AU/ME-227

B.E. IV Semester

Examination, June 2017

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)

Energy Conversion

Time: Three Hours] [Maximum Marks: 60

Note: i) Attempt any five questions.

- ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- 1. a) Explain valve timing diagram for four stroke cycle spark ignition engine.
- b) Describe the 'Morse test' for obtaining indicated power of multi cylinder engine.
- 2. The following observations were recorded during a test on a single cylinder oil engine:

Bore = 300mm, stroke=450mm, speed 300rpm

Imep = 6 bar; Net brake load = 1.5 kN

Brake drum diameter = 1.8 meters, brake rope diameter = 2cm Calculate:

- a) Indicated power
- b) Brake power
- c) Mechanical efficiency.
- 3. a) Describe the stages of combustion in S.I. Engine with the help of pressure crank angle diagram.
- b) What do you understand by pre-ignition in S.I. engine? What are its causes and remedy?
- 4. What is delay period in C.I. engine? Explain the effect of the following factors on delay period.
- a) Fuel properties
- b) Intake pressure
- c) Compression ratio
- d) Engine speed
- e) Injection advance
- 5. a) Explain the phenomenon of diesel knock. Compare it with the phenomenon of detonation in S.I. engine.
- b) Show with sketches how compression swirl is created? What are the advantages and disadvantages of compression swirl?
- 6. a) Explain the working of a magneto ignition system with the help of neat sketch. Discuss its relative merits and demerits over battery ignition system.
- b) Describe the operation of splash lubrication system with the help of neat sketch.
- 7. a) Discuss the different methods of supercharging used in practice. List out merits and demerits of each method.
- b) Explain the thermodynamic cycle of a supercharged IC engine.
- 8. Write short notes on:
- a) Micro processor controlled supercharging.
- b) Turbo charging
- c) Power balance for multi-cylinder engines.
