

**DIPLOMA – VIEP – MECHANICAL
ENGINEERING (DMEVI)**

Term-End Examination

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BIMEE-032 : REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.*

1. (a) Distinguish between a heat pump and a refrigerator. 7
- (b) Explain briefly an air refrigerator working on a reversed Carnot cycle. Derive expression for its C.O.P. 7

2. The capacity of a refrigerator is 600 tons when working between -5°C and -20°C . Find the mass of the ice produced within 24 hours when water is supplied at 10°C . Also find the minimum power required. 14

3. An NH_3 refrigerator produces 30 tons of ice from and at 0°C in a day. The temperature range of the working cycle is 25°C to -15°C . The vapour is dry saturated at the end of compression. Assuming actual C.O.P. 60% (theoretical), calculate the power (in kW) required to drive the compressor. Take the properties of NH_3 from the following table :

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Temperature $^\circ\text{C}$	Liquid		Vapour	
	H_f (kJ/kg)	S_f (kJ/kg-K)	H_g (kJ/kg)	S_g (kJ/kg-K)
25	100.4	0.35	1324.3	4.5
-15	-54.7	-0.214	1310	5.08

4. (a) In an absorption refrigeration system, heating, cooling and refrigeration take place at the temperatures of 150°C , 30°C and -20°C respectively. Find the C.O.P. of the system.
- (b) If in the above question, the heating temperature is increased to 200°C and refrigeration temperature is decreased to -40°C , calculate the percentage change in C.O.P.

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5. In an absorption refrigeration system, the heating in generator is carried out by using steam at 3 bar and 85% dry. The refrigeration temperature is -10°C . The condensation of the refrigerant is carried out at 30°C using cooling water. Determine 14
- (a) the maximum possible C.O.P. of the system.
 - (b) if the steam leaves the generator as saturated water at same pressure, determine the quantity of the steam required to run a plant of 20 tons capacity. Assume relative C.O.P. = 0.4.
6. (a) Describe the steam jet refrigeration system. 7
- (b) Explain the effect of super-heat and sub-cooling on the vapour compression cycle. 7
7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 7+7
- (a) Multi Pressure System
 - (b) Properties of refrigerants
 - (c) Production of low temperature
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