

KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

B. Tech. (Agrl. Engg.) 2019 Admission V Semester Final Examination – January 2022

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Refrigeration and Air Conditioning (2+1)

Marks: 50 Time: 2 hours

I State True or False

(10x1=10)

- 1. The amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one pound of substance through one degree Fahrenheit is called specific heat of the substance.
- 2. Heat and work are not mutually convertible.
- 3. The temperature recorded by a thermometer is known as dry bulb temperature.
- 4. Enthalpy is total heat content in a body or substance.
- 5. Heat can flow from lower level to higher level without the aid of an external agency.
- 6. Trapped air from refrigeration system is allowed to escape by using purging valve.
- 7. Chemical name of carbon dioxide is R-717.
- 8. Colour code of discharge line in Ammonia vapour compression refrigeration system is red.
- 9. Evaporative type of condensers are used in most of the Ammonia refrigeration plant.
- 10. Condenser is a place where heat exchange takes place and products gets frozen.

II Write short notes on ANY FIVE of the following

(5x2=10)

- 1. Thermodynamic properties.
- 2. Thermodynamic cycle.
- 3. Entropy and Enthalpy.
- 4. Air-cooled condensers.
- 5. Automatic expansion valve.
- 6. Reciprocating compressor.
- 7. Ducts.

III Answer ANY FIVE of the following

(5x4=20)

- 1. With the help of a diagram explain the working mechanism of vapour compression refrigeration system.
- 2. Give the classification of evaporator. Explain flooded type of evaporator used in ammonia refrigeration plant.
- 3. Give the classification of condensers. Explain shell and tube condenser.
- 4. Give the classification of air conditioning system. Explain summer air conditioning system.
- 5. Explain the important terms used in psychrometric chart and its uses.
- 6. Explain primary refrigerants with examples.
- 7. Explain the application of refrigeration and air conditioning in food industry

IV Write an essay on ANY ONE of the following

(1x10=10)

- 1. Explain the working mechanism, principle parts and differences between vapour absorption refrigeration system over vapour compression refrigeration system.
- 2. Discuss the different types of heat loads which have to be taken in to account in order to estimate the total heat load of freezing plant.
