

**VEER SURENDRA SAI UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY (VSSUT), ODISHA**  
**Odd Mid Semester Examination for Academic Session 2025-26**

COURSE NAME: B.Tech

SEMESTER: 3RD

BRANCH NAME: PRODUCTION ENGINEERING  
SUBJECT NAME: THERMAL & FLUID ENGINEERING

FULL MARKS: 30

TIME: 90 Minutes

Answer All Questions.

The figures in the right hand margin indicate Marks. Symbols carry usual meaning.

- Q1. Answer all Questions. [2 × 3]
- a) What are the different types of Thermal Equilibriums? Briefly explain. - CO1
- b) What do you mean by free expansion? What are the conditions when an ideal gas undergoes free expansion? - CO2
- c) Define exergy. Mention different types of exergy. - CO3
- Q2. [8]
- What are Heat and Work? How is work said to be positive or negative in Thermodynamics? - CO1
- What are various processes of Work transfer?
- OR
- What is steady flow? Derive the steady state energy equation of 1<sup>st</sup> law of thermodynamics of an open system? - CO1
- Q3. [8]
- A fluid system contained in a piston cylinder machine passes through a complete cycle of four processes. The summation of heat transfer is -350 KJ/cycle. The system completes 250 cycle per minute. Complete the following table and find the network transfer in K watt. - CO2
- | Process | Q(KJ/min) | W(KJ/min) | dU(KJ/min) |
|---------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 1-2     | 0         | 4340      | ?          |
| 2-3     | 42000     | 0         | ?          |
| 3-4     | -4200     | ?         | -73200     |
| 4-1     | ?         | ?         | ?          |
- OR
- a) A non-flow reversible (quasi-static process) can be written down by an equation  $p = (v^2 + 8/v)$  bar. Determine the work done if volume changes from 1 to 3 m<sup>3</sup>. [4]+[4]
- b) Work done by substance in a reversible non-flow manner is in accordance with  $v = (15/p)$  m<sup>3</sup>, where p is in bar. Evaluate the work done on or by the system as pressure increases from 10 to 100 bar. Indicate whether it is a compression process or expansion process. - CO2
- Q4. [8]
- Differentiate between i) specific heat and latent heat. - CO3
- ii) Enthalpy and Entropy
- OR
- Define 2<sup>nd</sup> law of thermodynamics. What are the two statements given by 2<sup>nd</sup> law of thermodynamics. Discuss both the statements briefly. - CO3