

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- SEMESTER-VII (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2024

Subject Code:3171919

Date:30-11-2024

Subject Name:Cryogenics Engineering

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)** Explain the significance of the strength to conductivity ratio as related to the properties of metals at cryogenic temperatures. **03**
- (b)** Discuss the variations of ductility and hardness properties of material at cryogenic temperature. **04**
- (c)** Discuss the constructions of Multi Layer Insulation. How all the modes of heat transfer would get controlled in MLI. State its application also. **07**
- Q-2 (a)** Discuss the Physiological hazards associated with cryogen. **03**
- (b)** For helium-II discuss the phenomenon like fountain effect and roll-in effect. **04**
- (c)** Describe the safety precautions to be taken during handling cryogen in industry. **07**
- OR**
- (c)** With neat sketch explain the horizontal dewar vessels for cryogenic fluid storage. **07**
- Q-3 (a)** Explain in detail about on cryotones. **03**
- (b)** How cryogenic engineering is useful in the field of food preservation? **04**
- (c)** Write note on space simulation chamber. **07**
- OR**
- Q-3 (a)** What do you mean by superconductivity and superconductive material? **03**
- (b)** How cryogenic engineering is useful in the field of metal forming and improving the properties of materials? **04**
- (c)** Discuss the application of cryogenics in nuclear propulsions and chemical propulsions. **07**
- Q-4 (a)** Write the important properties to be considered for selection of insulation. **03**
- (b)** Explain the merits and demerits of Opacified powder cryogenic insulations along with their applications. **04**
- (c)** Discuss liquid level measurement in cryogenic range. **07**
- OR**
- Q-4 (a)** Critically discuss the Vacuum alone as insulation. **03**
- (b)** Compare the following insulations with their advantages and disadvantages. **04**
1. Expanded form 2. Gas-filled powder and fibrous materials.
- (c)** How the pressure measurement at low temperature is differ from pressure measurement at room temperature? Briefly discuss how will you carry out the measurement at low temperature? **07**

- Q-5 (a)** Explain transfer of cryogenic fluid. **03**
(b) What is COP and FOM in cryogenic refrigeration system? **04**
(c) Explain the precooled Linde Hampson system for gas liquefaction. **07**
- OR**
- Q-5 (a)** Explain how critical the role of cryogenic heat exchangers is in cryogenic system. **03**
(b) Explain thermodynamic ideal isothermal and isobaric source system. **04**
(c) Explain with the neat sketch Claude system for gas liquefaction. **07**
