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**V Semester B.Sc. Degree CBCSS (OBE) Regular Examination, November 2021
(2019 Admn. Only)**

CORE COURSE IN PHYSICS

5B08PHY – Thermodynamics and Statistical Mechanics

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Short answer questions. Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark.

1. State Zeroth law of thermodynamics.
2. What do you mean by quasistatic process ?
3. State Kirchoff's law of radiation.
4. On what all factors internal energy of a real gas depends ?
5. Write Claussius statement of second law of thermodynamics.
6. What is a cyclic process ? What is the change in internal energy in a cyclic process ?
(6×1=6)

PART – B

Short Essay questions. Answer **any six** questions. **Each** carries **two** Marks :

7. Distinguish between microscopic point of view and macroscopic point of view.
8. What are state functions and path functions ? Give one example for each.
9. Obtain the pressure-volume relation for quasistatic adiabatic process of an ideal gas.
10. Briefly explain different strokes in a Gasoline engine.

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11. Explain Carnot cycle.
12. Explain the principle of increase of entropy.
13. Write four Maxwell's equations connecting thermodynamic coordinates.
14. What are bosons and fermions ? Give examples for each. (6x2=12)

PART – C

Problems. Answer **any four** questions. **Each** carries **three** Marks :

15. Calculate the temperature at which a perfectly black body radiates at the rate of 3 Wm^{-2} . (Stefan's constant = $5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ Wm}^{-2}\text{K}^{-4}$. Neglect surrounding temperature)
16. Determine the internal energy of one mole of an ideal monoatomic gas at 27°C (Universal gas constant $R = 8.314 \text{ Jmol}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$).
17. A carnot engine is working between temperatures 27°C and 227°C . Find the efficiency of the engine.
18. Derive the expression for efficiency of a Carnot engine directly from a TS diagram.
19. 2 kg of water at 30°C is mixed with 4 kg of water at 50°C , under adiabatic conditions. Determine the increase in entropy of the universe (Specific heat capacity of water = $4186 \text{ Jkg}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$).
20. Find the rms speed of oxygen molecules at 27°C . (4x3=12)

PART – D

Long Essay. Answer **any two** questions. **Each** carries **five** marks :

21. Explain the concept of temperature. Explain the principle of ideal gas thermometer.
22. Derive the expression for work done in changing the volume of a hydrostatic system. Explain the relation between PV diagram and work done.
23. State and prove Carnot's theorem and its corollary.
24. a) Explain four thermodynamic potentials.
b) Explain Joule-Thomson expansion. (2x5=10)