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Programme: B.E.

Branch: Common to all Branches

Course Code: 21ME1ESEM / 21ME2ESEM

Course: Elements of Mechanical Engineering

Semester: I / II

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

Instructions: 1. Answer FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

MODULE - 1

1. a) Explain the formation of steam with neat $T-H$ diagram. 06
- b) With a neat sketch explain the construction and working principle of wind power plant. 07
- c) With a neat sketch explain Pelton wheel turbine. 07

OR

2. a) Briefly explain any six thermodynamic properties of the steam. 06
- b) With a neat sketch explain the construction and working of Flat-plate solar collector. 07
- c) With a neat sketch explain Francis turbine. 07

MODULE - 2

3. a) What are shape memory alloys? Explain the working principle with a neat sketch. 07
- b) With a neat sketch explain electric arc welding. 07
- c) Explain the modes of heat transfer with its governing equations. 06

OR

4. a) With a neat sketch classify metal matrix composites. 06
- b) Compare Welding and Brazing processes. 07
- c) Explain the heat transfer in automobile radiators with the help of a simple sketch. 07

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

MODULE - 3

5. a) With a neat sketch explain the working of 4-stroke diesel engine. **10**
b) With neat sketch explain the working of Vapor Absorption Refrigeration system. **10**

OR

6. a) With a neat sketch explain the working of 4-stroke petrol engine. **10**
b) With neat sketch explain the working of Vapor Compression Refrigeration system. **10**

MODULE - 4

7. a) With a neat sketch differentiate between open belt and cross belt drive. **06**
b) Illustrate common robot configurations. **08**
c) A simple gear train consists of three gears. The number of teeth on driving gear is 60 & idler gear is 40 and on the driven gear is 80. Find the velocity ratio if driving gear rotates at 1200 rpm, also calculate the speed of driven gear. **06**

OR

8. a) With neat sketch differentiate between Simple and Compound gear train. **06**
b) Explain the robot anatomy with a neat sketch. **08**
c) The velocity ratio of a gear drive is 2. The driving wheel has 16 teeth & turns at 120 rpm. Find rpm & Number of teeth on driven wheel. **06**

MODULE - 5

9. a) Explain up-milling and down-milling operations with neat sketches. **08**
b) Explain with a block diagram parts of CNC machine and list its advantages & disadvantages. **12**

OR

- 10 a) Explain the three taper turning operations with the neat sketches. **10**
b) With block diagrams and examples explain open and closed loop control systems. **10**