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MMTP - 204 M.E./M.Tech., II Semester

Examination, June 2016

Steam and Gas Turbine

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Draw neat diagrams wherever required.

- 1. a) Describe the operating principles of steam turbines.
 - State the functions of each component of the steam turbine.
- 2. a) Discuss the role of Inter-cooling, and Reheat on the performance of steam turbines.
 - Explain various energy losses in steam turbines along with their remedies.
- 3. Determine the air and kerosene flow rates for a 100-MW regenerative gas turbine with 1800K turbine inlet temperature, compressor pressure ratio of 5, and 1 atm. and 300k ambient conditions. The compressor and turbine efficiencies are 81% and 88%, respectively, and the heat exchanger effectiveness is 75%. Use a heating value for kerosene of 45,840kJ/kg. What is the engine specific fuel consumption?
- 4. a) Briefly discuss various stages of pressure losses in gas turbines.
 - b) Compare constant pressure and constant volume gas turbine cycles.

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5. a) Discuss working principle of turbo-jet and turbo propulsion systems.

 Explain the recent trends in turbine sizes and specifications.

- 6. A simple-cycle stationary gas turbine has compressor and turbine efficiencies of 0.85 and 0.9, respectively, and a compressor pressure ratio of 20. Determine the work of the compressor and the turbine, the net work, the turbine exit temperature, and the thermal efficiency for 20°C ambient and 1200°C turbine inlet temperatures.
- 7. An aircraft flies at a speed of 250m/s at an altitude of 5000m. The engines operate at a compressor pressure ratio of 8, with a turbine inlet temperature of 1200K. The compressor and turbine efficiencies are 0.9 and 0.87, respectively, and there is a 4% pressure loss in the combustion chamber. The inlet total pressure recovery is 0.97, and the engine-mass flow rate is 100kg/s. Use an engine mechanical efficiency of 0.99 and a fuel heating value of 43,000kJ/kg. Assume that the engine has a convergent, isentropic, nozzle flow. Determine the nozzle exit area, the engine thrust, specific thrust, fuel flow rate, and thrust specific fuel consumption.
- 8. Write short notes on the following (Any Two)
 - a) Constant volume cycles
 - b) Heat accumulators
 - c) Gas turbine efficiency

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