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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09)

OCT/NOV—2017

DME—FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

THERMAL ENGINEERING-II

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer all questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** State the purpose of lubrication in IC engine.
- 2. List the objectives of supercharging in IC engines.
- **3.** Write the use of intercooler in air compressor.
- **4.** State the fundamental difference between rocket propulsion and turbo-jet propulsion.
- **5.** Write the functions of a propeller shaft.
- **6.** Write the advantages of artificial draught system than natural draught system.
- 7. List various types of safety valve used in a boiler.

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- 8. Briefly explain what is meant by critical pressure ratio.
- **9.** Briefly explain why a condensing turbine is more efficient than non-condensing turbine.
- **10.** Write the necessity of compounding of steam turbines.

PART—B 10×5=50

Instructions : (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. Explain the working of Zenith carburettor with neat sketch.
- **12.** (a) Define the following efficiencies with reference to an IC engine :
 - (i) Brake-thermal efficiency
 - (ii) Indicated-thermal efficiency
 - (iii) Mechanical efficiency
 - (iv) Efficiency ratio
 - (v) Volumetric efficiency
 - (b) Derive the condition of maximum blade efficiency in a singlestage impulse turbine.
- **13.** (a) Describe with a neat sketch the working of a centrifugal compressor.
 - (b) How does the pressure change take place in impeller and in diffuser of the centrifugal compressor?
- **14.** (*a*) Explain with a neat sketch the working of a constant volume combustion gas turbine.
 - (b) State the merits of gas turbines over IC engines.

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- **15**. What do you mean by weight transfer? How does it occur when the brakes are applied suddenly?
- **16.** Describe Benson boiler with the help of neat line sketch and also mention its advantages.
- 17. A nozzle is to be supplied with steam at 10 bar and 200 °C and is to discharge 180 kg per hour into a turbine wheel chamber where the pressure is 1 bar. The efficiency of the nozzle may be taken as 85%. Calculate the throat and exit diameters of the nozzle for maximum discharge. Neglect the air initial velocity to the nozzle. Take, R = 0.287 kJ/kg-K and $C_p = 1.005 \text{ kJ/kg-K}$.
- **18.** Steam issues from the nozzle of a single-impulse turbine at 800 m/sec on to blades moving at 300 m/sec. The blade tip angles at inlet and outlet are 36° each. The steam is to enter the blades without shock and the flow over the blades is frictionless. Determine—
 - (a) the angle at which the nozzles are inclined to the motion of the blades;
 - (b) diagram efficiency.

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