



## GIET MAIN CAMPUS AUTONOMOUS GUNUPUR – 765022

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**BMEPE7041 – Design and Analysis of Heat Exchanger**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hrs

Maximum: 100 Marks

**Answer ALL Questions****The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.****PART – A: (Multiple Choice Questions)****(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)****Q.1. Answer ALL questions**

- |  | [CO#] | [PO#] |
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| a. In a heat exchanger, it is observed that $\Delta T_1 = \Delta T_2$ , where $\Delta T_1$ is the temperature difference between the two single phase fluid streams at one end and $\Delta T_2$ is the temperature difference at the other end. This heat exchanger is   | CO1   | PO1   |
| i. a condenser   |       |       |
| ii. an evaporator  |       |       |
| iii. a counter flow HEx  |       |       |
| iv. A parallel flow HEx  |       |       |
| b. In shell and tube heat exchanger, baffles are mainly used to  | CO1   | PO1   |
| i. Increase the mixing of fluid  |       |       |
| ii. Increase the heat transfer area  |       |       |
| iii. deflect the flow in desired direction   |       |       |
| iv. Reduce fouling of the tube surface   |       |       |
| c. Heat Capacity is defined as the product of  | CO2   | PO1   |
| i. Mass and temperature  |       |       |
| ii. Mass and specific heat   |       |       |
| iii. Specific heat and temperature   |       |       |
| iv. Time and temperature   |       |       |
| d. In a condenser of a power plant, the steam condenses at a temperature of 60°C. The cooling water enters at 30°C and leaves at 45°C. The logarithmic mean temperature difference (LMTD) of the condenser is  | CO2   | PO2   |
| i. 16.2° C   |       |       |
| ii. 21.6° C  |       |       |
| iii. 30° C   |       |       |
| iv. 37.5° C  |       |       |
| e. For a heat exchanger, $\Delta T_{\max}$ is the maximum temperature difference and $\Delta T_{\min}$ is the minimum temperature difference between the two fluids. LMTD is the log mean temperature difference. $C_{\min}$ and $C_{\max}$ are the minimum and the maximum heat capacity rates. The maximum possible heat transfer ( $Q_{\max}$ ) between the two fluids is | CO2   | PO1   |
| i. $C_{\min} \text{ LMTD}$   |       |       |
| ii. $C_{\min} \Delta T_{\max}$   |       |       |
| iii. $C_{\max} \Delta T_{\max}$  |       |       |
| iv. $C_{\max} \Delta T_{\min}$   |       |       |
| f. LMTD in case of counter flow heat exchanger as compared to parallel flow heat exchanger is  | CO2   | PO1   |
| i. Higher  |       |       |
| ii. Lower  |       |       |
| iii. Same  |       |       |
| iv. Depends on the area of heat exchanger  |       |       |
| g. The heat exchanger is said to be compact when its area density is   | CO2   | PO1   |
| i. equal to 700 m <sup>2</sup> / m <sup>3</sup>  |       |       |
| ii. less than 700 m <sup>2</sup> / m <sup>3</sup>  |       |       |
| iii. more than 700 m <sup>2</sup> / m <sup>3</sup>   |       |       |
| iv. unpredictable  |       |       |
| h. Which of the following is not a property of Plate type heat exchangers?   | CO3   | PO1   |
| i. Even though the heat exchanger has low hydraulic diameter, it can be readily and easily cleaned   |       |       |
| ii. Leakage is never a concern in these heat exchangers  |       |       |
| iii. It provides a very large surface area for heat transfer   |       |       |
| iv. The net weight required is always less than its equivalent Shell and tube type heat exchanger  |       |       |
| i. Cooling tower effectiveness is the ratio of   | CO3   | PO1   |

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| i. Range / (range + approach)                              | ii. Approach / (range + approach) |     |     |
| iii. Range / Approach                                      | iv. Approach / Range              |     |     |
| j. How does outside air enter into the wet cooling system? |                                   | CO3 | PO1 |
| i. Air vents   | ii. Louvers                       |     |     |
| iii. Tuyeres   | iv. Vacuum                        |     |     |

**PART – B: (Short Answer Questions)**

**(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)**

**Q.2. Answer ALL questions**

- |   | [CO#] | [PO#] |
|---|-------|-------|
| a. What is fouling factor?  | CO1   | PO1   |
| b. Are we really getting extra advantage by providing Baffles in Shell and tube heat exchanger Justify your answer. | CO3   | PO1   |
| c. What do you mean by correction factor for a cross flow heat exchanger?   | CO1   | PO1   |
| d. Are we really getting extra advantage by providing Baffles in Shell and tube heat exchanger Justify your answer. | CO2   | PO1   |
| e. Water is flowing through a 12 mm tube filling 80% of its cross section. What is its hydraulic diameter?          | CO4   | PO2   |
| f. What is the purpose of using baffles in a heat exchanger?  | CO2   | PO1   |
| g. What will be the heat capacity rate of a fluid during boiling? Justify your answer.                              | CO3   | PO1   |
| h. In a liquid to gas heat exchanger, it is best to put extended surfaces on the gas side. Why?                     | CO3   | PO1   |
| i. In which side of a STHE it is recommend to pass a corrosive fluid and why?                                       | CO2   | PO1   |
| j. What do you understand by boiling point rise?  | CO2   | PO1   |

**PART – C: (Long Answer Questions)**

**(15 x 4 = 60 Marks)**

**Answer ALL questions**

Marks [CO#] [PO#]

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| 3. a. In a shell and tube counter flow heat exchanger, water flows through a copper tube of 20 mm ID and 23 mm OD. Oil passes through the shell. Water enters at 20 °C and leaves at 30 °C. Oil enters at 75 °C and leaves at 60 °C. Water and oil have the coefficients of 4500 and 1250 W/m <sup>2</sup> K respectively. Thermal conductivity of the tube wall is 355 W/ m-K. The fouling factor for water and oil are 0.0004 and 0.0001 respectively. If the length of the tube is 2.4 m, Calculate (i) overall Heat transfer coefficient and (ii) The heat transfer rate. | 15 | CO1 | PO2 |
| (OR)  |    |     |     |
| b. Derive expression for overall Heat Transfer coefficient for double pipe heat exchanger   | 10 | CO1 | PO1 |
| c. Classification of Heat Exchanger according to Transfer Process.  | 5  | CO1 | PO1 |
| 4. a. Derive Expression for Effectiveness of counter flow heat exchanger and also express the value of ' ε ' when R= 1.   | 15 | CO2 | PO1 |
| (OR)  |    |     |     |
| b. Hot Gases are used in a finned tube heat exchanger to heat 2.5 kg/S of water (c = 4.18 kJ / kg °C) from 35 °C to 85 °C. The gases (c = 1.09 kJ / kg °C) enter as 200 °C and leaves at 93 °C. Overall heat transfer coefficient is 180 W/m <sup>2</sup> °C. Calculate the area of the Heat Exchanger and the effectiveness. Take NTU = 1.4.   | 15 | CO3 | PO2 |
| 5. a. A single effect evaporator with 12 m <sup>2</sup> of heating surface is used to concentrate NaOH solution from 10% to 50% solids, the feed being 2000kg/hr. The feed enters at 50°C and has a specific heat of 0.80 kcal/kg.°C. The pressure in the vapour space is 10 cm Hg absolute. 920 kg/hr of steam of 102°C are used. Calculate the apparent overall heat transfer coefficient. Boiling point of 50% NaOH solution = 87°C.   | 15 | CO3 | PO2 |

(OR)

- b. A Steam condenser is 4 m long and contains 2000 brass tubes of 1.59 cm OD each. In attest 125 kg/s of cooling water at 22<sup>0</sup>c is supplied to the condenser and when the steam pressure in the shell is 61mm of Hg , the condensate is produced at 3.05 kg/s. Determine : a. Effectiveness of the heat exchanger  
b. Overall heat transfer coefficient. 15 CO3 PO2  
Take  $C_{p \text{ water}} = 4.178 \text{ kJ/Kg K}$
6. a. The cooling water used in a power plant consists of 10 big fans. The quantity of cooling water circulated through the tower is 1000 kg/minute and it is cooled from 35 °C to 30 °C. The atmospheric conditions are 35 °C DBT and 25 °C WBT. The air leaves the tower at 30 °C and 90% R.H. find out: 15  
a. The quantity of air handled per fan per minute  
b. The quantity of make-up water per hour. CO4 PO2  
Neglect the loss due to carry over and heat losses.
- (OR)
- b. Explain how the makeup water requirement is estimated from energy and mass balance of a cooling tower. 8 CO2 PO1
- c. Classify Cooling towers and explain in which season the performance of cooling tower will be more. 7 CO2 PO1

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