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**B.Tech.(ME) (Sem-3)**  
**APPLIED THERMODYNAMICS-I**  
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Time : 3 Hrs.

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**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :**

1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.
4. Use of steam tables is allowed.

## SECTION-A

**1. Answer briefly :**

- Why excess air is supplied for combustion?
- What are Octane and Cetane numbers?
- Differentiate between conventional and high pressure boilers.
- Why 2-Stroke engines have been phased out?
- What is degree of reaction?
- Explain clearly the equivalent evaporation from and at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- What is Dryness Fraction, how it is evaluated?
- What do you mean by the stage efficiency and overall efficiency of Impulse turbine?
- What is bleeding and for what is this carried out?
- What is the use of Cooling Tower in Steam Power Plant?

## SECTION-B

2. Calculate the minimum quantity of air required for complete combustion of  $1\text{ m}^3$  of gaseous fuel which has the following composition by volume :  $\text{H}_2=30\%$ ,  $\text{CH}_4=40\%$ ,  $\text{CO}=15\%$ ,  $\text{CO}_2=5\%$ ,  $\text{O}_2=2\%$  and  $\text{N}_2=8\%$ .
3. Describe construction and working of any one High Pressure Boiler with a neat sketch.
4. What is the need of Compounding of Turbines? Explain methods of compounding of Impulse Turbine.
5. What is the effect of air leakage in a condenser? Explain. Explain the working of air extraction pump with a neat sketch.
6. Derive an expression for evaluating Height of Chimney.

## SECTION-C

7. A five stage steam turbine has steam entering at 20 bar,  $300^\circ\text{C}$  and leaving at 0.05 bar and 0.95 dry. Determine the Reheat factor, condition of steam at exit from each stage considering efficiency ratio ( $\eta_s$ ) = 0.555 and all stages doing equal work.
8. A steam nozzle is supplied with steam at 15 bar and  $350^\circ\text{C}$  and discharges steam at 1 bar. If the diverging portion of nozzle is 80 mm long and throat diameter is 6 mm, Determine the cone angle of the divergent portion. Assume 12% of total available enthalpy drop is lost in friction in divergent portion. Also determine the velocity and temperature of steam at throat.
9. Write short notes on following :  
  
(a) Describe the phenomenon of detonation in I.C. engines. On what factors does detonation depend? (b) Binary Vapour Power Cycle (c) Adiabatic Saturation process and its applications.

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