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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

YEAR 2 SEMESTER 2

SERIES: DECEMBER, 2013

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. You should have the following for this examination:
 - Answer Booklet
 - Scientific Calculator
 - Drawing Instruments
2. This paper consists of **FIVE** Questions.
3. Answer **ANY THREE** Questions.
4. All Questions carry equal marks.
5. **This paper consists of THREE printed pages.**

Question ONE

(a) Define the following terms:

- (i) Uniform flow
- (ii) Steady flow
- (iii) Path line
- (iv) Turbulent flow
- (v) Bernnellis theorem

(10 marks)

- (b) (i) Show that the continuity equation is $\rho A_1 V_1 = \rho A_2 V_2$. **(5 marks)**
- (ii) A siphon has a uniform circular bore of 75mm diameter and consists of a bent pipe with its crest 1.8m above water level discharging into the atmosphere at a level 3.6m below water level. Find the velocity of flow and the discharge. **(5 marks)**

Question TWO

(a) Define the following:

- (i) Orifice
- (ii) Venturimeter
- (iii) Mean velocity
- (iv) Viscous flow
- (v) Unsteady flow

(10 marks)

- (b) (i) Derive an expression for the loss of head which occurs when flow passes through a sudden contraction in a pipeline. Assume vena contracta forms inside the smaller pipe and express the head lost in terms of the coefficient of contraction and velocity in the smaller pipe. **(5 marks)**
- (ii) How do you minimize expansion and contraction losses? **(5 marks)**

Question THREE

A gasoline engine in a large truck takes in 1000J of heat and delivers 2000J of mechanical work per cycle. The heat is obtained by burning gasoline with heat of combustion,

$$L_c = 5 \times 10^4 \text{ J/g.}$$

- (a) What is the thermal efficiency of this engine?
- (b) How much heat is discarded in each cycle?

- (c) How much gasoline is burned in each cycle?
- (d) If the engine goes through 25 cycles per second, what is the power output?
- (e) How much gasoline is burned per hour?

(20 marks)

Question FOUR

A Carnot engine takes 2000J of heat from a reservoir at 500K, does some work, and discards some heat to a reservoir at 350K.

- (a) How much work does it do?
- (b) How much heat is discarded?
- (c) What is the efficiency?
- (d) If the cycle is run backward as a refrigerator, what is the coefficient of performance?

(20 marks)

Question FIVE

- (a) One kilogram of ice at 0°C is melted and converted to water at 0°C. Compute its change in entropy, assuming that the melting is done reversibly. The heat of fusion of water is $L_f = 3.34 \times 10^5 \text{ J / kg}$.
(5 marks)
- (b) One kilogram of water at 0°C is heated to 100°C. Compute its change in entropy. **(5 marks)**
- (c) Suppose 1kg of water at 100°C is placed in thermal contact with 1kg of water at 0°C. What is the total change in entropy? Assume that the specific heat of water is constant at 4190J/kg.K over this temperature range.
(10 marks)