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**Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2015**  
**Marine Heat Engine and Air-Conditioning**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

**Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting  
atleast TWO questions from each part.**

**PART – A**

- 1 a. Explain working principle of impulse turbine and draw velocity compounding of impulse turbine. (10 Marks)
- b. A steam jet enters the row of blades with velocity of 375 m/s at an angle of  $20^\circ$  with direction of motion of the moving blades, if the blade speed is 165 m/s, find the suitable inlet and outlet blade angles assuming that there is no thrust on blades, the velocity of steam passing over the blades is reduced by 15%, also determine power developed by the turbine per kg of steam flowing over the blades per second. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. Draw and describe Parson's Reaction Turbine. Also draw velocity diagram for Parson's Reaction Turbine. (10 Marks)
- b. A Parson's turbine runs at 400rpm with 50% reaction and it develops 75kW of power per unit mass of steam flow per second. The exit angle of blade is  $20^\circ$  and the steam velocity is 1.4 times the blade velocity, find: i) Blade velocity; ii) Inlet angle of blade. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Derive efficiency of Rankine cycle in terms of temperature and latent heat at supply pressure. (10 Marks)
- b. In a steam power plant operating on ideal Rankine cycle, steam enters the turbine at 20-bar with an enthalpy of 3248 kJ/kg and an entropy of 7.127 kJ/kg K the condenser pressure is 0.1 bar. Find Rankine efficiency and specific steam consumption in kg/kw hr. Do not neglect pump work. (10 Marks)
- 4 a. Derive binary vapour cycle and its effect on thermal efficiency. (12 Marks)
- b. Explain about combined steam and gas plant. (08 Marks)

**PART – B**

- 5 a. Write down merits and demerits of gas turbine plants. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain with a sketch constant volume or explosion cycle gas turbine plant. (12 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain working principle of centrifugal compression. (08 Marks)
- b. Sketch and describe multi-stage centrifugal compressor. (12 Marks)
- 7 a. Sketch a marine refrigerant plant and describe briefly any four important factors involved in this process. (12 Marks)
- b. Explain process refrigeration in liquefied gas carriers. (08 Marks)
- 8 a. Explain with a neat sketch principle of air conditioning. (14 Marks)
- b. Write down psychometric properties of air-comfort conditions. (06 Marks)

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