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BE- SEMESTER-III EXAMINATION – WINTER 2025

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Subject Name: Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics I

Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

- Q.1** (a) The potential energy of a body of mass 10 kg is 1.5 kJ. What is the height of the body from the ground? **03**
- (b) Define intensive properties and extensive properties. State whether these properties are intensive or extensive: pressure, temperature, volume, specific volume, and density. **04**
- (c) With a neat sketch, explain the PVT behavior of pure substance using PT and PV diagrams. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Explain procedure to calculate compressibility factor (z) using Pitzer correlations for the compressibility factor. **03**
- (b) Explain three-parameter theorem of corresponding states. **04**
- (c) Water at 368 K is pumped from a storage tank at the rate of 25 m³/h. The motor for the pump supplies work at the rate of 2 hp. The water passes through a heat exchanger, where it gives up heat at the rate of 42000 kJ/min and is delivered to a second storage tank at an elevation of 20 m above the first tank. Calculate the temperature of the water delivered to the second storage tank? Assume that the enthalpy of water is zero at 273 K and the specific heat of water is constant at 4.2 kJ/kg K. **07**
- OR**
- (c) Derive energy balance equation for steady state flow process. **07**
- Q.3** (a) An ideal gas is heated in a closed system at a constant volume from 300 K and 1 bar to a pressure of 2 bar in a reversible process. Determine the heat and work effects. Assume $C_p = 29.3$ kJ/kmol K. **03**
- (b) Given that latent heat of vaporization of water at 100°C is 2257 J g⁻¹, estimate latent heat at 300°C using Watson equation. Critical temperature for water, $T_c = 647.1$ K **04**
- (c) For van der Waals equation of state prove that $a = \frac{27 R^2 T_c^2}{64 P_c}$, $b = \frac{1 R T_c}{8 P_c}$ **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Determine the change in entropy when 2 kg of a gas at 277 K is heated at constant volume to a temperature of 368 K. Take the specific heat at constant volume = 1.42 kJ/kg K. **03**
- (b) With neat sketch explain: (1) Pressure-Enthalpy diagram, and (2) Mollier diagram. **04**
- (c) Explain Mnemonic diagram for thermodynamic property relation. Write down fundamental property relations and Maxwell equations for homogeneous fluid of constant composition using Mnemonic diagram. **07**

- Q.4** (a) Explain Hess's law of constant heat summation. **03**
- (b) From a reservoir at 600 K, 1000 J of heat is transferred to an engine that operates on the Carnot cycle. The engine rejects heat to a reservoir at 300 K. Determine the thermal efficiency of the cycle and the work done by the engine. **04**
- (c) Define standard heat of reaction and standard heat of combustion. Calculate the standard heat of combustion of n-pentane gas at 298.15 K (25°C) if the combustion products are H₂O(l) and CO₂(g)? For n-C₅H₁₂, H₂O(l) and CO₂(g) values of ΔH_{f298}° are -146760, -285830 and -393509 J/mol respectively. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) State general statements for the second law of thermodynamics. **03**
- (b) Calculate the heat of formation of chloroform (CHCl₃) with the following given data: **04**
- (a) $\text{CHCl}_3(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2} \text{O}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 3\text{HCl}(\text{g}); \Delta H_{298}^{\circ} = -509.93 \text{ kJ}$
- (b) $\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2} \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}); \Delta H_{298}^{\circ} = -296.03 \text{ kJ}$
- (c) $\text{C}(\text{s}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}); \Delta H_{298}^{\circ} = -393.78 \text{ kJ}$
- (d) $\frac{1}{2} \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2} \text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{HCl}; \Delta H_{298}^{\circ} = -167.57 \text{ kJ}$
- (c) Explain PV and TS diagram showing Carnot cycle for ideal gas. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Write a short note on residual properties. **03**
- (b) With H-S diagram explain adiabatic compression process. **04**
- (c) Water flowing upward through a vertical pipe enters a reducer with a velocity of 1 m s⁻¹. The diameters at the entrance and exit of the reducer are 0.2 m and 0.1 m respectively. If the pressure at the entrance to the section is 105 kPa, what is the pressure at the exit given that the entrance and exit are 5 m apart? **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Determine the increase in entropy of solid magnesium when the temperature is increased from 300 K to 800 K at atmospheric pressure. The heat capacity is given by the following relation: **03**
- $C_p = 26.04 + 5.586 \times 10^{-3} T + 28.476 \times 10^{-4} T^{-2}$
where C_p is in J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ and temperature in K.
- (b) Derive an equation for the Coefficient of performance (ω) of Carnot refrigeration cycle. **04**
- (c) With neat diagram explain Claude liquefaction process. **07**
