20 marks**
2. **Question 1** will be **compulsory** and should **cover maximum contents of the curriculum**
3. **Remaining questions will be mixed in nature** (for example if Q.2 has part (a) from module 3 then part (b) will be from any module other than module 3)
4. Only **Four questions need to be solved**

Reference Books:

1. Thermal Engineering, R K. Rajput, Laxmi Publication
2. Thermal Engineering, Kothandraman, Domkundwar, Khajuria, Arora, Dhanpatrai & Sons
3. Steam and gas turbine, R Yadav.
4. Fluid Mechanics and Machinery, C P S Ojha, Chandramouli and R Berndtsson, Oxford University Press
5. Fluid Mechanics and Hydraulic Machinery, Modi and Seth, Standard Book House
6. Hydraulic Machinery, Jagdish Lal
7. Hydraulic Machines, R K Rajput, S.Chand Publication