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Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept.2020
Automotive Engineering

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. Explain with sketch various methods of cylinder arrangements used in multicylinder engines. (08 Marks)
- b. What are the various methods of engine cooling? Explain with sketch the thermosyphon system of cooling. (06 Marks)
- c. What are the functions of piston rings? Explain briefly. (06 Marks)
- 2 a. What is meant by carburetion? What are the functions of carburetor? (06 Marks)
- b. What are the main components of a Fuel Supply System? Explain any two in both SI and CI engines. (08 Marks)
- c. Draw a neat sketch of mechanical fuel pump and explain its working. (06 Marks)
- 3 a. What is the necessity of super-charging? Explain briefly. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain the different types of super-chargers. (08 Marks)
- c. Compare Mechanical Super Charging and Turbo-Charging. (06 Marks)
- 4 a. Explain with a neat sketch, working of a battery ignition system. (08 Marks)
- b. What are the advantages of using an electronic ignition system? (06 Marks)
- c. Compare battery and magneto ignition system. (06 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Explain principles of automotive transmission. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain the working principle of clutch and with neat sketch, explain centrifugal clutch. (08 Marks)
- c. Determine the dimensions of a clutch plate developing 40 K Watts at 4000 rpm. The inner diameter of the clutch plate is 0.6 times its outer diameter and it is to be ensured that even after a loss of 30% of the engine torque developed due to clutch facing wear, it should not slip. The pressure intensity should not exceed 75 kPa. Take $\mu = 0.3$. (06 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain with neat sketch: (i) Hotchkiss drive (ii) Torque tube drive (08 Marks)
- b. Explain the working of power steering with a sketch. What are the advantages and disadvantages over manual steering? (06 Marks)
- c. Write a short note on different types of Chasis Frame. (06 Marks)
- 7 a. What are the requirements of good suspension system? (06 Marks)
- b. What are the merits and demerits of hydraulic brakes over mechanical brakes? (06 Marks)
- c. Sketch and explain the two types of dual braking system. (08 Marks)
- 8 a. By what methods the emissions of pollutants in automobiles can be reduced? Explain briefly. (06 Marks)
- b. Write a note on alternative fuels for automotive engines. (04 Marks)
- c. Explain emissions standard which are followed in India. (05 Marks)
- d. Explain the working of Automotive Exhaust Gas Recirculation System EGR). (05 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.