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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM AND ENERGY STUDIES
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Course: Fuels and Combustion (MEAD 3007)

Semester: V

Programme: B.Tech._ADE

Time: 03 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: Answer all the questions in Section A. Section B and C have internal choice.
 Answer strictly to the point with reference to the marks allotted to the question.
 Assume an appropriate value for any missing data in problems.

SECTION A

S. No.		Marks	CO
Q 1	Compare the solid, liquid and gaseous fuels in terms of energy density, heating value, and applications.	4	CO1
Q 2	Describe thermal cracking, hydrocracking, catalytic cracking and coking briefly.	4	CO2
Q 3	Explain the advantages and disadvantages of the use of gaseous fuels in IC engines.	4	CO3
Q 4	Discuss the stoichiometric combustion of diesel and gasoline fuels. Mention the air fuel ratios required for these fuels.	4	CO4
Q 5	Describe briefly any four physio-chemical properties of lubricants.	4	CO5

SECTION B

Q 6	Analyze the utilization of “biodiesel blended diesel” and “ethanol blended petrol” in CI and SI engines respectively, with reference to performance, combustion and emission characteristics of the engine.	10	CO2
Q 7	Illustrate the production methodology of biogas with a neat diagram.	10	CO3
Q 8	A carbohydrate is a compound composed solely of carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. When 10.7695 g of an unknown carbohydrate (MW = 128.2080 g/mol) was subjected to combustion analysis with excess oxygen, it produced 29.5747 g CO ₂ and 12.1068 g H ₂ O. Determine molecular formula of the compound.	10	CO4
Q 9	(i) Explain the concept of boundary layer lubrication with a neat diagram. (ii) Discuss the liquid lubrication, semi solid lubrication and solid lubrication.	10	CO5
(OR)			

- (i) Explain combustion efficiency of IC engines with formulas.
(ii) Classify the lubricants and additives used for IC engine applications.

SECTION-C

Q 10	Analyze the combustion characteristics of CI and SI engines in terms of pressure-crank angle degrees, heat release rate, cumulative heat release rate, ignition delay, start of combustion, end of combustion, Advanced combustion, and late combustion.	20	CO₂, CO₃																		
Q 11	<p>Determine the constant pressure adiabatic flame temperature for the combustion of Methane with a stoichiometric air at 1 atmospheric pressure. The reactant temperature at initial condition, $T_i=298$ K. The reaction is $CH_4 + 2O_2 + 7.52 N_2 = CO_2 + 2H_2O + 7.524 N_2$.Also, determine the constant volume adiabatic flame temperature using the following Table. The specific heats of reactants are taken at an average temperature between initial and final temperature, which is $(298+1850)/2 = 1074$ K ≈ 1100 K.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin: 10px 0;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Species</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Standard Enthalpy of Formation at 298 K (kJ/kmol)</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Average specific heat at 1100 K (kJ/kmol-K)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>CH₄</td> <td>-72.1</td> <td>-75.328</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CO₂</td> <td>-394.0</td> <td>55.396</td> </tr> <tr> <td>H₂O</td> <td>244.5</td> <td>-42.44</td> </tr> <tr> <td>N₂</td> <td>0</td> <td>--</td> </tr> <tr> <td>O₂</td> <td>0</td> <td>--</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;">(OR)</p> <p>A fuel has the following gravimetric composition;</p> <p>hexane (C₆H₁₄) : 40 per cent octane (C₈H₁₈) : 30 per cent cyclohexane (C₆H₁₂) : 25 per cent benzene (C₆H₆) : 5 per cent</p> <p>If the gravimetric air/fuel ratio is 17:1, determine the equivalence ratio.</p>	Species	Standard Enthalpy of Formation at 298 K (kJ/kmol)	Average specific heat at 1100 K (kJ/kmol-K)	CH ₄	-72.1	-75.328	CO ₂	-394.0	55.396	H ₂ O	244.5	-42.44	N ₂	0	--	O ₂	0	--	20	CO₄
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