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CORE COURSE IN PHYSICS  
5B07 PHY : Thermal Physics

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

SECTION – A

Each bunch of four questions carries a weight of 1.

1. The change in the internal energy of the gas is directly proportional to
  - a) Change in temperature
  - b) Change in pressure
  - c) Change in volume
  - d) None of these
2. The first law of thermodynamics is conservation of
  - a) Momentum
  - b) Energy
  - c) Both a) and b)
  - d) None of these
3. A reversible heat engine can have 100% efficiency if the temperature of the sink is
  - a) Has than that of source
  - b) Equal to that of source
  - c) 0
  - d)  $0K$
4. In a refrigerator the heat exhausted to outer the outer atmosphere is
  - a) Has than that absorbed from the contents of the refrigerator
  - b) Same as that absorbed from the contents
  - c) More than that absorbed form the contents
  - d) None of these

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5. In a cyclic process.
- Work done is zero
  - W.D. by the system is equal to the quantity of heat given to the system
  - W.D. does not depend on the quantity of heat given to the system
  - The internal energy of the system increases
6. In a ratio of two specific heats of a diatomic gas is
- 1.66
  - 1.33
  - 1.4
  - 1.52
7. The enthalpy of unit mass for any system in
- $H=U+PV+S$
  - $H=U+PV-S$
  - $H=U+PV$
  - $H=U-PV-S$
8. On suffering adiabatic expansion the internal energy of a gas.
- Increases
  - Decreases
  - Remains unchanged
  - May increase or decrease **(2×1=2)**

## SECTION – B

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** question carries **1** weightage.

- Explain the basis of measurement of temperature of a body.
- Give the principle of Caratheodory.
- State the zeroth law of thermodynamics. What is its significance ?
- What is meant by thermodynamic state and thermodynamic coordinates ?
- What is meant by thermodynamic equilibrium and quasi static processes ?
- Explain why a gas has two specific heats.
- State Kirchhoff's law of thermal radiation.
- Explain Stefan Boltzmann law.
- State and explain the significance of the second law of thermodynamics.
- Define entropy. What is its physical significance ? **(6×1=6)**



## SECTION – C

Answer **any nine** questions. **Each** question carries **2** weightage.

- Define a) Ensemble b) Microscopic and macroscopic states.
- Explain the concept of thermodynamic scale of temperature.
- Give the Maxwellian relations.
- Explain what is meant by equipartition of energy.
- One gram molecule of a gas at  $127^{\circ}\text{C}$  expands isothermally until its volume is doubled. Find the work done.
- A Carnot's engine whose low temperature reservoir is at  $27^{\circ}\text{C}$  has a efficiency of 40%. What should be the temperature of high temperature reservoir. What should be the temperature if the efficiency is changed to 60% ?
- Calculate the change in temperature of the boiling point of water due to a change of pressure of 1 cm of mercury. ( $L = 540$  calories, volume of 1 gm of saturated steam at  $100^{\circ}\text{C} = 1600\text{cc}$  and Volume of 1gm of water at  $100^{\circ}\text{C} = 1\text{cc}$ ).
- Derive an expression for the change of entropy of a gram molecule of a gas during an isothermal expansion.
- Explain the principle and working of a refrigerator.
- Calculate the change of Enthalpy when one gram molecule of a gas is isothermally compressed from one atmosphere to 20 atmospheres.  $\mu = 1.08$ ,  $C_p = 8.6$  and  $J = 4.2 \times 10^7$  erg/cal.
- Determine the rate of change of saturation pressure with temperature for water at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  given latent heat of water at  $100^{\circ}\text{C} = 540$  Cal,  $J = 4.2 \times 10^7$  erg/cal and volume of steam formed = 1670 cc.
- Explain adiabatic demagnetization. **(9×2=18)**

## SECTION – D

Answer **any one** question.

- Explain Joule-Kelvin cooling effect. Derive the necessary theory.
- Describe the construction and working of a petrol engine. **(1×4=4)**