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Subject code: 712102N Subject Name: Advanced Refrigeration Time: 02:30 pm - 05:00 pm

Date: 17-06-2014

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

- 1. Attempt all questions.
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- Q.1 (a) Discuss the role of refrigerant in refrigeration. Write down salient 07 characteristics of refrigerants.
 - (b) Explain in brief \div Overview of Advanced refrigeration systems. \emptyset 07
- Q.2 (a) What do you mean by Thomson effect and Peltier effect? Briefly discuss 07 Thermoelectric refrigerator.
 - (b) Describe Steam jet refrigeration system. Also write the advantages and 07 limitations of this system.

OR

- (b) Explain Cascade refrigeration system with a neat diagram.
- Q.3 (a) With schematic and T-s diagram explain the working of Bootstrap air craft 07 refrigeration cycle with ram compression.
 - (b) What is cold storage? Discuss the various components of cooling load for a 07 cold storage unit.

OR

- Q.3 (a) Explain the balancing of compressor and capillary tube in VCR system and 07 effects of unbalanced conditions in compressor-capillary tube system.
 - (b) A two stage compression ammonia refrigeration system operates between overall pressure limits of 14 bar and 2 bar. The temperature of the desuperheated vapour and subcooled liquid refrigerant are limited to 30°C. The flash tank separates dry vapour at 5 bar pressure and the liquid refrigerant then expands at 2 bar. Estimate the C.O.P of the machine and power required to drive the compressor, if the mechanical efficiency of the drive is 80% and load on the evaporator is 10TR.

(b) Explain single effect LiBr- H_2O vapour absorption system. State its 08 applications.

OR

- Q.4(a) Discuss the use of heat pump for heating and cooling cycle with neat sketch.06(b) Write note on:08
 - (1) Various methods of Food freezing (2) Transport refrigeration
- Q.5 (a) A VCR cycle using R134a comprises of one compressor, one condenser and two evaporators of 10 TR and 20 TR capacities. The evaporators are 10°C and -10°C respectively. The system comprises multiple expansion valve with back pressure valve. The condenser temperature is 40°C and liquid is sub cooled by 10°C in condenser. Assume isentropic compression. Estimate C.O.P. of the system, Compressor power and mass flow rate of cooling medium through each evaporator.

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(b) With usual notations derive an expression for COP of an Air refrigeration 07 system working on reverse brayton cycle.

OR

- Q.5 (a) Write Advantages of Absorption refrigeration system over compression 06 refrigeration system.
 - (b) Write short note on:

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- (1) Balancing of VCR system
- (2) Primary and Secondary refrigerants.
