KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

B.Tech (Food.Engg) 2012 Admission IInd Semester Final Examination- July -2013

Cat. No: Meen.1203
Title: Engineering Thermodynamics (2+1)

Marks: 80 Time: 3 hours

I. Fill up the blanks / state True or False/ define

[10x1=10]

- 1. The sum of ----is enthalpy.
- 2. Universal gas constant is -----
- 3. The ratio of specific heats of gas at constant pressure to constant volume is ------
- 4. ————law states that the internal energy of a gas is a function of temperature.
- 5. Carnot cycle has maximum efficiency.
- 6. Barometric pressure is equal to 760mm of mercury.
- 7. Heat and work are path function.
- 8. Define internal energy.
- 9. Define second law of Thermodynamics.
- 10. Define dryness fraction.

II. Write short notes/answer on ANY TEN.

[10x3=30]

- 1. State the zeroth law of thermodynamics and explain it.
- A gas occupies 0.35cubic meter at a pressure of 1kg/sqcm. Find the work done on the gas, if it is compressed isothermally to a pressure of16kg/sqcm.
- 3. What is a reversible thermodynamic process?
- Explain the concept of entropy. Deduce the expression for the entropy for a monatomic gas.
- 5. Write short notes on closed system and open system.
- 6. Differentiate work and heat.
- 7. Differentiate isothermal and isentropic process.
- 8. Distinguish between a perfect gas and real gas.
- 9. Show that the change in entropy of a substance in a cyclic process is zero.
- 10. Write the methods for producing compressed air.
- 11. Explain what do you mean by degree of freedom.
- 12. What do you mean by staging of compressor.

III. Answer ANY SIX

[6x5=30]

- 1. Write the importance of steam table and represent the various properties.
- 2. Hundred liters of air at 1.0kg/sqcm absolute and 30°C is heated at constant pressure until its temperature is 100°C and then it is compressed to to 40 liters according to the law Pv^{1.2} = constant. Find the change in entropy of each stage and of the system. R=29.3 and Cp =0.24.
- Explain the working of an inter stage air cooler in multistage compressor.
- 4. 1.0 kg of steam initially dry saturated at 11.0kg/ sq. cm expands in a cylinder following the law pv 1.13 = constant. The pressure at the end of the expansion is 1.0kg/ sq cm. Determine a) final volume b) final dryness fraction c)work done d)the change in internal energy.
- 5. Explain the working of an Otto cycle and deduce the formula for its efficiency.
- 6. Derive the expression for work done during the adiabatic process.
- 7. What is a compressor and explain different types of it.
- Deduce from the kinetic theory of gases, an expression for the pressure of a gas. Also prove that PV = RT
- iv. Answer ANY ONE only.

[1x10=10]

- Derive the expression for the efficiency of Diesel engine.
- Calculate the work done in a Carnot cycle. Deduce the efficiency of carnot engine in terms of temperatures between it works.