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B.Tech. 8th Semester End-Term Examination

ME

AIR CONDITIONING

(New Regulation w.e.f. 2017-18 & New Syllabus w.e.f. 2018-19)

Full Marks – 70

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer question No. 1 and any *four* from the rest.

1. Choose the correct answers : (10 × 1 = 10)
- (i) For heating and humidification of air, it is passed through
- (a) Water spray and then heated
 - (b) Hot water spray
 - (c) Over the heated surface
 - (d) None
- (ii) During an air conditioning of a plant, the room sensible heat load is 40 kW and room latent heat load is 10 kW, ventilation is 25% of the supply air, at full load the sensible heat factor will be
- (a) 0.9
 - (b) 0.8
 - (c) 0.7
 - (d) 0.6
- (iii) If a mass of air in air tight vessel heated to a higher temperature, then
- (a) Specific humidity of air increases
 - (b) Specific humidity of air decreases
 - (c) Relative humidity of air increases
 - (d) Relative humidity of air decreases
- (iv) During the evaporation cooling process, wet bulb temperature
- (a) Increases
 - (b) Decreases
 - (c) Remains constant
 - (d) Unpredictable

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- (v) The latent heat load is 25% of the sensible heat load, The sensible heat factor is
- (a) 0.3 (b) 0.5
(c) 0.8 (d) 1.0
- (vi) In spray washing system, if the temperature of water is higher than the dry bulb temperature of air entering, then the air is
- (a) Heated and dehumidified (b) Heated and humidified
(c) Cooled and humidified (d) Cooled and dehumidified
- (vii) If air is heated without changing its moisture content, the dew point will
- (a) Increase (b) Decrease
(c) Remains the same (d) Unpredictable
- (viii) In air conditioning plant, air enters the cooling coil at 27°C . The coil surface temperature is -5°C . If the bypass factor of the unit is 0.4, the air will leave the coil at
- (a) 5.6°C (b) 7.8°C
(c) 9.2°C (d) 11.2°C
- (ix) An psychrometric chart, the bulb temperature lines are _____
- (a) Horizontal
(b) Vertical
(c) Curved
(d) Straight inclined Sloping downward to the right
- (x) Inside design conditions for comfort air Conditioning are
- (a) 20 to 24°C and 80% RH
(b) 24 to 28°C and 100% RH
(c) 22 to 27°C and 40 to 60% RH
(d) None
2. (a) Explain the terms (i) wet bulb temperature and (ii) degree of saturation and (iii) relative humidity. (5)
- (b) Calculate (i) relative humidity (ii) humidity ratio (iii) dew point temperature (iv) density (v) enthalpy of atmospheric air when the DBT is 35°C , WBT is 23°C and the barometer reads 750 mm Hg. (10)
3. (a) Explain the term by-pass factor used for Cooling or heating coil. (3)
- (b) Define the term comfort and explain the factors which affect the comfort. (5)
- (c) Explain the term flywheel effect of building materials. (3)
- (d) Define the term Effective sensible heat factor and explain its significance. (4)

4. (a) Draw a typical characteristic curve for fans. (3)
- (b) Name different methods used in controlling room air condition at partial load. (4)
- (c) Explain face and bypass control method with a schematic diagram. (8)
5. (a) State the general rules followed in the design of air duct for distribution of air in air conditioning. (3)
- (b) In the duct layout shown in figure below, outlets 1 and 2 delivers 20 cm and outlet 3 delivers 28 cm. Select a velocity of 8 m/s in section A. Size the duct each using any duct design method and determine its static pressure requirements. (12)

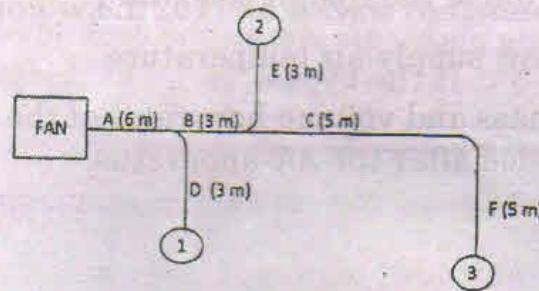


Figure: Duct system

6. (a) What are the factors necessary for the selection of air condition apparatus for cooling and dehumidification? (3)
- (b) A shop located in a city has the following loads (12)
- Room sensible heat: 58.15 kW
- Room Latent heat 14.54kW
- The summer outside and tile inside design conditions are
- Outside :40°C DB, 27°C WB
- Inside 25 °C DB, 50% RH
- 70 cmm of ventilation air is used. Determine the following
- Ventilation load
 - Grand total heat
 - Effective sensible heat factor
 - Apparatus dew point
 - Dehumidified air quantity
 - Conditioned of air entering and leaving apparatus.
- The bypass factor for the cooling coil is 0.15.

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7. (a) Explain the limitation of the evaporative cooling. (3)
- (b) An air conditioned space is maintained at 26°C DBT and 60% RH when the outside conditions 35°C DBT and 28°C WBT. (12)
- (i) If the space has a sensible heat gain of 20kw and air is supplied to the room at a conditioned of 8°C saturated, calculate
- (1) The mass and volume flow rate of air supplied to the room
 - (2) The latent heat gain of the space
 - (3) The cooling load of tile refrigeration plant if 15% of the total weight of air supplied to space is fresh air and the remainder is recirculated air.
- (ii) If the supply of air to the loom is to be maintained at a level of at least 6 cmm per ton of tile cooling load, find
- (1) Tile new supply air temperature
 - (2) The mass and volume how rates of the supply air and recirculated air added after the A/c apparatus.