

Subject Name: Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Model Answer

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- 1) The answers should be examined by key words and not as word-to-word as given in the model answer scheme.
- 2) The model answer and the answer written by candidate may vary but the examiner may try to assess the understanding level of the candidate.
- 3) The language errors such as grammatical, spelling errors should not be given more Importance (Not applicable for subject English and Communication Skills.
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- 6) In case of some questions credit may be given by judgement on part of examiner of relevant answer based on candidate's understanding.
- 7) For programming language papers, credit may be given to any other program based on equivalent concept.

Q. No	Sub Q. N.	Answer	Marking Scheme
Q 1	(a)	Attempt any FOUR of the following:	4*4=16
		1) COP: Coefficient of Performance of refrigerator is the ratio of heat removed from sink (Refrigerating effect) by the device and work done required.	2M
		COP = Refrigerating effect / Work done	
		The value of COP is always greater than 1.	
		2) Energy efficiency ratio (EER): Energy Efficiency Ratio, or EER, is a way to exhibit how well an air-conditioner is operating based on the power being used.	2M
		EER = Capacity / Power	
	(b)		
		Classification of Refrigerant:	
		i) Primary Refrigerant	
		ii) Secondary Refrigerant	
		Primary Refrigerant:	
		i. The refrigerants which directly take part in refrigeration system are called primary refrigerant.	2M
		ii. Primary refrigerants are used in domestic refrigerator and Air conditioning system etc.	
		iii. Primary refrigerants are R-134a,R-12,R-21,R-143a etc.	



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## Secondary Refrigerant:

i. The refrigerants which are first cooled by primary refrigerant and then used for cooling purpose are called as secondary refrigerant.

ii. It is used in ice plant and in big installation.

iii. Secondary refrigerants are water, brine, glycol etc.

# Differentiate between 'air cooled' and 'water cooled' condenser.

Ans-

(c)

Sr. no.	Air cooled condenser	Water cooled condenser	
1	Air is used as cooling media.	Water is used as cooling media.	
2	Simple construction.	Complicated construction.	Any 4
3	Low cost.	High cost	``point
4	Low maintenance cost.	High maintenance cost.	
5	No piping required to carry air.	Piping required to carry water.	1M each
6	No corrosion, no fouling effect	Corrosion and fouling effect	
7	Low heat transfer capacity.	High heat transfer.	
8	Shorter compressor life.	Longer compressor life.	

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4) process 4-1 - constant pressure expansion process

Fig. Bell Coleman cycle

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**Properties of Insulating Material :** i. Thermal conductivity: Thermal conductivity of insulating material should be as possible to reduce the thickness of material. ii. Non flammable: Insulating material should be fire proof and nonflammable for Any four safety purpose. points iii. Odour less: Insulating material should not posses its own odour and it should not pick the odour of other substance placed in refrigerated space. iv. Low Cost: It should be of low cost and should available easily. 1m each Strength v. vi. Chemical Stability. vii. Moisture Resistance. (f) Photographic industry i) 1m each ii) Textile industry iii) Printing industry iv) Machine tool industry (g) Diaphragm P Valve Evaporator Strainer 4M seat Refrigerant in Spring hermal bulb Adjusting screv Dry saturated or superheated refrigerant out Fig. Thermostatic Expansion valve

















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	s	<b>Commercial Air-conditioning</b> – It is similar to comfort air-conditioning except that stay time of occupant is short. Ex-air-conditioning system is bank, departmental store etc.	
Q. No .3	F 1 2 3	<ul> <li>Factors affecting on human comfort</li> <li>Following factors are affecting on human comfort.</li> <li>Temperature of air – In air conditioning, the control of temperature means the maintenance of any desired temperature within an enclosed space even though the temperature of the outside air is above or below the desired room temperature. This is accomplished either by the addition or removal of heat from the enclosed space as and when demanded. It may be noted that a human being feels comfortable when the air is at 21°C with 56% relative humidity.</li> <li>Humidity of air – The control of humidity of air means the decreasing of increasing of moisture contents of air during summer or winter respectively in order to produce comfortable and healthy conditions. The control of humidity is not only necessary for human comfort but it also increases the efficiency of the workers. In general, for summer air conditioning the relative humidity should not be less than 60% whereas for winter air conditioning it should not be more than 40%.</li> <li>Purity of air – It is an important factor for the comfort of a human body. It has been noticed that people do not feel comfortable when breathing contaminated air, even if it is within acceptable temperature and humidity ranges. It is thus obvious that proper filtration, cleaning and purification of air is another important factor which should be controlled, in order to keep constant temperature throughout the conditioned space. It is therefore, necessary that there should be equi-distribution of air throughout the space to be air conditioned.</li> </ul>	



0	£.	<u> </u>	Control oir conditioning system		04 apr
Q. No	f)		Central air conditioning system1. Ton capacity is more than 25 tons of	Unitary air conditioning system1. Ton capacity is less than 25 tons of	04 any four
.3			refrigeration.	refrigeration.	points
			2. Mass flow rate of air handled is around 2000 m <sup>3</sup> /min.	2. Mass flow rate of air handled is less.	
			3. All the rooms are required to be maintained at more or less similar condition.	3. Each room can be maintained at different conditions.	
			4. Central air conditioning is located in basement or outside the building.	4. Unitary air conditioning is located in every room which required to be air conditioned.	
			5. Central air conditioning is quiet in operation as noise making components are located outside.	5. Unitary air conditioning may be noisy. It is quiet in operation if used as split unit.	
			6. It requires duct design and installation.	6. No duct design and installation is required.	
			7. Capital cost of Central air conditioning equipment is less.	7. Capital cost of unitary air conditioning equipment is more.	
			8. One person can look after entire air conditioning plant maintenance is convenient and easy.	8. Maintenance is difficult.	
			9. If air conditioning in a particular room is not required. It can not be switched off.	9. If not required, it can be switched off.	
			10. If there is failure or fault in air conditioning plant, all rooms air conditioning is affected.	10. If there is failure, any air conditioning of that room is affected.	
C	Q.No.4	a)	Flooded Type Evaporator		
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#### Suction line To compressor + 107003000000 Baffie Float control Float valve Vapour refrigerant Liquid-vapour mixture Liquid refrigerant from receiver 02 Evaporator Float chamber Boiling liquid refrigerant Liquid refrigerant Accumulator Flooded evaporator.

In a flooded evaporator, as shown in above fig. a constant liquid refrigerant level is always maintained. A float control valve is used as an expansion device which maintains constant liquid level in the evaporator. The liquid refrigerant from the receiver passes through a low side float control valve and accumulator before entering the evaporator coil. The accumulator (also called surge drum or surge tank) serves as a storage tank for the liquid refrigerant from the vapour returning to the compressor. Due to the heat supplied by the substance by the substance to be cooled, the liquid refrigerant in the evaporator coil vaporizes and thus the liquid level falls down. The accumulator supplies more liquid to the evaporator in order to keep the liquid refrigerant in the evaporator at proper level in this way, the level of liquid refrigerant in the accumulator also falls down. Since the float with the float chamber rests on liquid refrigerant at the same level as that in the accumulator, therefore the float also falls down and open the float valve. Now the liquid refrigerant from the receiver is admitted into the accumulator. As the liquid level in the accumulator rises and reaches to the constant level the float also rises with it unit the float control valve closes.

Since the evaporator is almost completely filled with liquid refrigerant, therefore the vapour refrigerant from the evaporator is not superheated but it is in a saturated condition. In order to prevent liquid refrigerant to enter into the compressor, an accumulator is generally used with the flooded evaporatros. The liquid refrigerator trapped in the accumulator is re-circulated through the evaporator. The evaporator coil is connected to the accumulator and the liquid flow from the accumulator to the evaporator coil is generally by gravity. The vapour formed by vaporizing the liquid in the colil being lighter, rises up and passes on to the top of the accumulator from where it is supplied to the suction side of the compressor. The baffle plate arrests any liquid present in the vapour. The advantages of the flooded evaporator is that the whole surface of the evaporator coil is in contact with the liquid refrigerant under all the load conditions. Thus it gives high heat transfer rates. The flooded evaporators are especially used in the chemical and food processing industries.



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Q.No.4	b)	<b>Green House Effect:-</b> It is earths a planet, approximately two thirds of the absorbed by the planet's surface. The absorbed by the atmosphere. The earth planet warm and controls the earth planet in lower part of earth's at fact without this effect.	he thermal energy ent The earth then emits atmosphere radiates earth's climate. Gree as well as small parti mosphere. This is kn	ters earth's atmosphere and is this thermal energy, which is s the heat back towards the nhouse gasses such as water cles lemons as aerosols, trap own as green house effect. In	02

		fact without this effect, life on earth would not be possible because the planet would be too cold.	
		<b>Global Warming:-</b> Global warming is an increase in earth's overall temperature. It has been changing at a much faster rate than normal due to accelerated generation of green house gasses due to industrialization. It is a threat to human being, general upward trend of the earth's temperature will drastically change accessibility to food, water, row material and energy sources for animals and humans alive. Global warning has increased ocean level, leakage of CFC also help in depletion of ozone layer, which causes to allow the infrared radiation directly on earth. The trapping of this infrared radiation causes the earth's surface and lower atmospheric layer to warm to the higher temperature.	02
Q.No.4	c)	<ul> <li>i) DBT – Dry bulb temperature of air is the temperature recorded by ordinary thermometer and it is not affected by the moisture present in the air.</li> <li>ii) DPT – It is the temperature of air recorded by thermometer when the moisture present in its begins to condense.</li> <li>iii) Relation humidity – It is the ratio of actual mass of water vapour in a given volume of moist air to the mass of water vapour in the same volume of saturated air at the same temperature and pressure.</li> <li>iv) Dew Point Depression – It is the difference between the dry bulb temperature and dew point temperature of air.</li> </ul>	One each
Q.No.4	d)		Any
Q.No.4	d)	Industrial Application of Air-conditioning System –	Any four 04
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conditioning)-	
Two main components of heat load are-1. Sensible heat load and 2. Latent heat load.	
	1 mark
1.Sensible heat gain through structure by conduction-	
$Q=U* A*(t_0-t_i)$	
Where-Q=Total heat transfer,	
A=Outside area of wall,	
t <sub>o</sub> = Outside air temperature,	
t <sub>i</sub> =Inside air temperature,	
2.Sensible heat gain from solar radiation through walls and roof-	
Q=U*A*t <sub>e</sub>	
Where Q=Total heat transfer,	01mark
A=area of roof or wall,	
t <sub>e</sub> =Equivalent temperature differential.	
3.Heat gain due to infiltration –(using air change method)	
Amount of infiltrated air through windows and wall is	
= $(L*W*H*A_c)/60$ m <sup>3</sup> /min. Both sensible and latent heat load gain.	01 mark
4.Heat gain through ventilation-	
The ventilation (supply of outside air) is provided to the conditioned space in order	
to minimise carbon dioxide and other undesirable gases.	
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> air should be change per hour in buildings in normal ceiling heights. The outside	01 marks
air adds sensible as well as latent heat load.	
5. Heat gain from appliances/Lighting Equipment's-	
Appliances used may be Projector, lights etc.	
Heat gain can be calculated as-	02
Q=(Total Wattage *use factor*Allowance Factor).	02 mark
6.Heat gain from Occupants-	
The human body in cooled space constitutes cooling load of sensible(45.4 K cal/hr)	
and latent heat(37.5K cal/Hr). Heat gain depends on average number of people	
present in Auditorium.	Olmorite
Q=(no of persons )*(load per person).	02marks



















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06		<figure></figure>	labelled sketch 04 marks
	(e)	Difference between heat pump and Refrigerator:	(1 mark for
		<ul><li>Heat Pump-</li><li>1.Heat Pump used to maintain temp of the system above atmospheric temp.</li></ul>	each difference)
		2.Heat added to the system.	
		3.(COP)HP=(COP)R+1	
		4. Amount of heat supplied to source is important	
		<ul><li>4.Amount of heat supplied to source is important</li><li>5. Application: Room heating in winter.</li></ul>	



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	<ol> <li>Refrigerator used to maintain the temperature of the system lower than atmospheric temperature.</li> <li>(COP)R=(COP)HP-1</li> <li>Heat is extracted or taken out from the system.</li> <li>Amount of heat removed from the sink is important.</li> <li>Application: For confined space cooling.</li> </ol>	
f.	Sink       Sink         (T1)       Refrigerator         Refrigerator       Heat Pump         State the working principle of Capillary tube. State its two advantages.         Solution.         -The pressure drop through the capillary tube depends on internal diameter and length of tube. Due to friction between refrigerant and internal surface of the capillary tube pressure drop takes place. Small diameter of the tube reduces condensing pressure to evaporator pressure. The pressure drop depends upon	(Working principle
	<ul> <li>internal diameter of the tube.</li> <li>Advantages: <ol> <li>The cost of Capillary tube is less than all other expansion devices</li> <li>When the compressor stops, the refrigerant continues to flow into the evaporator and equalizes the pressure between the high side and low side of the system; this decreases the starting load on the compressor.</li> <li>Since the refrigerant charge in a capillary system is critical, therefore no receiver is necessary.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Rough handling of appliances does not affect working of expansion device.</li> </ul>	02 marks and 02 marks for two advantages )