## **GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY** M.E -II<sup>st</sup> SEMESTER-EXAMINATION - JULY- 2012

Subject code: 1721001

# **Subject Name: Cryogenic Systems**

Time: 10:30 am – 13:00 pm

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Attempt all questions.
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (a) Compare Philips and G-M refrigeration cycle. Also write the advantages and 07 **Q.1** limitations of G-M cryorefrigerators.
  - (b) What modification in Claude system was carried out by Heylandt? Describe the 07 modified system with a neat figure.
- Q.2 With a schematic diagram explain the working of pulse tube refrigerator and its 07 (a) configurations.
  - (b) Write note on "Simon helium liquefier".

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**Total Marks: 70** 

#### OR

- State and explain the principle of magnetic cooling. Also explain the cryocooler 07 **(b)** working on this principle.
- (a) Define Joule- Thomson coefficient. With usual notations derive the expression for 07 Q.3 it.
  - Determine the refrigerating effect, COP and FOM for a simple Linde-Hampson 07 **(b)** refrigerator operating from 300 K and 101.3 kPa to 10.13 MPa. The overall efficiency of the compressor is 75 % and the heat exchanger effectiveness is 0.960. The working fluid for the refrigerator is nitrogen.

#### OR

- Q.3 **(a)** Explain Linde dual pressure system. What is the importance of intermediate 07 pressure flow rate in above system?
  - (b) Determine the liquid yield, work requirement per unit mass compressed in the 07 high-pressure compressor, and work requirement per unit mass liquefied for a Linde dual-pressure system operating with nitrogen as the working fluid between 101.3 kPa and 300 K and 20.3 MPa. The intermediate pressure is 5.07 MPa and the intermediate-pressure flow rate is 0.80.
- **Q.4** With neat diagram, explain pressure swing absorption system of separation of 07 (a) Nitrogen from air.
  - (b) Explain briefly Langmuir Monolayer theory of adsorption process.

OR

- **Q.4** Write the desirable features of a regenerator of Philips refrigerator. Discuss how 07 (a) ineffectiveness of a regenerator affects the cooling effect. 07
  - (b) Explain BET equation with all terms involved in it.
- Q.5 **(a)** Explain Cascade liquefaction system. 07 Explain the importance of inversion curves in cryogenic liquefaction systems. 07 **(b)**

OR

- (a) Discuss various adsorbents used for cryogenic applications. State its features 07 Q.5 briefly.
  - Determine COP for an isobaric source refrigerator operating reversibly between 07 **(b)** sink temperature of 300 K and minimum source temperature of 80 K and maximum source temperature of 100 K. The working fluid is nitrogen working as perfect gas having source pressure of 1 atm. What will be percentage change in COP when the medium is assumed to be real gas?

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