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**FINAL EXAMINATION
SEMESTER II
SESSION 2015/2016**

COURSE NAME : THERMOFLUIDS
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PROGRAMME : 1 BDC / 1 BDM
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DURATION : 3 HOURS
**INSTRUCTION : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN
SECTION A AND TWO (2)
QUESTIONS IN SECTION B**

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF SEVEN (7) PAGES

SECTION A

- Q1 (a) Define Newtonian fluid and give an example of non-Newtonian fluids.
(5 marks)
- (b) A 1.2 mm diameter tube is inserted into an unknown liquid whose density is 960 kg/m^3 , and it is observed that the liquid rises 5-mm in the tube, making a contact angle of 15° . Determine:
- (i) the surface tension of the liquid; and (7 marks)
- (ii) the capillary rise of the liquid, if the liquid is kerosene with surface tension 0.028 N/m and density is 820 kg/m^3 .

(8 marks)

- Q2 (a) Sketch P - v diagrams for steam and label the pressure, specific volume, temperature clearly, and then specify the phase of each state (on the diagrams) based on the following conditions:
- (i) $P = 20 \text{ bar}$, $T = 250^\circ\text{C}$,
(ii) $T = 212.4^\circ\text{C}$, $v = 0.09957 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$,
(iii) $P = 10 \text{ bar}$, $h = 2650 \text{ kJ/kg}$, and
(iv) $P = 6 \text{ bar}$, $h = 3166 \text{ kJ/kg}$.

Note: You should sketch **four** (4) diagrams based on the above conditions.
(15 marks)

- (b) Discuss and sketch from state 1 to state 2 in either T - v , or T - s diagram for the following processes:
- (i) isentropic process,
(ii) isothermal process,
(iii) isobaric process, and
(iv) isochoric process.

Note: You should sketch **four** (4) diagrams based on the above processes.

(5 marks)

SECTION B

Q3 (a) Describe:

(i) body forces; (1 mark)

(ii) surface forces. (1 mark)

Explain the net force acting on a control volume is determined?

(2 marks)

(b) Fire fighters as shown in **FIGURE Q3 (b)** are holding a nozzle at the end of a hose while trying to extinguish a fire. If the nozzle exit diameter is 6 cm and the water flow rate is $5 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$, determine:

(i) the average water exit velocity; (9 marks)

(ii) the horizontal resistance force required by the fire fighters to hold the nozzle. (7 marks)

Q4 (a) Someone claims that the average velocity in a circular pipe in fully developed laminar flow can be determined by simply measuring the velocity at $R/2$ (midway between the wall surface and the centerline).

(i) what is your opinion about the statement, do you agree or not; and (1 mark)

(ii) explain your opinion. (3 marks)

(b) Water at 10°C ($\rho = 999.7 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and $\mu = 1.307 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg/m} \cdot \text{s}$) is flowing steadily in a 0.20 cm diameter, 15 m long pipe. In the fully developed laminar flow region, the velocity at $R/2$ (midway between the wall surface and the centerline) is measured to be 1.8 m/s. Determine the velocity at the center of the pipe at the average velocity of the flow.

(4 marks)

- (c) Water at 10°C ($\rho = 999.7 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and $\mu = 1.307 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg/m} \cdot \text{s}$) is flowing steadily in a 5 cm diameter, 30 m long pipe horizontal pipe made of stainless steel at a rate of 9 L/s as shown in **FIGURE Q4 (c)**. Determine:
- (i) the pressure drop
 - (ii) the head loss and
 - (iii) the pumping power requirement to overcome this pressure drop

(12 marks)

- Q5** (a) A household refrigerator with a COP of 1.7 removes heat from the refrigerated space at a rate of 80 kJ/min. Determine:
- (i) the electric power consumed by the refrigerator in kW, and
 - (ii) rate of heat transfer to the kitchen air in kW.
 - (iii) sketch the schematic diagram of the refrigerator systems, and
 - (iv) explain how the refrigerator system works.

(14 marks)

- (b) Refrigerant-134a enters the condenser of a residential heat pump at 800 kPa and 35°C at a rate of 0.018 kg/s, and leaves at 800 kPa as a saturated liquid. If the compressor consumes 1.2 kW of power, determine:
- (i) COP of the heat pump, and
 - (ii) rate of heat absorption from the outside air.

(6 marks)

- Q6** (a) Sketch a P - v diagram of a Carnot cycle, label accordingly and indicate the heat in (Q_{in}), heat out (Q_{out}) and net work done ($W_{net, out}$) during the process of Carnot cycle.

(4 marks)

- (b) A Carnot heat engine receives heat at 1000 K and rejects the waste heat to the environment at 30°C . The entire work output from the heat engine is used to drive a Carnot refrigerator as shown in **FIGURE Q6 (b)**. The refrigerator operates by removing heat from cooled space at -10°C , at a

rate of 280 kJ/min and rejects the heat to the same environment at same temperature. Determine:

- (i) the rate of heat supplied to the heat engine, and
- (ii) the total rate of heat rejection to the environment.

(16 marks)

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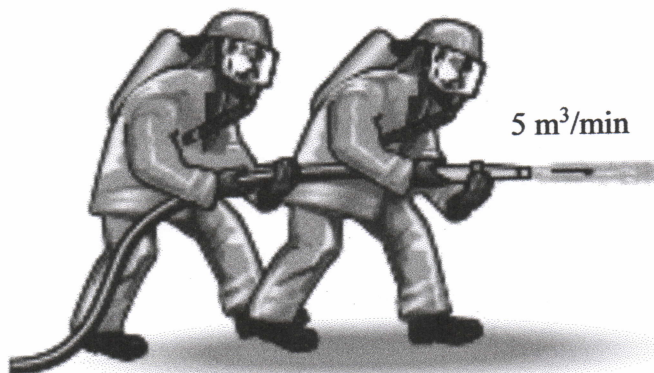


FIGURE Q3(b)

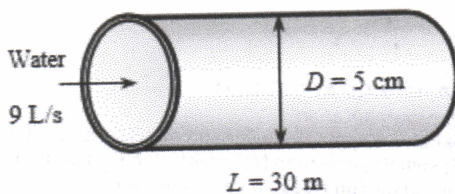


FIGURE Q4 (c)

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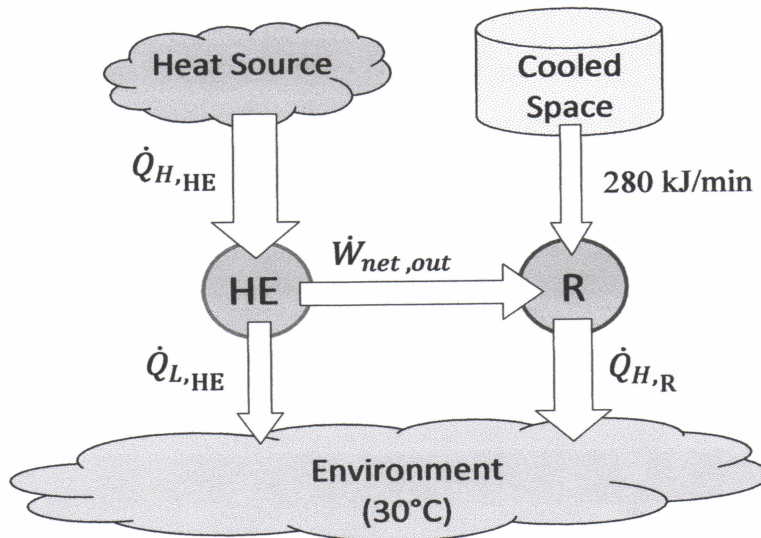


FIGURE Q6 (b)

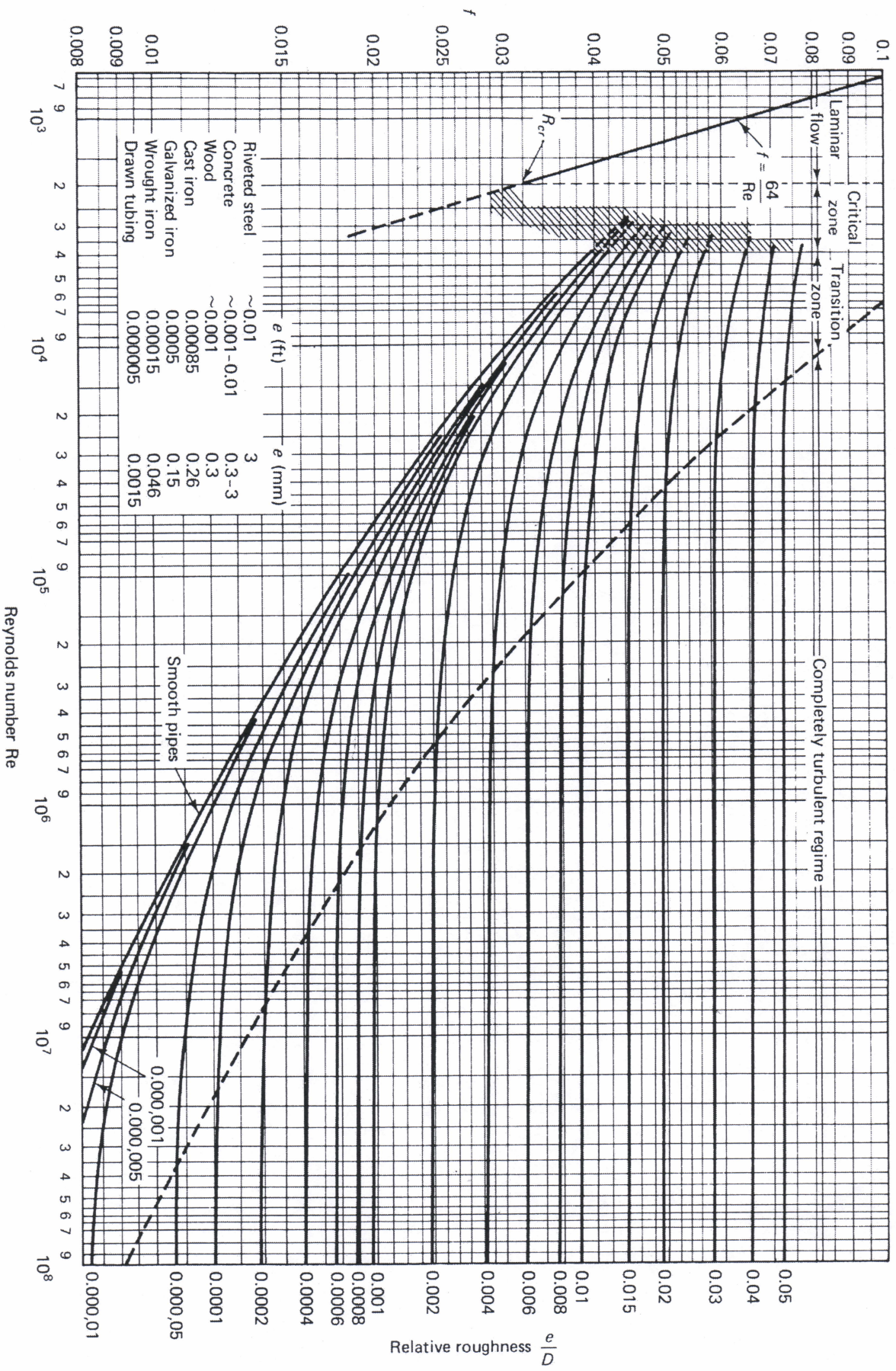


Figure 7.13 Moody diagram. (From L. F. Moody, *Trans. ASME*, Vol. 66, 1944.)