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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-16) AUGUST/SEPTEMBER—2021

DME - FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

HYDRAULICS AND FLUID POWER CONTROL SYSTEMS

Time: 3 hours] [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

- 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. Calculate the mass density, specific weight and specific volume of a fluid having specific gravity 0.8.
 - 2. Write any three limitations of Bernoulli's theorem.
 - 3. Define HGL and TEL.
 - 4. Derive an expression for the force exerted by water jet on a fixed vertical plate.
- 5. Define specific speed of a turbine.
 - 6. What is negative slip? When it happens in reciprocating pumps?
 - 7. List the basic components of OH power system in a hydraulic circuit.
 - 8. Distinguish between hydraulics and pneumatics.
 - 9. List any six areas of application of pneumatic power systems.
 - State the functions of filter. 10.

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PART—B 10×5=50

Instructions: (1) Answer *any* five questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. Explain how pressure is measured by inverted U-tube differential manometer when different fluids flow through in two pipes.
- 12. The diameter of a pipe changes gradually from 150 mm at point A to 100 mm at point B which are situated at 20 m and 16 m respectively above the datum. The pressure at A is 0.2 N/mm² and velocity of flow at A is 1.1 m/sec. Neglecting the losses between A and B, determine the pressure at B in bars.
- 13. Water flows through a pipe of 200 mm diameter and 60 m long with velocity of 2.5 m/sec. Find the loss of head due to friction by using the following:
 - (a) Darcy's formula, f = 0.005
 - (b) Chezy's formula, C = 55
- 14. A jet of water at 30 m/sec flows over a curved vane moving with a velocity of 10 m/sec. The jet makes an angle of 23° at inlet with the direction of motion of vane and 130° while leaving. Determine (a) blade angles at inlet and outlet, (b) work done per kg of water and (c) efficiency.
- 15. Describe the working of Kaplan turbine with neat sketch.
- 16. A single acting single cylinder reciprocating pump has a plunger diameter 600 mm, stroke 360 mm, speed 75 r.p.m., static lift 12 m and discharge 6872 lt/min. Determine (a) coefficient of discharge, (b) slip and (c) power required, if pump efficiency is 80%.
 - 17. Explain the working of pressure compensated flow control valve.
 - 18. Describe the working of lubricator with neat sketch.

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