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Course File of

INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE & GAS TURBINE



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Vision and Mission of Mechanical Engineering Department

Vision

The Mechanical Engineering department visions to be known globally in the field of technical education and to overcome the issues of industry and society.

Mission

- 1. To deliver outcome based education to undergraduate students.
- 2. To establish an environment for students where they can build professional and personal integrity to pursue long productive career.
- 3. To maintaining state of the art research facilities to provide collaborative environment that stimulates faculty, staff and students with opportunities to create, analyze, apply and disseminate knowledge.
- 4. To equip students with good academic, corporate and entrepreneurship skills as well as create global awareness in them required by engineering profession

Program Educational Objectives

- 1. To prepare the students for successful career in industries, entrepreneurship or in higher studies.(Preparation)
- 2. To inculcate engineering attitude to analyze, design and solve real life engineering problems.(Core knowledge)
- 3. To promote the students for continuous learning, with strong professionals, ethical and moral values.(Learning Environment)

Program Specific Outcomes

The graduates of Bachelor of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering Programmed will be able to:

- 1. Design and develop mechanical as well as inter disciplinary components by experimental, numerical and analytical techniques
- 2. Apply their knowledge from field of mathematics and science fields to solve problems related to mechanical engineering.

Program Outcomes

1. **Engineering knowledge**: Apply the knowledge of mathematics, science, engineering fundamentals, and an engineering specialization to the solution of complex engineering problems.

2. **Problem analysis**: Identify, formulate, review research literature, and analyze complex engineering problems reaching substantiated conclusions using first principles of mathematics, natural sciences, and engineering sciences.

3. **Design/development of solutions**: Design solutions for complex engineering problems and design system components or processes that meet the specified needs with appropriate consideration for the public health and safety, and the cultural, societal, and environmental considerations.

4. **Conduct investigations of complex problems**: Use research-based knowledge and research methods including design of experiments, analysis and interpretation of data, and synthesis of the information to provide valid conclusions.

5. **Modern tool usage**: Create, select, and apply appropriate techniques, resources, and modern engineering and IT tools including prediction and modeling to complex engineering activities with an understanding of the limitations.

6. **The engineer and society**: Apply reasoning informed by the contextual knowledge to assess societal, health, safety, legal and cultural issues and the consequent responsibilities relevant to the professional engineering practice.

7. Environment and sustainability: Understand the impact of the professional engineering solutions in societal and environmental contexts, and demonstrate the knowledge of, and need for sustainable development.

8. Ethics: Apply ethical principles and commit to professional ethics and responsibilities and norms of the engineering practice.

9. **Individual and team work**: Function effectively as an individual, and as a member or leader in diverse teams, and in multidisciplinary settings.

10. **Communication**: Communicate effectively on complex engineering activities with the engineering community and with society at large, such as, being able to comprehend and write effective reports and design documentation, make effective presentations, and give and receive clear instructions.

11. **Project management and finance**: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the engineering and management principles and apply these to one's own work, as a member and leader in a team, to manage projects and in multidisciplinary environments.

12. Life-long learning: Recognize the need for, and have the preparation and ability to engage in independent and life-long learning in the broadest context of technological change.

Course Outcome

On successful completion of this course students will be able to:

CO1. Understand working and performance of IC Engines through thermodynamic cycles.

CO2. Understand combustion phenomena in SI and CI engines and factors influencing combustion chamber design.

CO3. Outline emission formation mechanism of IC engines, its effects and the legislation standards.

CO4. Understand working principles of instrumentation used for engine performance and emission parameters.

CO5. Evaluate methods for improving the IC engine performance.

CO6. Understand the latest developments in IC Engines and alternate fuels.

CO7. Analyze and solve the performance of gas turbine.

CO-PO Mapping

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CO4	1	1	3	-	2	1	-	2	2	-	-	2
CO5	1	-	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
CO6	2	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	2
CO7	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1

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CO1	2	2
CO2	2	1
CO3	1	1
CO4	1	2
CO5	2	2
CO6	2	2
CO7	2	2

Syllabus

ME 021722 (INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE & GAS TURBINE)

L-T-P: 3-0-3 Credit: 5

Topics	No of lectures
1. Introduction	3
Classification: Two stroke, four stroke (SI and CI) engines, engine parts, engine working	
principle and valve timing diagram.	
2. Engine Performance-Test	3
Purpose and types, measurement of power, Engine system & performance parameters	
evaluation.	
3. Theory of Combustion	3
Principal of combustion, S.I. & C.I. engine combustion process & parameters their	
dependence on engine variables and operating parameters.	
4. Adiabatic flame temperature	5
Combustion processes & combustion chamber for SI and CI engines pollutant formation	
and control, effect of engine variables on combustion processes, knowing in SI & CI	
engines.	
5. Petroleum based fuel	3
Gasoline & diesel fuel and their properties. Chemically correct air-fuel ratio and load	
variation.	
6. Carburetors & modern air fuel systems	6
Compensating devices, venture and jet dimension calculation, injection system.	
7. Supercharging	2
Engine lubrication and cooling	
8. Gas turbine	5
Principle. Simple, open gas turbine cycle, effect of operating variables on thermal	
efficiency.	
9. Regenerative reheat cycles	5
gas turbine applications, closed cycle gas turbine	
10. Jet propulsion	4
Working principle, thrust power, propulsive force and efficiency.	
11. Rocket engine	3
Theory of operation and its applications, propellant	

Books:

1. <u>Textbooks</u>

TB1: Internal Combustion Engine by V Ganesan, (Tata McGraw Hill).

TB2: Internal Combustion Engines- Fundamentals by Heywood.

TB3: Gas Turbine by V Ganesan (Tata McGraw Hill).

TB4: Mathur M.C., Sharma R.D., "Internal combustion engines", 8th Ed.; Dhanpat Rai publication., 2003

2. <u>Reference Books</u>

RB1: Internal Combustion Engine by theory and practical- Taylor CF

RB2: Fundamental of Gas Turbine by Bathie WW.

<u>Gate Syllabus</u>

Applications: <u>Power Engineering:</u> Gas power cycles, concepts of regeneration and reheat. I.C. Engines: Air-standard Otto, Diesel and dual cycles.





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2. चाँद दृष्टिगोचर होने के अनुसार मुस्लिम त्योहारों के अवकाश की तिथि में परिवर्तन हो सकता है।

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AM	Automotive Mechanics (3-1-0)	Prof. BHARTI KUMARI
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	CAD CAM (2 A 2)	
	CAD-CAM (3-0-3)	Prof. SACHINDRA KUMAR
Training	Training	Prof. KUMAR JYOTIRADITYA

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BRANCH - MECHANICAL (VIIth Sem- July 2018)

S.No	Name of Students	Father,s Name	Roll No.
1	SHIVAM KUMAR	RAVINDRA KR SINHA	15-M-01
2	RASHMI PRIYA	SHANKAR PRASAD	15-M-02
3	MAHARAJ KUMAR	RAM SAGAR PANDIT	15-M-05
4	SUMIT SOURAV	SUDHIR PRASAD	15-M-06
5	AMARKANT MEHTA	UMAKANT MEHTA	15-M-07
6	APOORVA RANI	NARESH KUMAR	15-M-09
7	PAWAN KUMAR	SHREE BHAGWAN SHARMA	15-M-10
8	ABDUL ANSARI	MD. KALIM ANSARI	15-M-11
9	ABHISHEK KUMAR	SHIV SHANKAR	15-M-13
	ALOK	CHOUDHARY	
10	RAHUL KUMAR SINGH	DHRUWA NATH SINGH	15-M-16
11	SUCHITRA RAJ NANDANI	KRISHNA KUMAR	15-M-17
12	DEEPAK KUMAR	MANOJ PRASAD	15-M-18
13	NUTAN KUMARI	MADHUSUDAN	15-M-19
-		KUMAR	
14	ABHISHEK KUMAR	SHASHIKANT	15-M-20
		CHAUDHARY	
15	SANTOSH KUMAR	DILIP SAW	15-M-21
16	VIKASH KUMAR	YOGENDRA SAW	15-M-22
17	SHAILESH KUMAR	ARJUN PASWAN	15-M-23
18	IZHARUL HAQUE	FAIYAZUL HAQUE	15-M-24
19	ABHISHEK KUMAR	DURGA DATTA THAKUR	15-M-25
20	PRINCE KUMAR	GIRIDHARI MANDAL	15-M-26
21	AHBIMANYU KUMAR	SAUDAGAR SAH	15-M-27
22	VIJAY SHANKAR	RAM KUMAR SAHU	15-M-28
23	SAHIL RAJ	KUNDAN RAJ	15-M-29
24	AMAN KUMAR	BIJENDRA PRASAD	15-M-30
25	HIMANSHU KUMAR	KUNDAN KUMAR	15-M-31
26	PRANAV KUMAR	GAURI SHANKAR Pandit	15-M-32
27	MD. MAHTAB ALAM	MD. NESHAT ALAM	15-M-33
28	MD. HASAN	MD. MANSOOR	15-M-34
29	SHIVANAND	TEJNARAYAN	15-M-35
	CHOUDHARY	CHOUDHARY	
30	BIPIN KUMAR	RAMJI RAM	15-M-36
31	NITISH KUMAR	RAM DEV RAY	15-M-37
32	ARJUN KUMAR	ANAND KUMAR RAY	15-M-38
33	RAHUL ANAND	DAYANAND PRASAD	15-M-39
34	RAMJEE KR BHASKAR	BIRENDRA PD	15-M-40
		CHOUDHARY	
35	PUNKESHWAR KUMAR	RAMANAND MANDAL	15-M-41
36	AMAN KUMAR	BHAGWAT PRASAD	15-M-42
37	MD. EKRAM HUSSAIN	MD. HASHMAT	15-M-43

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		HUSSAIN	
38	ADITYA ANAND	SHASHIDHAR SINGH	15-M-44
39	MD RASHID LATIF	SHAUKATALI	15-M-45
40	PRAKHAR RANJAN	RANJAN KUMAR	15-M-46
		VERMA	
41	PRANAV KUMAR	UDAY KISHOR	15-M-47
42	RAJESH KUMAR	LAKSHMAN SINGH	15-M-48
43	ATHAR HUSSAIN	MD. KEYAMUDDIN	15-M-49
44	PRASHANT KUMAR	MANOHAR PANDIT	15-M-50
45	MONU KUMAR	GANESH CHOUDHARY	15-M-51
46	MD. IFTEKHAR AHMAD	MD. ASGAR ANSARI	15-M-52
47	DINESH KUMAR THAKUR	UTTAM LAL THAKUR	15-M-53
48	SANTOSH KUMAR	ARJUN PANDIT	15-M-54
49	MD. SAQUIB UMAR	ABDUL MANNAN	15-M-55
		ANSARI	
50	YUVRAJ SINGH	LAL BAHADUR SINGH	15-M-56
51	CHANDAN KUMAR	ANAND KISHOR PRASAD	15-M-57
52	RAVI KUMAR GUPTA	SUBHASH SAH	15-M-58
53	NITISH KUMAR	KRISHNA SINGH	15-M-59
54	NEERAJ KUMAR	BRIJNANDAN PRASAD	15-M-60
55	DEEPAK KUMAR	RAMCHANDRA KAPARI	15-M-61
56	BIBHASH KUMAR	SURYANARAYAN MISTRI	15-M-62
57	KHUSHBOO KUMARI	CHANDRADEEP CHOUDHARY	15-M-63
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1	ABHISHEK KUMAR	SHAMBHU KUMAR	LE-16-M-71
2	GAURAV KUMAR	SANTAN SINGH	LE-16-M-72
3	PRADUMAN KUMAR	ARVIND KR SHARMA	LE-16-M-73

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1	RANJAN KUMAR	16-M-01						
2	MAARIJ MUZAFFAR	16-M-02						
3	SUSHANT KUMAR	16-M-03						
4	RUPA RANI	16-M-05						
5	SHIV KUMAR	16-M-06						
	GOND							
6	AAKASH MANI	16-M-07						
7	NITISH KUMAR	16-M-08						
8	RAVI KR CHAUDHARY	16-M-10						
9	KUNAL GAURAV	16-M-11						
10	NIKHIL KR SHARMA	16-M-13						
11	ANUBHAV RAJ	16-M-16						
12	NITISH KUMAR	16-M-17						
13	AKASH KR RAO	16-M-18						
14	VIKASH KUMAR	16-M-19						
15	SHIVSHANKAR KR SINGH	16-M-21						
16	ALOK KUMAR	16-M-22						
17	SUJIT KUMAR	16-M-23						
18	AADARSH KUMAR	16-M-25						
19	VIDYASAGAR KR	16-M-26						
20	PREM KUMAR	16-M-28						
21	RISHIKANT	16-M-30						
22	ERAK AHMAD	16-M-32						
23	VANDANA KUMARI	16-M-33						
24	KHUSHBU KUMARI	16-M-34						
25	SUMTI KUMAR	16-M-35						
26	RAHUL RANJAN	16-M-36						
27	ANSHUMALI AMAN	16-M-37						
28	RAKESH KUMAR	16-M-38						
29	RISHAV RAJ	16-M-39						
30	NAVNIT KUMAR	16-M-40						
31	ROHIT KUMAR	16-M-41						
32	SAURABH SUMAN	16-M-42						
33	SOHIL AKHTAR	16-M-43						
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Program Name	B.TECH (MECHANICA	L ENGINEERING)		
Course Code	021722			
Course Name	INTERNAL COMBUSTI	ON ENGINE & GAS	FURBINE	
Lecture / Tutorial (per week):	3/0	Course Credits	5	
Course Coordinator Name	Ajit Kumar Chauhan			

Scope and Objectives of the Course

This course elaborates on the fundamentals of internal combustion engines and what affects their performance, operation, fuel requirements and environmental impact. The course considers thermodynamic, combustion, heat transfer and friction phenomena, and fuel properties, relevant to engine power, efficiency and emissions, and examines design features and operating characteristics of different types of internal combustion engines; including spark-ignition, diesel, stratified-charge, and mixed-cycle engines.

Due to the wide range of applications of Internal Combustion Engines operated as energy machine in our live, teach the basic knowledge to the students studying Mechanical Engineering about the engine terminology within the scope of the curriculum disclosure of issues such as history, basic concepts, motor cycle calculation, Mixture Characteristics, combustion, the actual cycle, knock, power calculations and the gas exchange.

1. Textbooks

- TB1: Internal Combustion Engine by V Ganesan, (Tata McGraw Hill).
- TB2: Internal Combustion Engines- Fundamentals by Heywood.
- TB3: Gas Turbine by V Ganesan (Tata McGraw Hill).
- **TB4:** Mathur M.C.,Sharma R.D.,"Internal combustion engines",8th Ed.; Dhanpat Rai publication.,2003

2. <u>Reference Books</u>

RB1: Internal Combustion Engine by theory and practical- Taylor CF **RB2:** Fundamental of Gas Turbine by Bathie WW.

Course/Lecture Plan

Lecture Number	Date of Lecture	Topics	Web links for video lectures	Text Book / Reference Book /	Page numbers
	Leeture			Other reading	of Text
				material	Book(s)
1-3		Introduction	https://nptel.ac.in/	TB1	
			<u>courses/</u>		
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		stroke, four stroke (SI and			
		CI) engines, engine parts,			
		engine working principle			
		and valve timing diagram.			

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4-0	Engine Performance-		
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	Purpose and types,		
	measurement of power,		
	Engine system &		
	performance parameters		
	evaluation.		
	Assi	ignment-1	•
7-9	Theory of Combustion		TB1
	Principal of combustion.	-	
	S.L. & C.L. engine		
	combustion process &		
	narameters their		
	dependence on engine		
	variables and apareting		
	variables and operating		
	parameters.		
10-14	Adiabatic flame		TBI
	temperature		
	Combustion processes &		
	combustion chamber for		
	SI and CI engines		
	pollutant formation and		
	control, effect of engine		
	variables on combustion		
	processes, knowing in SI		
	& CI engines.		
	Assi	ignment-2	
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15-17	Petroleum based fuel		TB1
	Gasoline & diesel fuel	-	
	and their properties		
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	iuel ratio and load		
	Variation.		
10.00	Mid-Semester Exam(Sylla	ibus covered from 1-	I / Lecture)
18-23	Carburetors & modern		IBI
	air fuel systems	-	
	Compensating devices,		
	venture and jet dimension		
	calculation, injection		
	system.		
24-25	Supercharging		TB1
	Engine lubrication and		
	cooling		
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26-30	Gas turbine		TB3
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	gas turonne cycle, effect of		
	operating variables on		
	thermal efficiency.		

31-35	Regenerative reheat cyclesgas turbine applications, closed cycle gas turbine	TB3	
	Assignment-4		
36-39	Jet propulsion Working principle, thrust power, propulsive force and efficiency.	TB3	
40-42	Rocket engine Theory of operation and its applications, propellant	TB3	
	Assignment-5		

Evaluation Scheme:

Component 1	Mid Semester Exam	20
Component 2	Assignment Evaluation	10
Component 3**	End Term Examination**	70
	Total	100

** The End Term Comprehensive examination will be held at the end of semester. The mandatory requirement of 75% attendance in all theory classes is to be met for being eligible to appear in this component.

SYLLABUS

Topics	No of lectures	Weightage
Introduction	3	7%
Classification: Two stroke, four stroke (SI and CI) engines,		
engine parts, engine working principle and valve timing		
diagram.		
Engine Performance-Test	3	7%
Purpose and types, measurement of power, Engine system &		
performance parameters evaluation.		
Theory of Combustion	3	7%
Principal of combustion, S.I. & C.I. engine combustion process		
& parameters their dependence on engine variables and		
operating parameters.		
Adiabatic flame temperature	5	12%
Combustion processes & combustion chamber for SI and CI		
engines pollutant formation and control, effect of engine		
variables on combustion processes, knowing in SI & CI engines.		
Petroleum based fuel	3	7%
Gasoline & diesel fuel and their properties. Chemically correct		

air-fuel ratio and load variation.		
Carburetors & modern air fuel systems	6	14%
Compensating devices, venture and jet dimension calculation,		
injection system.		
Supercharging	2	5%
Engine lubrication and cooling		
Gas turbine	5	12%
Principle. Simple, open gas turbine cycle, effect of operating		
variables on thermal efficiency.		
Regenerative reheat cycles	5	12%
gas turbine applications, closed cycle gas turbine		
Jet propulsion	4	10%
Working principle, thrust power, propulsive force and		
efficiency.		
Rocket engine	3	7%
Theory of operation and its applications, propellant		

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Evaluation and Examination Blue Print:

Internal assessment is done through quiz tests, presentations, assignments and project work. Two sets of question papers are asked from each faculty and out of these two, without the knowledge of faculty, one question paper is chosen for the concerned examination. Examination rules and regulations are uploaded on the student's portal. Evaluation is a very transparent process and the answer sheets of sessional tests, internal assessment assignments are returned back to the students.

The components of evaluations along with their weightage followed by the University are given below:

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Sessional Test 1	20%
Sessional Test 2	0%
Sessional Test 3	0%
Assignments/Quiz Tests/Seminars	10%
End term examination	70%
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Department of Mechanical Engineering I.C. Engine and Gas Turbine (ME-021722)

Assignment -01

- 1. What is heat engine? What are the classifications of heat engine?
- 2. Explain the construction and working of four stroke SI and CI engine with neat sketch.
- 3. Explain with sketch the working of a 2 stroke engine.
- 4. Differentiate between two stroke and four stroke engine.
- 5. Differentiate between SI engine and CI engine.
- 6. Define stroke, bore, compression ratio, piston speed, swept volume and clearance volume.
- 7. With the help of a valve timing diagram, explain the working of four stroke engine.
- 8. With neat sketch explain the port timing diagram of a two stroke engine.
- 9. What are the assumptions of air standard cycle?
- 10. Derive an expression for the efficiency of Otto and Diesel cycle.
- 11. Derive the expression for efficiency of Dual cycle.

Assignment -02

- 1. Explain with figures various types of combustion chambers used in SI engines.
- 2. Explain the knocking phenomena in S.I. and C.I. engines and discuss the factors which reduce knocking.
- 3. Explain briefly the stages of combustion in a C.I. engine.
- 4. a) What are the different stages of combustion in a CI engine?
- 5. b) Explain the effects of compression ratio and engine speed on the first stage of combustion ina CI engine.
- 6. What is the difference between SI and CI engines knocking?
- 7. Explain how the ignition lag is an important parameter for causing knocking in a C.I. engine ?
- 8. Explain briefly the stages of combustion in SI engine.
- 9. What are the factors which effect delay period?
- 10. A simple jet carburetor is required to supply 5 kg of air and 0.5 kg fuel per minute. The fuel specific gravity is 0.75. The air is initially at 1 & 300 K. Calculate the throat diameter of the choke for a flow velocity of 100 m/sec. Velocity coefficient is 0.8. If the pressure drop across the fuel metering orifice is 0.80 of that of the choke, calculate the orifice diameter of fuel nozzle assuming C_{df} = 0.60, γ = 1.4.
- 11. Show with graphs the effect of fuel-air ratio on the efficiency and maximum power.

Assignment -03

- 1. A simple jet carburetor is required to supply 5 kg of air and 0.5 kg fuel per minute. The fuel specific gravity is 0.75. The air is initially at 1 & 300 K. Calculate the throat diameter of the choke for a flow velocity of 100 m/sec. Velocity coefficient is 0.8. If the pressure drop across the fuel metering orifice is 0.80 of that of the choke, calculate the orifice diameter of fuel nozzle assuming Cdf= 0.60, $\gamma = 1.4$.
- 2. Show with graphs the effect of fuel-air ratio on the efficiency and maximum power.
- 3. What is 'petrol injection'? Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of petrol injection system over the carburetor system.
- 4. Explain with neat sketch the construction and working of a simple carburetor.
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Assignment -04

- 1. With neat sketch explain Splash lubrication system.
- 2. With neat sketch explain Splash and pressure lubrication system.
- 3. With neat sketch explain pressure feed lubrication system.
- 4. Explain dry sump lubrication with the help of suitable diagram.
- 5. Briefly describe the mist lubrication system.
- 6. What is crankcase ventilation and why it is done?
- 7. What are the desirable properties of a lubricant?
- 8. What are the additives which commonly used with lubricants?
- 9. Compare dry sump and wet sump lubrication.
- 10. Why sump lubrication system is not used in two stroke engine and what type of lubrication is generally used in two stroke engine?
- 11. What are the various characteristics of an efficient cooling system?
- 12. What is an air-cooling system and in which type of system it is generally used?

Assignment -05

- 1. A gas turbine plant operates on the Brayton cycle and the air at the inlet is at 27°C and 0·1 MPa. The pressure ratio is 6·25 and the maximum temperature is 800°C. The turbine and the compressor efficiencies are each80%. Find the following:
 - (a) The compressor work per kg of air
 - (b) The turbine work per kg of air 17. The heat supplied per kg of air
 - (c) The cycle efficiency.
 - (d) The turbine exhaust temperature
- 2. Explain the methods for increasing the efficiency of a gas turbine cycle.
- 3. What is reheating and how does it affect the performance of Brayton cycle?

4. Why inter cooling is done in a gas turbine power plant? Evaluate the effect of inter cooling on a gas turbine cycle?

5. A 6 cylinder diesel engine operates on 4-stroke cycle. The bore of each cylinder is 95 mm and stroke is 120 mm. Speed of engine 2400 rpm. Orifice diameter = 30 mm. Coefficient of discharge, C_d = 0.62. Time of consume 100 c c. diesel = 19.3 sec. Fuel density = 0.831 gm/c.c. Density of air = 1.17 kg/m3. Manometric water head = 197 mm. Brake drum dia. = 300 mm. Rope diameter = 20 mm. Brake load = 56 kg Calculate the following:

- a. Brake power
- b. Brake thermal efficiency if calorific value of diesel is 43000 kJ/kg.
- c. Volumetric efficiency
- d. Brake mean effective pressure
- e. Brake specific fuel consumption.
- 6. a) Compute the brake mean effective pressure of a four cylinder, four stroke diesel engine having 150 mm bore and 200 mm stroke which develops a break power of 73.6 kW at 1200 rpm.

b) Find the mean piston speed of a diesel engine running at 1500 rpm. The engine has a 100 mm bore and L/d ratio is 1.5.

- 7. The following details were noted in a test on a four cylinder four stroke engine, diameter = 100, stroke = 120 mm, speed of the engine = 1600 rpm, fuel consumption = 0.2 kg/min, calorific value of fuel is 44000 kJ/kg, difference in tension on either side of the brake pulley = 40 kg, brake circumference = 300 cm. If the mechanical efficiency is 80%, calculate:
 - 1 break thermal efficiency
 - 2 indicated thermal efficiency
 - 3 indicated mean effective pressure
 - 4 break specific fuel consumption



LoknayakJaiprakash Institute of Technology, Chapra (B.Tech 7th semester Mid Semester examination -2018) Subject:- Internal Combustion Engine and Gas Turbine Time: 2 hours Full Marks: 20

Instructions: i.

- There are five questions in this paper. ii.
- Attempt four questions in all. iii.
 - Questions No. 1 is Compulsory.
 - 1. Answer all by writing True or False? (1x5=5marks)
 - (i) For a heat engine working on air standard diesel cycle, the efficiency will decreases as cut off is increased.
 - (ii) The order of values of thermal efficiency of Otto, Diesel and Dual cycle, when they have equal compression ratio and heat rejection, is given by $\eta_{oto} > \eta_{dual} > \eta_{diesel}$.

 - (iii) The two reference fuels used for cetane rating are normal heptane and iso-octane.
 - (iv) The tendency of knocking in SI Engine occurs in the end of combustion.
 - (v) The morse test is used to determine the indicated power of multi-cylinder SI engine.

2.	(a) How do you classify the internal combustion engines?	2.5 marks
	(b) Distinguish between 2-Stroke Engine and 4-Stroke Engine.	2.5 marks

- 3. An IC engine working on air standard dual cycle has compression ratio 15, and the compression begins at pressure 1 bar and temp 300 K. The maximum pressure is limited to 60 bar. The heat transferred to air at constant volume is twice that at constant pressure. Determine? 5 marks
 - (a) The pressure and temp. at all points of the cycle.
 - (b) Cut-off ratio, and
 - (c) Cycle Efficiency
- 4. A four cylinder 4 stroke SI engine has a bore of 57 mm and a stroke of 90 mm. It runs at 2800 rpm and is tested at this speed against a brake which has a torque arm length of 0.356 m. The net brake load is 155 N and the fuel consumption is 6.74 liter/hr, The Sp. Gravity of the fuel is 0.735 and it has a LCV of 44200 kJ/kg. A Morse test is carried out and the cylinder are cut out in the order 1,2,3,4 with the corresponding brake loads of 111, 106.5, 104.2 and 111 N respectively. Determine? 5 marks
- (a) The bp, (b) the bmep, (c) the brake thermal efficiency, (d) the bsfc, (e) the ip, (f) the mechanical efficiency, (g) the imep.
- 5. (a) State the assumptions made in the analysis of air standard cycles. 1.5 marks

(b)With the help of (P-0) diagram explain the combustion stages in SI Engine and also

explain the knocking phenomena in SI engine.

3.5 marks

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solutions 3 (I.c. Engine - mid sem Exam) a. 3. (continued) Determine :-(9) Pressure: P2, PS, Temp: :- T2, T3, T4, TS Process 1+2; PVY = comet, tvY-1 = const $\frac{P_{2}}{P_{1}} = \left(\frac{Y_{1}}{Y_{2}}\right)^{Y} = r^{Y} = 15^{1.4}$ $P_2 = P_1 \times 15^{1.4} = 1 \times 15^{1.9} = 44.31 \text{ bar}$ * $\frac{r_2}{r_1} = \left(\frac{v_1}{v_2}\right)^{r_1} = v^{r_1} = 15^{1.4-1} = 15^{0.4}$ -. T2 = T1 × 15 °. 4 = 300 × 15° 4 = 886.25 K Process 2->3; PV= MRT, Vol.= const. :. Pat $r_3 = r_3 = \frac{60}{14.31}$ $T_3 = T_2 \times \frac{60}{44.31} = 886.25 \times \frac{60}{44.31} = 1200.07 K.$ By given data; (T3-T2)= 2.7. (T4-T3) ·· 1200.07 - 886.25 = 2 × 1.4 (T4 - 1200.07) TA - 1200.07 = 112.08 :. TA = 1312.15 K (b) cut off Ratio(r)= 14; Process 3-3-4 Pr= MRT V3; Process 3-3-4 Pr= MRT P= conste= 15m · · · VAT $P = \frac{V_4}{L_3} = \frac{T_4}{T_3} = \frac{1312.15}{1200.07} = 1.09$ $f = \frac{V_4}{V_2} = 1.09$ Ans:

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6 Solutions :-(I.c. Engine - Mid sem. Exam)

0).4 Griven :-No. of cylinder (K) = 4 d = 57mm = 0.057m L = 90 mm = 0.090 m N = 2800 R.P.M. (N = 1400 R.P.M) (: four stroki) Ly N/2 = 1400 cycle/min. Torque apro length (R)= 0.356m Brake load FF 155 N Fuel consumptions mate = 6.74 J/h = 6.74× 10-3 m3/sec. = 1.872× 10-6 m/sec SA Groavity = 0.735 ··· Density (P) = 0.735×1000 = 735 g/m3 Lower calorific value (Lev) = 44200 KJ/kg Masse Test Data

3BI = 111 N ; 4B = 155 N -> Brake long when all cyl. fire. 3B2 = 106.5 N 3 B3 = 104.2 N 3B4 = 111 N

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Consider Torque T =
$$f \times P = 155 \times 0.254$$
 0.354
 $F = 55.2 \text{ N·m.}$
(*) Broke Power (bP) = $\frac{2\pi N}{60} T$
 $= \frac{2 \times 17 \times 2800}{60} \times 55.2$
 $= 16.2 \times 10^3 \text{ W} = 16.2 \text{ KW}$
 $PP = 16.2 \text{ KW} \cdot Pms$
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(c)
$$h_{\mu H} = \frac{B \cdot P}{m_{5}^{2} \times 44200 \times 10^{3}} = \frac{16 \cdot 2 \times 10^{3}}{(1 \cdot 672 \times 10^{6} \times 735) \times 44200} \times 10^{3}}$$

 $h_{\mu H} = 0.266 = 24.60/0 \quad Ams;$
(d) $b5fz = B \quad Auel consumption Parte (M) set)$
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 $b5fc = 0.306 M_{3}/kwh. \quad Ams.$
(e) $4B = 155 \text{ N}$
 $3B = \frac{3B_{1} + 3B_{2} + 3B_{3} + 3B_{4}}{4}$
 $4T = 4B + 4ft$
 $3T = 3B + 9ft$
 $I = 4B - 3B$ M_{3}

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$$\therefore 4I = 4 \times 46.8 = 1872 \text{ H} (\text{first degl})$$
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$$\text{Mechanical Efficiency (n_{m}) = $\frac{B \cdot P}{I \cdot P} = \frac{B \cdot R + Load}{Indicated Lead}$

$$\frac{h_{m}}{h_{m}} = \frac{155}{187.2} = 0.828 = 82.84 \text{ H}.$$
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$$\frac{H_{m}}{I \cdot P} = \frac{B \cdot P}{I \cdot P} \therefore I \cdot P = \frac{B \cdot P}{2m} = \frac{162}{0.828} = 195657$$
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Indicated Rouse = 1956 KW Ams. (e)
(3) Indicated mean effective Reassume ($1m_{m}$)

$$\frac{h_{m}}{I \cdot P} = \frac{I \cdot P \times 60}{L \times R \times \frac{H}{2} \times K} = \frac{19.56 \times 6^{\circ}}{0.928 \times \frac{H}{2} \times 10^{\circ} \text{ F}_{R}} = \frac{9.12 \times 10^{\circ} \text{ F}_{R}}{1000 \times 4}$$

$$\frac{H_{m}}{I \cdot P} = \frac{10 \cdot 17 \text{ K} \text{ R}_{R}}{I \cdot P} = 9.12 \times 10^{\circ} \text{ R}_{R}} = \frac{9.15 \text{ Las}}{Im_{m}}$$

$$\frac{H_{m}}{I \cdot P} = \frac{10 \cdot 528}{I \cdot P} = \frac{7.56}{I \cdot P}$$$$
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- Qi5 (a) Assumptions made in the analysis of air standard cycles:-
 - The working medium is assumed to be a respect gas and follows the selation. PV = MRT.
 - I there is no drange in the mass of working medium.
 - 3 All the process that constitute the eyele and removable.
 - E) Head is assumed to supplied from a constant high temp source and not from the chamical new ction during eyelv.
 - B soone head is assurand to be rejected to a constant low temp. stak draing the cycle.
 - It is assumed that there are no heat lasses from the system to the surroundings.
 - The working medium has constant specific heat through out the cycles

@ The physical const. cp. Ev, r, and M of woothing medium an some as fallours :-

Cp= 1-000 KJ/Kg-K , N=1.4 m= 23 1/8/mod for Alo Cr = 0.717 KJ/Hg-K

1 Q.5 (b) combustion stages in s.I. Engine: i In SI. Engline combustion process consist of 3- stages :-751 stage -> Ignition / g @ Preparation Phase The Stage -> Flame Propagation Dod stage > After combustion / After Burning-41×-11-> fease Bes orchand 100 Stooke 20 47 FT . Burton. motoring even 80 20 40 60 80 80 60 40 20 0 100 crank angle (deg) The Knocking Phenomena of S.I. Engine:-(ii) The Phenomena of Knock explained by the fig which shows the cross-sections of the combustion chamber with flame advancing from the spork plug location "A' without Knock and with Knock. AR 3



Abnooma) combustion (with Knocking)

In the normal combustion of SI. construe, the flome toavells from A towards D. the Advancing flome front compresses the and change BB'D forthest foors shork Blug, thus rising temp. & Bressman of end change. inspile of these factors if the temp. I pressure of end change not oceaches to its self isnition teach, the change would not autoo isnite and florers will advance furthers and cambus the end change BBID. This is the Horman cambus then fraces. if the end change BB'D reaches its auto isnition temp and bernains for some loops of dime equal to there of seaches for the self of the sead of a set of the series the change would not autoo isnite and florers will advance furthers and change BB'D reaches its auto isnition to the end change BB'D reaches its auto isnition temp and bernains for some loops of dime equal to the knowing combustion due to this Engine severely affected.



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(B.Tech 7th Semester Mid-Term Exam-2019)

Branch-Mechanical

Code :(021722)

Subject: Internal Combustion Engine & Gas Turbine

Time: 2 hours

Instructions:

- (i) All question carry equal marks.
- There are total **five** questions in this paper. (ii)
- (iii) Attempt four questions in all.
- Questions No. 1 is compulsory. (iv)
- Any missing data may be assumed suitably. (v)

1. Answer the following questions.

(i) Mixing of fuel and air take place in engine cylinder in case of diesel engine. (True/False) (ii) In a dual cycle heat addition take place at const. volume first and then after heat addition take place at const. pressure. (True/False)

(iii) The amount of oxygen needed to completely burn the 1 kg of methane is.....kg. (iv) The tendency of petrol to detonate is compared in terms of octane number. (True/False) (v) Motoring test is carried out on IC engine to determine the Indicated Power. (True/False)

- 2. (a) With neat sketch explain the working principal of four-stroke CI engine. Marks 2.5 (b) Compare four-stroke and two-stroke cycle engines. Marks 2.5
- 3. A four cylinder 4 stroke SI engine has a bore of 57 mm and a stroke of 90 mm. It runs at 2800 rpm and is tested at this speed against a brake which has a torque arm length of 0.356 m. The net brake load is 155 N and fuel consumption is 6.74 litre/hour. The Specific Gravity of the fuel is 0.735 and it has a lower calorific value of 44200 KJ/Kg. A Morse test is carried out and the cylinder are cut out in the order 1, 2, 3, 4 with the corresponding brake loads of 111, 106.5, 104.2 and 111 N respectively. Determine? Mraks 5

(i) the bp (ii) the bmep (iii) the bsfc (iv) the ip (v) the imep

- 4. In a single cylinder SI engine the pressure at 25% of compression stroke is 1.5 bar and at 75% of compression stroke is 5 bar. During this process the Law follow $PV^{1.3} = Const.$ Find the air standard cycle efficiency. Marks 5
- 5. For a dual combustion cycle the pressure and temp. at beginning of compression are 1.03 bar at 30°C. The temp. at the end of compression is 400°C. The max. temp. of the cycle is 2000°C. The Heat Addition at const. pressure is 2.5 times of the Heat Addition at const. volume. Determine the max pressure and the efficiency of the cycle. Marks 5

Full Marks: 20

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INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND GAS TURBINE

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are **NINE** questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all.
- (iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.
- Choose the correct answer of the following (any seven): 2×7=14
 - (a) Air standard diesel cycle has a compression ratio of 14 and cut-off takes place at 6% of the stroke. What is the cut-off ratio (β)?

(i)	1.06	(ii)	0.78
(iii)	1.78	(iv)	0.94

(b) The amount of oxygen needed to completely burn 1 kg of methane is

(i)	2 kg	(ii)	4 kg	
(iii)	16 kg	(iv)	22 kg	

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- (c) In spark ignition engine, knocking can be reduced by
 - (i) increasing he compression ratio
 - (ii) increasing the cooling water temperature
 - (iii) retarding the spark advance
 - (iv) increasing the air inlet temperature
- (d) The combustion chamber design that will have minimum surface to volume ratio is
 - (i) hemisphere
 - (ii) pancake

(iii) bowl in piston

- (iv) double hemisphere
- (e) The optimum intermediate pressure P_i for a gas-turbine plant operating between pressure limits P_1 and P_2 with perfect intercooling between two stages of compression (with identical isentropic efficiency) is given by

(i)
$$P_i = P_2 - P_1$$
 (ii) $P_i = (P_1 + P_2)/2$
(iii) $P_i = (P_1 P_2)^{0.5}$ (iv) $P_i = (P_1 + P_2)^{0.5}$

(f) Volumetric efficiency is affected by

- (i) exhaust gas in the clearance volume
- (ii) valve timing
- (iii) design of intake and exhaust valve
- (iv) All of the above

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- (3)
- (g) Turbocharger compressor is driven by (i) exhaust gas turbine
 - (ii) engine itself
 - (iii) separate electric motor
 - (iv) None of the above
- (h) For a four-cylinder vertical engine, the commonly used firing order is

(i) 1-2-3-4 (ii) 3-4-1-2(iii) 1-3-4-2 (iv) 4-3-2-1

- (i) Inlet valve closing is done at a higher crank angle for high speed engine to take the advantage of
 - (i) ramming
 - (ii) back pressure
 - (iii) exhaust blow down
 - (iv) back flow
- (j) The design of intake port which will induce maximum swirl is
 - (i) directed straight port
 - (ii) deflector wall port
 - (iii) masked valve port
 - (iv) helical port

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Explain the following in brief :

(i) Mean effective pressure

(ii) Specific fuel consumption

(iii) Equivalence ratio

(iv) Indicated thermal efficiency

(v) Brake thermal efficiency

(vi) Volumetric efficiency

(vii) Mechanical efficiency

For four-stroke engines, the inlet and exhaust valve opening and closing crank angles are typically :

> Inlet valve opening-15 Crank angle degree before TDC

> Inlet valve closing—50 Crank angle degree after BDC

Exhaust valve opening—55 Crank angle degree before BDC

Exhaust valve closing-10 Crank angle degree after TDC

Explain why these value timings improve engine breathing relative to value opening and closing at the beginnings and ends of the intake and exhaust strokes.

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- **3.** (a) Explain why constant volume combustion gives a higher indicated fuel conversion efficiency than constant pressure combustion for the same compression ratio.
 - (b) Explain the reasons why expansion stroke pressure for an actual spark ignition engine falls below the fuel-air cycle pressures.
- 4. (a) Draw a typical heat release diagram for direct injection CI engine. Briefly explain the different phases encountered in this diagram.
 - (b) What is ignition delay and what are the various factors that affect the ignition delay in CI engine?



Explain the Willian's line method of measuring frictional power of an internal combustion engine. Why is this method only applicable to compression ignition (CI) engine?

(b) In a test on a four-cylinder spark ignition engine, the following power and fuel consumption measurements were made :

> With all cylinders firing—30.00 kW With cylinder 1 only not

> > firing—20·75 kW

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With cylinder 2 only not firing—20.50 kW With cylinder 3 only not firing—20.50 kW With cylinder 4 only not firing—20.75 kW

The time taken to consume 250 ml of fuel is 85 seconds. Specific gravity of fuel = 0.85 and calorific value of fuel is 40 MJ/kg. Determine the mechanical efficiency and brake thermal efficiency of the engine.

6. (a) A four-stroke diesel engine working at sea level (pressure is 1 bar and temperature is 17 °C) develops a brake power of 280 kW with a volumetric efficiency of 80% at sea level conditions. The engine works at an air-fuel ratio of 18 : 1, with a specific fuel consumption of 0.240 kg/kWh. The engine runs at 1800 r.p.m. Determine the engine capacity and brake mean effective pressure.

The engine is taken to an altitude of 3 km where the ambient temperature and pressure are -23 °C and 0.715 bar, respectively. A mechanically coupled supercharger is fitted to the engine which consumes 12% of the total power

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engine. the developed by The temperature air of leaving the supercharger is 37 °C. Determine the degree of supercharging (ratio of supercharger to rise in pressure ambient pressure) required to maintain the same brake power of sea level and also calculate the isentropic efficiency of the compressor. Assume that air-fuel ratio, thermal efficiency and volumetric the for remains same efficiency naturally aspirated and supercharged engine.

- (b) With the help of neat sketch, explain the difference between single-point fuel injection (SPFI) and multi-point fuel injection (MPFI) engines. Discuss the advantages of MPFI over SPFI engines.
- 7. An open-cycle gas turbine is equipped with intercooling, regeneration and reheat arrangements. The high-pressure turbine is used for compressor drive and low-pressure turbine for output. The specific output of the installation is 132 kW/kg/s and overall thermal efficiency of 32%. The following data refer to this installation :

Pressure ratio in each compressor state = 2.5Isentropic efficiency in each compressor stage = 0.86

Isentropic efficiency in high-pressure turbine = 0.87

Isentropic efficiency in low-pressure turbine = 0.84

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- (a) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of using LPG in SI Engine.
 - (b) Explain with neat sketches the different methods of supercharging. Discuss the effects of supercharging on:
 - (i) Power output
 - (ii) Mechanical efficiency, and
 - (iii) Fuel consumption
- 7. (a) With the help of p-∂ diagram explain the stages of combustion in SI engine,
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 - (b) What are the factors tending to reduce knock in SI and CI engine?
- (a) Explain with a neat sketch the working of a simple carburettor.
 - (b) Derive the expression of fuel air ratio for a simple carburettor. 7
- 9. In an open gas turbine plant the pressure ratio through which air at 288 K is compressed is 14. The same air is then heated to a maximum temperature of 1300°C first in a heat exchanger which is 75% Effective and then in the combustion chamber. The heated air is then expanded in two stages such that the expansion work is maximum. The air is reheated to 1300°C after the first stage. The Compressor and Turbine efficiencies may be assumed to be 85% and 86% respectively. Determine: (a) net power, (b) cycle efficiency, and (c) work ratio.

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B.Tech.7th Semester Special Examination, 2016 Internal Combustion Engine and Gas Turbine

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (i) There are Nine questions in this paper.
- (ii) Attempt Five questions in all.
- (iii) Questions No.1 is Compulsory.
- (iv) The marks are indicated in the right hand margin.
- 1. Answer any SEVEN by writing TRUE or FALSE: 2×7=14

- (a) For a heat engine working on air standard Diesel cycle the efficiency will decrease as cut off is increased.
- (b) For the same compression ratio Diesel cycle is more efficient than Otto cycle.
- (c) The two reference fuels used for cetane rating are cetane and α -methyl naphthalene.
- (d) In a carburettor a choke value restricts the air supply to make the gas richer with fuel.
- (e) Pistons of diesel engines are usually cooled by water.

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- (f) Mixing of fuel and air take place in engine cylinder in case of diesel engine.
- (g) Knock in the SI engine can be reduced by supercharging.
- (h) The tendency of knocking in CI engine is reduced by injection of fuel just before TDC.
- The Morse test is used to determine the indicated power of multicylinder SI engine.
- (j) In a variable speed SI engine the maximum torque occurs at the maximum speed.
- 2. (a) How do you classify the Internal Combustion Engines?
 - (b) Distinguish between the following: 10
 - (i) SI Engine and CI Engine
 - (ii) 2 Stroke Engine and 4 Stroke engine
- 3. (a) State the assumptions made in the analysis of air standard cycles. 4
 - (b) With the help of p-V and T-S diagram compare the thermal efficiency of Otto, Dual and Diesel cycle on the following bases: 10
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- (i) same compression ratio and heat supply, and
- (ii) same maximum pressure and heat supply
- 4. An I C Engine working on air standard Dual cycle has compression ratio 15, and the compression begins at 1 bar, 300 K. The maximum pressure is limited to 60 bar. The heat transferred to air at constant volume is twice that at constant pressure. Determine: 14
 - (a) the pressure and temperature at the cardinal points of the cycle.
 - (b) the cycle efficiency, and
 - (c) the mean effective pressure of the cycle.
- 5. A four cylinder 4 stroke SI engine has a bore of 60 mm and a stroke of 85mm. It runs at 3000 rpm and is tested at this speed against a brake which has a torque arm of 0.35 m. The net brake load is 160 N and the fuel consumption is 6.6 I/hr. The Sp. Gravity of the fuel is 0.78 and it has a LCV of 44000 kJ/kg. A Morse test is carried out and the cylinders are cut out in the order 1,2,3,4 with the corresponding brake loads of 114,110,112 and 116 N respectively. Determine:

(a) the bp, (b) the bmep, (c) the brake thermal efficiency, (d) the bsfc, (e) the ip, (f) the mechanical efficiency, and (g) the imep. 14

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INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND GAS TURBINE

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Instructions :

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- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are NINE questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt FIVE questions in all.

(iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

- 1. Choose the correct answer of the following (any seven): akubihar.com 2×7=14
 - (a) In a four-stroke SI engine, during suction
 - (i) only air is sucked
 - (ii) only fuel is sucked
 - (iii) fuel-air mixture is sucked
 - (iv) None of the above

- (b) Engines used for ships are normally
 - four-stroke SI engines of very high power akubihar.com
 - (ii) two-stroke CI engines of very high power
 - (iii) four-stroke CI engines of high speed
 - (iv) two-stroke SI engines of high power
- (c) Indicated power is directly proportional
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 - (i) torque
 - (ii) air consumption
 - (iii) cylinder peak pressure
 - (iv) None of the above
- (d) In CI engines, the delay period is affected by akubihar.com
 - (i) compression ratio
 - (ii) engine speed
 - (iii) output
 - (iv) All of the above
- (e) The air-fuel ratio for idling speed of an automobile petrol engine is closer to

(I)	10:1	(ii)	15:1
(iii)	17:1	(iv)	21:1

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- (f) A good CI engine fuel should have
 - (i) high octane number
 - (ii) very high cetane number
 - (iii) a short ignition lag
 - (iv) None of the above
- (g) In ideal regenerative cycle, the temperature of steam entering the turbine is same as that of
 - (i) water entering the turbine
 - (ii) water leaving the turbine
 - (iii) steam leaving the turbine
 - (iv) water at any section of the turbine
- (h) The choke in an automobile is meant for supplying akubihar.com
 - (i) lean mixture
 - (ii) rich mixture
 - (iii) stoichiometric mixture
 - (iv) weak mixture
- (i) The relative jet exit velocity from a rocket is 1900 m/s and the forward flight velocity is 950 m/s. What is the propulsive efficiency of the unit?

(i)	90%	(ü)	66.66%	
(iii)	50%	(iv)	33·33%	
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- (j) What is the main objective of supercharging of the engine?
 - (i) To reduce the mass of the engine per brake power
 - (ii) To reduce space occupied by engine
 - (iii) To increase the power output of engine akubihar.com
 - (iv) All of the above
- 2. (a) With neat sketches explain the working principle of four-stroke SI engine.
 - (b) Define the following in brief : 7
 - (i) Clearance volume
 - (ii) Swept volume
 - (iii) Stroke
 - (iv) Dead centre
 - (v) Indicated thermal efficiency
 - (vi) Mean effective pressure
 - (vii) Calorific value of the fuel akubihar.com

3. A four-stroke, four-cylinder gasoline engine has a bore of 60 mm and a stroke of 100 mm. On test it develops a torque of 66.5 N m when running at 3000 r.p.m. If the clearance volume in each cylinder is 60 cc, the relative

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efficiency with respect to brake thermal efficiency is 0.5 and the calorific value of the fuel is 42 MJ/kg, determine the fuel consumption in kg/h and the brake mean effective pressure. akubihar.com

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- Explain the process of combustion in CI engines and also explain the various stages of combustion.
- 5. Explain the phenomenon of knock in SI engines and compare it with CI engine knock. What is delay period and what are the factors that affect it?

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6. (a) What is meant by <u>supercharging?</u>
 Explain how supercharging helps, to improve the power output and write the limitations to supercharging.

What is meant by abnormal combustion?

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- 7. (a) Derive an expression for air-fuel ratio of a simple carburettor. 10
 - (b) Describe the main metering system of carburettor.

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In a gas turbine plant, working on the Brayton cycle with a regeneration of 75% effectiveness, the air at the inlet to the compressor is at 0.1 MPa, 30° C, the pressure ratio is 6, and the maximum cycle temperature is 900°C. If the turbine and compressor have an efficiency of 80% each, then find the percentage increse in the cycle efficiency due to regeneration.

- -9. Write short notes on the following :
 - (a) Morse test
 - (b) Evaporative cooling
 - (c) Wet sump lubrication system
 - (d) Pulsejet engine

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Sub: IC Engine and Gas Turbine

Questions & Answers:

- 1. The working cycle in case of four stroke engine is completed in following number of revolutions of crankshaft
 - (a) 1/2
 - (b) 1
 - (c) 2
 - (d) 4
 - (e) 8.
 - Ans: c

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- In a diesel engine, the fuel is ignited by
- (a) spark
- (b) injected fuel
- (c) heat resulting from compressing air that is supplied for combustion
- (d) ignition
- (e) combustion chamber.
- Ans: c
- 3. Scavenging air in diesel engine means
 - (a) air used for combustion sent under pres-sure
 - (b) forced air for cooling cylinder
 - (c) burnt air containing products of combustion
 - (d) air used for forcing burnt gases out of engine's cylinder during the exhaust period
 - (e) air fuel mixture.
 - Ans: d
- 4. Supercharging is the process of
 - (a) supplying the intake of an engine with air at a density greater than the density of the surrounding atmosphere
 - (b) providing forced cooling air
 - (c) injecting excess fuel for raising more load
 - (d) supplying compressed air to remove combustion products fully
 - (e) raising exhaust pressure.
 - Ans: a
- 5. Does the supply of scavenging air at a density greater than that of atmosphere mean engine is supercharged ?
 - (a) yes
 - (b) no
 - (c) to some extent
 - (d) unpredictable
 - (e) depends on other factors.

Ans: b

- 6. The ratio of indicated thermal efficiency to the corresponding air standard cycle efficiency is called
 - (a) net efficiency
 - (b) efficiency ratio
 - (c) relative efficiency
 - (d) overall efficiency
 - (e) cycle efficiency.
 - Ans: c
- 7. Compression ratio of LC. engines is
 - (a) the ratio of volumes of air in cylinder before compression stroke and after compression stroke
 - (b) volume displaced by piston per stroke and clearance volume in cylinder
 - (c) ratio of pressure after compression and before compression
 - (d) swept volume/cylinder volume
 - (e) cylinder volume/swept volume.

Ans: a

- 8. The air standard efficiency of an Otto cycle compared to diesel cycle for the given compression ratio is
 - (a) same
 - (b) less
 - (c) more
 - (d) more or less depending on power rating
 - (e) unpredictable.
- Ans: c 9.
 - The calorific value of gaseous fuels is expressed in terms of
 - (a) kcal
 - (b) kcal/kg
 - (c) kcal/m2
 - (d) kcal/n?
 - (e) all of the above.
 - Ans: d
- 10. If the intake air temperature of I.C. engine increases, its efficiency will
 - (a) increase
 - (b) decrease
 - (c) remain same
 - (d) unpredictable
 - (e) depend on other factors.
 - Ans: b
- 11. All heat engines utilize
 - (a) low heat value of oil
 - (b) high heat value of oil
 - (c) net claorific value of oil
 - (d) calorific value of fuel
 - (e) all of the above.
 - Ans: a
- 12. An engine indicator is used to determine the following
 - (a) speed
 - (b) temperature
 - (c) volume of cylinder
 - (d) m.e.p. and I.H.P.
 - (e) BHP.
 - Ans: d
- 13. Fuel oil consumption guarantees for I.C. engine are usually based on
 - (a) low heat value of oil
 - (b) high heat value of oil
 - (c) net calorific value of oil

- (d) calorific value of fuel
- (e) all of the above.

Ans: b

- 14. If the compression ratio of an engine working on Otto cycle is increased from 5 to 7, the %age increase in efficiency will be
 - (a) 2%
 - (b) 4%
 - (c) 8%
 - (d) 14%
 - (e) 27%.
 - Ans: d
- 15. In case of gas turbines, the gaseous fuel consumption guarantees are based on (a) high heat value
 - (b) low heat value
 - (c) net calorific value
 - (d) middle heat value
 - (e) calorific value.

Ans: b

- 16. In a typical medium speed 4-stroke cycle diesel engine the inlet valve
 - (a) opens at 20° before top dead center and closes at 35° after the bottom dead center (b) opens at top dead center and closes at bottom dead center
 - (c) opens at 10° after top dead center and closes 20° before the bottom dead center
 - (d) may open or close anywhere
 - (e) remains open for 200°.

Ans: a

- 17. The pressure and temperature at the end of compression stroke in a petrol engine are of the order of
 - (a) 4 6 kg/cm2 and 200 250°C
 - (b) 6 12 kg/cm2 and 250 350°C
 - (c) 12 20 kg/cm2 and 350 450°C
 - (d) 20 30 kg/cm2 and 450 500°C
 - (e) 30 40 kg/cm2 and 500 700°C.

Ans: b

- 18. The pressure at the end of compression in the case of diesel engine is of the order of
 - (a) 6 kg/cm
 - (b) 12kg/cmz
 - (c) 20 kg/cmz
 - (d) 27.5 kg/cmz
 - (e) 35 kg/cm

Ans: e

- 19. The maximum temperature in the I.C. engine cylinder is of the order of (a) 500- 1000°C
 - (b) 1000- 1500°C
 - (c) 1500-2000°C
 - (d) 2000-2500°C
 - (e) 2500-3000°C
 - Ans: d
- 20. The thermal efficiecny of a diesel cycle having fixed compression ratio, with increase in cut-off ratio will
 - (a) increase
 - (b) decrease
 - (c) be independent
 - (d) may increase or decrease depending on other factors
 - (e) none of the above.

Ans: b

- 21. Pick up the wrong statement
 - (a) 2-stroke engine can run in any direction
 - (b) In 4-stroke engine, a power stroke is obtained in 4-strokes
 - (c) thermal efficiency of 4-stroke engine is more due to positive scavenging
 - (d) petrol engines work on otto cycle
 - (e) petrol engines occupy more space than diesel engines for same power output.

Ans: e

- 22. Combustion in compression ignition engines is
 - (a) homogeneous
 - (b) heterogeneous
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) laminar
 - (e) turbulent.

Ans: b

- 23. The fuel in diesel engine is normally injected at pressure of
 - (a) 5-10 kg/cm2
 - (b) 20-25 kg/cm2
 - (c) 60-80 kg/cm2
 - (d) 90-130 kg/cm2
 - (e) 150-250 kg/cm2

Ans: d

24. The specific fuel consumption per BHP hour for diesel engine is approximately

- (a) 0.15 kg
- (b) 0.2 kg
- (c) 0.25 kg
- (d) 0.3 kg
- (e) 0.35 kg.
- Ans: b
- 25. The temperature of interior surface of cylinder wall in normal operation is not allowed to exceed
 - (a) 80°C
 - (b) 120°C
 - (c) 180°C
 - (d) 240°C
 - (e) 320°C.

Ans: c

- 26. Crankcase explosion in I.C. engines usuall occurs as
 - (a) first a mild explosion followed by a bi explosion
 - (b) first a big explosion followed by a mil explosion
 - (c) both mild and big explosions occi simultaneously
 - (d) never occurs
 - (e) unpredictable.

Ans: a

- 27. Compression loss in I.C engines occurs duto
 - (a) leaking piston rings
 - (b) use of thick head gasket
 - (c) clogged air-inlet slots
 - (d) increase in clearance volume caused b bearing-bushing wear
 - (e) all of the above.

Ans: e

- 28. The specific fuel consumption per BH hour for a petrol engine is approximately
 - (a) 0.15 kg
 - (b) 0.2 kg
 - (c) 0.25 kg
 - (d) 0.3kg

(e) 0.35 kg.

Ans: c

- 29. The air requirement of a petrol engine during starting compared to theoretical airequired for complete combustion is
 - (a) more
 - (b) loss
 - (c) same
 - (d) may be more or less depending on engine capacity
 - (e) unpredictable.

Ans: b

- 30. The inlet value of a four stroke cycle I.C engine remains open for nearly
 - (a) 180°
 - (b) 125°
 - (c) 235°
 - (d) 200°
 - (e) 275°.
 - Ans: c
- 31. Which of the following is not an interns combustion engine
 - (a) 2-stroke petrol engine
 - (b) 4-stroke petrol engine
 - (c) diesel engine
 - (d) gas turbine
 - (e) steam turbine.
 - Ans: e
- 32. Pick up the false statement
 - (a) Thermal efficiency of diesel engine i about 34%
 - (b) Theoretically correct mixture of air am petrol is approximately 15 : 1
 - (c) High speed compression engines operate on dual combustion cycle
 - (d) Diesel engines are compression ignition engines
 - (e) S.I. engines are quality-governed engines.
 - Ans: e
- 33. If one cylinder of a diesel engine receives more fuel than the others, then for that cylinder the
 - (a) exhaust will be smoky
 - (b) piston rings would stick into piston grooves
 - (c) exhaust temperature will be high
 - (d) engine starts overheating
 - (e) scavenging occurs.

Ans: e

- 34. The output of a diesel engine can be increased without increasing the engine revolution or size in following way
 - (a) feeding more fuel
 - (b) increasing flywheel size
 - (c) heating incoming air
 - (d) scavenging
 - (e) supercharging.
 - Ans: e
- 35. It the temperature of intake air in IC engines is lowered, then its efficiency will
 - (a) increase
 - (b) decrease
 - (c) remain same
 - (d) increase upto certain limit and then decrease
 - (e) decrease upto certain limit and then in-crease.

Ans: a

- 36. In a typical medium speed 4-stroke cycle diesel engine
 - (a) compression starts at 35° after bottom dead center and ends at top dead center

(b) compression starts at bottom dead center and ends at top dead center

(c) compression starts at 10° before bottom dead center and, ends just before top dead center

- (d) may start and end anywhere
- (e) none of the above.

Ans: a

- 37. For the same compression ratio
 - (a) Otto cycle is more efficient than the Diesel
 - (b) Diesel cycle is more efficient'than Otto
 - (c) both Otto and Diesel cycles are, equally efficient
 - (d) compression ratio has nothing to do with efficiency
 - (e) which is more efficient would depend on engine capacity.
- Ans: a
- 38. The precess of breaking up or a lipuid into fine droplets by spraying is called (a) vaporisation
 - (a) vaporisation (b) carburetion
 - (c) ionisation
 - (d) injection
 - (e) atomisation.

 - Ans: e
- 39. As a result of detonation in an I.C. engine, following parameter attains very high value
 - (a) peak pressure
 - (b) rate of rise of pressure
 - (c) rate of rise of temperature
 - (d) peak temperature
 - (e) rate of rise of horse-power.
- Ans: b
- 40. Which of the following statements is correct?
 - (a) All the irreversible engines have same efficiency
 - (b) All the reversible engines have same efficiency
 - (c) Both Rankine and Caront cycles have same efficiency between same temperature limits
 - (d) All reversible engines working between same temperature limits have sameefficiency
 - (e) Between same temperature limits, both petrol and diesel engines have same efficiency.
 - Ans: d
- 41. Most high speed compression engines operate on
 - (a) Diesel cycle
 - (b) Otto cycle
 - (c) Dual combustion cycle
 - (d) Special type of air cycle
 - (e) Carnot cycle.
 - Ans: c
- 42. The accunmulation of carbon in a cylinder results in increase of
 - (a) clearance volume
 - (b) volumetric efficiency
 - (c) ignition time
 - (d) effective compression ratio
 - (e) valve travel time.
 - Ans: d
- 43. Which of the following medium is compressed in a Diesel engine cylinder
 - (a) air aione
 - (b) air and fuel
 - (c) air and lub oil

- (d) fuel alone
- (e) air, fuel and lub oil.

Ans: a

- 44. The air-fuel ratio of the petrol engine is controlled by
 - (a) fuel pump
 - (b) governor
 - (c) injector
 - (d) carburettor
 - (e) scavenging.

Ans: d

- 45. In a typical medium speed, 4-stroke cycle diesel engine
 - (a) fuelinjection starts at 10° before to dead center and ends at 20° after tor dead center
 - (b) fuel injection starts at top dead center and ends at 20° after top dead center
 - (c) fuel injection starts at just before top dead center and ends just after top deac center
 - (d) may start and end anywhere
 - (e) none of the above.
 - Ans: a
- 46. Diesel fuel, compared to petrol is
 - (a) less difficult to ignite
 - (b) just about the same difficult to ignite
 - (c) more difficult to ignite
 - (d) highly ignitable
 - (e) none of the above.

Ans: c

- 47. In diesel engine the diesel fuel injected into cylinder would burn instantly at about compressed air temperature of
 - (a) 250°C
 - (b) 500°C
 - (c) 1000°C
 - (d) 150CPC
 - (e) 2000°C.
 - Ans: c
- 48. When crude oil is heated, then which of the following hydrocarbon is given off first.
 - (a) kerosene
 - (b) gasoline
 - (c) paraffin
 - (d) diesel
 - (e) natural gas.

Ans: e

- 49. The rating of a diesel engine, with increase in airintlet temperature, will
 - (a) increase linearly
 - (b) decrease linearly
 - (c) increase parabolically
 - (d) decrease parabolically
 - (e) first decrease linearly and then increase parabolically.

Àns: b

- 50. A 75 cc engine has following parameter as 75 cc
 - (a) fuel tank capacity
 - (b) lub oil capacity
 - (c) swept volume
 - (d) cylinder volume
 - (e) clearance volume.

- 51. A heat engine utilises the
 - (a) calorific value of oil
 - (b) low heat value of
 - (c) high heat value of oil
 - (d) mean heat value of oil
 - (e) all of the above.

Ans: c

- 52. Gaseous-fuel guarantees are based on
 - (a) calorific value of oil
 - (b) low heat value of oil
 - (c) high heat value of oil
 - (d) mean heat value of oil
 - (e) all of the above.

Ans: b

- 53. Fuel consumption of diesef engines is not guaranteed at one quarter load because at such low loads
 - (a) the friction is high
 - (b) the friction is unpredictable
 - (c) the small difference in cooling water temperature or in internal friction has a disproportionate effect
 - (d) the engine is rarely operated
 - (e) none of the above.

Ans: c

- 54. Polymerisation is a chemical process in which molecules of a compound become (a) larger
 - (b) slowed down
 - (c) smaller
 - (d) liquid
 - (e) gaseous.
 - Ans: a
- 55. The term scavenging is generally associated with
 - (a) 2-stroke cycle engines
 - (b) 4-stroke cycle engines
 - (c) aeroplane engines
 - (d) diesel engines
 - (e) high efficiency engines.

Ans: e

- 56. In diesel engine, the compression ratio in comparison to expansion ratio is
 - (a) same
 - (b) less
 - (G) more
 - (d) variable
 - (e) more/less depending on engine capacity.

- 57. The cam shaft of a four stroke I.C. engine running at 1500 rmp will run at
 - (a) 1500 rpm
 - (b) 750 rpm
 - (c) 3000 rpm
 - (d) any value independent of engine speed
 - (e) none of the above.
 - Ans: b
- 58. Engine pistons 'are usually made of aluminium alloy because it
 - (a) is lighter
 - (b) wears less
 - (c) absorbs shocks
 - (d) is stronger

(e) does not react with fuel and lub oil.

Ans: a

- 59. Most high speed compression engines operate on
 - (a) Otto cycle
 - (b) Diesel cycle
 - (c) Dual cycle
 - (d) Carnot cycle
 - (e) Two stroke cycle.
 - Ans: c
- 60. The specific fuel consumption of a petrol engine compared to diesel engine of same H.P. is
 - (a) same
 - (b) more
 - (c) less
 - (d) less or more depending on operating conditions
 - (e) unpredictable.
 - Ans: b
- 61. A diesel engine as compared to petrol engine (both running ar rated load) is (a) more efficient
 - (b) less efficient
 - (c) equally efficient
 - (d) unperdictable
 - (e) other factors will decide it.
 - Ans: a
- 62. The size of inlet valve of.an engine in comparison to exhaust valve is
 - (a) more
 - (b) less
 - (c) same
 - (d) more/less depending on capacity of engine
 - (e) varies from design to design.
 - Ans: b
- 63. In a cycle, the spark lasts roughly for
 - (a) 1 sec
 - (b) 0.1 sec
 - (c) 0.01 sec
 - (d) 0.001 sec
 - (e) 0.0001 sec.
 - Ans: d
- 64. Which of the following is false statement :

Excess quantities of sulphur in diesel fuel are Objectionable because it may cause the following

- (a) piston ring and cylinder wear
- (b) formation of hard coating on piston skirts
- (c) oil sludge in the engine crank case
- (d) detonation
- (e) forms corrosive acids.

Ans: d

- 65. Which of the following is false statement. Some of the methods used to reduce diesel smoke are as follows
 - (a) using additives in the fuel
 - (b) engine derating i.e. reducing the maxi-mum flow of fuel
 - (c) increasing the compression ratio
 - (d) adherence to proper fuel specification
 - (e) avoidance of overloading.

- 66. The fuel air ratio in a petrol engine fitted with suction carburettor, operating with dirty air filter as compared to clean filter will be
 - (a) higher
 - (b) lower
 - (c) remain unaffected
 - (d) unpredictable
 - (e) none of the above.
 - Ans: a
- 67. Pick up the wrong statement about supercharging
 - (a) supercharging reduces knocking in diesel engines
 - (b) there can be limited supercharging in petrol engines because of detonation
 - (c) supercharging at high altitudes is essential
 - (d) supercharging results in fuel economy
 - (e) supercharging is essential in aircraft engines.

Ans: d

- 68. The actual volume of fresh charge admitted in 4-stroke petrol engine is
 - (a) equal to stroke volume
 - (b) equal to stroke volume and clearance volume
 - (c) less than stroke volume
 - (d) more than stroke volume
 - (e) more than cylinder volume.

Ans: c

- 69. The magneto in an automobile is basically
 - (c) transformer
 - (b) d.c. generator
 - (c) capacitor
 - (d) magnetic circuit
 - (e) a.c. generator.
 - Ans: b
- 70. The reason for supercharging in any engine is to
 - (a) increase efficiency
 - (b) increase power
 - (c) reduce weight and bulk for a given out-put
 - (d) effect fuel economy
 - (e) none of the above.
- Ans: c
- 71. The operation of forcing additional air under pressure in the engine cylinder is known as
 - (a) scavenging
 - (b) turbulence
 - (c) supercharging
 - (d) pre-ignition
 - (e) dissociation and carburretion of fuel.

- 72. Supercharging is essential in
 - (a) diesel engines
 - (b) gas turbines
 - (c) petrol engines
 - (d) aircraft engines
 - (e) marine engines.
 - Ans: d
- 73. The minimum cranking speed in case of petrol engine is about
 - (a) half the operating speed
 - (b) one-fourth of operating speed
 - (c) 250-300 rpm
 - (d) 60-80 rpm

(e) 10-20 rpm

Ans: d

- 74. In a typical medium speed 4 stroke cycle diesel engine
 - (a) exhaust valve opens at 35° before bot-tom dead center and closes at 20° after top dead center
 - (b) exhaust valve opens at bottom 'dead center and closes at top dead center
 - (c) exhaust valve opens just after bottom dead center and closes just before top dead center
 - (d) may open and close anywhere
 - (e) none of the above is true.
 - Ans: a
- 75. Flash point of fuel oil is
 - (a) minimum temperature to which1 oil is heated in order to give off inflammable vapours in sufficient quantity to ignite momentarily when brought in contact with a flame
 - (b) temperature at which it solidifies or congeals
 - (c) temperature at which it catches fire without external aid
 - (d) indicated by 90% distillation temperature, i.e. when 90% of sample oil has distilled off
 - (e) none of the above.

Ans: a

- 76. The mean effective pressure obtained from engine indicator indicates the
 - (a) maximum pressure developed
 - (b) minimum pressure
 - (c) instantaneous pressure at any instant
 - (d) exhaust pressure
 - (e) average pressure.

Ans: e

- 77. For the same power developed in I.C. engines, the cheaper system is
 - (a) naturally aspirated
 - (b) supercharged
 - (c) centrifugal pump
 - (d) turbo charger
 - (e) none of the above.

Ans: b

- 78. Installation of supercharger on a four-cycle diesel engine can result in the following percentage increase in power
 - (a) upto 25%
 - (b) upto 35%
 - (c) upto 50%
 - (d) upto 75%
 - (e) upto 100%.

Ans: e

- 79. Scavenging is usually done to increase
 - (a) thermal efficiency
 - (b) speed
 - (c) power output
 - (d) fuel consumption
 - (e) all of the above.

- 80. Which of the following is the lightest and most volatile liquid fuel
 - (a) diesel
 - (b) kerosene
 - (c) fuel oil
 - (d) gasoline

(e) lub oil.

Ans: d

- 81. The theoretically correct air fuel ratio for petrol engine is of the order of (a) 6 : 1
 - (b) 9 : 1
 - (c) 12 : 1
 - (d) 15 : 1
 - (e) 20 : 1.
 - Ans: d

82. Air fuel ratio for idling speed of a petrol engine is approximately

- (a) 1 : 1
- (b) 5 : 1
- (c) 10:1
- (d) 15 : 1
- (e) 20 : 1.
- Ans: c
- 83. Air fuel ratio at which a petrol engine can not work is
 - (a) 8 : 1
 - (b) 10 : 1
 - (c) 15 : 1
 - (d) 20 : 1 and less
 - (e) will work at all ratios.
 - Ans: d
- 84. For maximum power generation, the air fuel ratio for a petrol engine for vehicles, is of the order of
 - (a) 9 : 1
 - (b) 12 : 1
 - (c) 15 : 1
 - (d) 18 : 1
 - (e) 20: 1.
 - Ans: b
- 85. The following volume of air is required for consuming 1 liter of fuel by a four stroke engine
 - (a) 1 m3
 - (b) 5 m3
 - (c) 5-6 m3
 - (d) 9-10 m3
 - (e) 15-18 m3.
 - Ans: d
- 86. Pour point of fuel oil is the
 - (a) minimum temperature to which oil is heated in order to give off inflammable vapours in sufficient quantity to ignite momentarily when brought in contact with a flame
 - (b) temperature at which it solidifies or congeals
 - (c) it catches fire without external aid
 - (d) indicated by 90% distillation temperature i.e., when 90% of sample oil has distilled off
 - (e) temperature at which it flows easily.
- Ans: b
- 87. A 5 BHP engine running at full load would consume diesel of the order of
 - (a) 0.3 kg/hr
 - (b) 1 kg/hr
 - (c) 3 kg/hr
 - (d) 5 kg/hr
 - (e) 10 kg/hr.
 - Ans: b

- 88. Diesel engine can work on very lean air fuel ratio of the order of 30 : 1. A petrol engine can also work on such a lean ratio provided
 - (a) it is properly designed
 - (b) best quality fuel is used
 - (c) can not work as it is impossible
 - (d) flywheel size is proper
 - (e) engine cooling is stopped.

Ans: c

- 89. A diesel engine has
 - (a) 1 valve
 - (b) 2 valves
 - (b) 3 valves
 - (d) 4 valves
 - (e) no valve.

Ans: c

- 90. A hmh flame speed is obtained in diesel engine when air fuel ratio is
 - (a) uniform throughout the mixture
 - (b) chemically correct mixture
 - (c) about 3-5% rich mixture
 - (d) about 10% rich mixture
 - (e) about 10% lean mixture.

Ans: d

- 91. The knock in diesel engine occurs due to
 - (a) instantaneous and rapid burning of the first part of the charge
 - (b) instantaneous atuo iginition of last part of charge
 - (c) delayed burning of the first part of the charge
 - (d) reduction of delay period
 - (e) all ot the above.

Ans: a

- 92. The air-fuel ratio in petrol engines-is controlled by
 - (a) controlling valve opening/closing
 - (b) governing
 - (c) injection
 - (d) carburettion
 - (e) scavenging and supercharging.
 - Àns: d
- 93. Volatility of diesel fuel oil is
 - (a) minimum temperature to which oil is heated in order to give off inflammable vapours in sufficient quantity to ignite momentarily when brought in contact with a flame
 - (b) temperature at which it solidifies or congeals
 - (c) it catches fire without external aid
 - (d) indicated by 90% distillation temperature, i.e., when 90% of sample oil has distilled off
 - (e) temperature at which it flows easily.

Àns: d

- 94. Which is more viscous lub oil
 - (a) SEA 30
 - (b) SAE 4£
 - (c) SAE 50
 - (d) SAE 70
 - (e) SAE 80.
 - Ans: e
- 95. In the opposed piston diesel engine, the combustion chamber is located (a) above the piston (/;) below the piston
 - (c) between the pistons
 - (d) any when

(e) there is no such criterion.

Ans: c

- 96. A stoichiometric air-fuel ratio is
 - (a) chemically correct mixture
 - (b) lean mixture
 - (c) rich mixture for idling
 - (d) rich mixture for over loads
 - (e) the ratio used at full rated parameters.

Ans: a

- 97. In a naturally aspirated diesel engine, the air is supplied by
 - (a) a supercharger
 - (b) a centrifugal blower
 - (c) a vacuum chamber
 - (d) an injection tube
 - (e) forced chamber
 - Ans: c
- 98. In loop scavenging, the top of the piston is
- (a) flat
 - (b) contoured
 - (c) slanted
 - (d) depressed
 - (e) convex shaped.
 - Ans: b
- 99. In the crankcase method of scavenging, the air pressure is produced by
 - (a) supercharger
 - (b) centrifugal pump
 - (c) natural aspirator
 - (d) movement of engine piston
 - (e) reciprocating pump.
 - Ans: d
- 100. Answer by true or false?

Morse Test is used to determine the indicated power of multi-cylinder SI engine. Ans:True

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INTRODUCTION

Heat engine:

A heat engine is a device which transforms the chemical energy of a fuel into thermal energy and uses this energy to produce mechanical work. It is classified into two types-

- (a) External combustion engine
- (b) Internal combustion engine

External combustion engine:

In this engine, the products of combustion of air and fuel transfer heat to a second fluid which is the working fluid of the cycle.

Examples:

*In the steam engine or a steam turbine plant, the heat of combustion is employed to generate steam which is used in a piston engine (reciprocating type engine) or a turbine (rotary type engine) for useful work.

*In a closed cycle gas turbine, the heat of combustion in an external furnace is transferred to gas, usually air which the working fluid of the cycle.

Internal combustion engine:

In this engine, the combustion of air and fuels take place inside the cylinder and are used as the direct motive force. It can be classified into the following types:

- 1. According to the basic engine design- (a) Reciprocating engine (Use of cylinder piston arrangement), (b) Rotary engine (Use of turbine)
- 2. According to the type of fuel used- (a) Petrol engine, (b) diesel engine, (c) gas engine (CNG, LPG), (d) Alcohol engine (ethanol, methanol etc)
- 3. According to the number of strokes per cycle- (a) Four stroke and (b) Two stroke engine
- 4. According to the method of igniting the fuel- (a) Spark ignition engine, (b) compression ignition engine and (c) hot spot ignition engine
- 5. According to the working cycle- (a) Otto cycle (constant volume cycle) engine, (b) diesel cycle (constant pressure cycle) engine, (c) dual combustion cycle (semi diesel cycle) engine.
- 6. According to the fuel supply and mixture preparation- (a) Carburetted type (fuel supplied through the carburettor), (b) Injection type (fuel injected into inlet ports or inlet manifold, fuel injected into the cylinder just before ignition).

- 7. According to the number of cylinder- (a) Single cylinder and (b) multi-cylinder engine
- 8. Method of cooling- water cooled or air cooled
- 9. Speed of the engine- Slow speed, medium speed and high speed engine
- 10. Cylinder Arrangement-Vertical, horizontal, inline, V-type, radial, opposed cylinder or piston engines.
- 11. Valve or port design and location- Overhead (I head), side valve (L head); in two stroke engines: cross scavenging, loop scavenging, uniflow scavenging.
- 12. Method governing- Hit and miss governed engines, quantitatively governed engines and qualitatively governed engine

14. Application- Automotive engines for land transport, marine engines for propulsion of ships, aircraft engines for aircraft propulsion, industrial engines, prime movers for electrical generators.

External combustion engine	Internal combustion engine	
*Combustion of air-fuel is outside the engine	* Combustion of air-fuel is inside the engine	
cylinder (in a boiler)	cylinder (in a boiler)	
*The engines are running smoothly and	* Very noisy operated engine	
silently due to outside combustion		
*Higher ratio of weight and bulk to output due	* It is light and compact due to lower ratio of	
to presence of auxiliary apparatus like boiler	weight and bulk to output.	
and condenser. Hence it is heavy and		
cumbersome.		
*Working pressure and temperature inside the	* Working pressure and temperature inside	
engine cylinder is low; hence ordinary alloys	the engine cylinder is very much high; hence	
are used for the manufacture of engine	special alloys are used	
cylinder and its parts.		
*It can use cheaper fuels including solid fuels	*High grade fuels are used with proper	
	filtration	
*Lower efficiency about 15-20%	*Higher efficiency about 35-40%	
* Higher requirement of water for dissipation	*Lesser requirement of water	
of energy through cooling system	-	
*High starting torque	*IC engines are not self-starting	

Comparison between external combustion engine and internal combustion engine:

Main components of reciprocating IC engines:

Cylinder: It is the main part of the engine inside which piston reciprocates to and fro. It should have high strength to withstand high pressure above 50 bar and temperature above 2000 °C. The ordinary engine is made of cast iron and heavy duty engines are made of steel alloys or aluminium alloys. In the multi-cylinder engine, the cylinders are cast in one block known as cylinder block.

Cylinder head: The top end of the cylinder is covered by cylinder head over which inlet and exhaust valve, spark plug or injectors are mounted. A copper or asbestos gasket is provided between the engine cylinder and cylinder head to make an air tight joint.

Piston: Transmit the force exerted by the burning of charge to the connecting rod. Usually made of aluminium alloy which has good heat conducting property and greater strength at higher temperature.

Figure 1 shows the different components of IC engine.



Fig. 1. Different parts of IC engine

Piston rings: These are housed in the circumferential grooves provided on the outer surface of the piston and made of steel alloys which retain elastic properties even at high temperature. 2 types of rings- compression and oil rings. Compression ring is upper ring of the piston which provides air tight seal to prevent leakage of the burnt gases into the lower portion. Oil ring is lower ring which provides effective seal to prevent leakage of the oil into the engine cylinder.

Connecting rod: It converts reciprocating motion of the piston into circular motion of the crank shaft, in the working stroke. The smaller end of the connecting rod is connected with the piston by gudgeon pin and bigger end of the connecting rod is connected with the crank with crank pin. The special steel alloys or aluminium alloys are used for the manufacture of connecting rod.

Crankshaft: It converts the reciprocating motion of the piston into the rotary motion with the help of connecting rod. The special steel alloys are used for the manufacturing of the crankshaft. It consists of eccentric portion called crank.

Crank case: It houses cylinder and crankshaft of the IC engine and also serves as sump for the lubricating oil.

Flywheel: It is big wheel mounted on the crankshaft, whose function is to maintain its speed constant. It is done by storing excess energy during the power stroke, which is returned during other stroke.

Terminology used in IC engine:

- 1. Cylinder bore (D): The nominal inner diameter of the working cylinder.
- 2. Piston area (A): The area of circle of diameter equal to the cylinder bore.
- 3. Stroke (L): The nominal distance through which a working piston moves between two successive reversals of its direction of motion.
- 4. Dead centre: The position of the working piston and the moving parts which are mechanically connected to it at the moment when the direction of the piston motion is reversed (at either end point of the stroke).
- (a) Bottom dead centre (BDC): Dead centre when the piston is nearest to the crankshaft.
- (b) Top dead centre (TDC): Dead centre when the position is farthest from the crankshaft.
- 5. Displacement volume or swept volume (V_s): The nominal volume generated by the working piston when travelling from the one dead centre to next one and given as,

$$V_s = A \times L$$

- 6. Clearance volume (V_c): the nominal volume of the space on the combustion side of the piston at the top dead centre.
- 7. Cylinder volume (V): Total volume of the cylinder.

$$V = V_s + V_c$$

8. Compression ratio (r): $r = \frac{\text{vs}}{\text{vc}}$

Four stroke engine:

- Cycle of operation completed in four strokes of the piston or two revolution of the piston.
- (i) Suction stroke (suction valve open, exhaust valve closed)-charge consisting of fresh air mixed with the fuel is drawn into the cylinder due to the vacuum pressure created by the movement of the piston from TDC to BDC.
- (ii) Compression stroke (both valves closed)-fresh charge is compressed into clearance volume by the return stroke of the piston and ignited by the spark for combustion. Hence pressure and temperature is increased due to the combustion of fuel
- (iii) Expansion stroke (both valves closed)-high pressure of the burnt gases force the piston towards BDC and hence power is obtained at the crankshaft.
- (iv) Exhaust stroke (exhaust valve open, suction valve closed)- burned gases expel out due to the movement of piston from BDC to TDC.
Figure 2 show the cycle of operation of four stroke engine.



Fig. 2. Cycle of operation in four stroke engine

Two stroke engine:

-No piston stroke for suction and exhaust operations

-Suction is accomplished by air compressed in crankcase or by a blower

-Induction of compressed air removes the products of combustion through exhaust ports

-Transfer port is there to supply the fresh charge into combustion chamber

Figure 3 represents operation of two stroke engine



Fig. 3. Cycle of operation in two stroke engine

Four-stroke engine	Two-stroke engine				
1. Four stroke of the piston and two	oke of the piston a	ind one			
crankshaft		revolutio	on of crankshaft		
2. One power stroke in every two r crankshaft	One power stroke in each revolution of crankshaft				
3. Heavier flywheel due to non-un	Lighter flywheel due to more uniform				
movement		turning 1	novement		
4. Power produce is less	Theoretically power produce is twice than				
		the four	stroke engine for	same size	
5. Heavy and bulky		Light an	d compact		
6. Lesser cooling and lubrication re	equirements	Greater	cooling	and	
		1	ubrication require	ments	
7. Lesser rate of wear and tear		Higher r	ate of wear and te	ar	
8. Contains valve and valve mecha	Contains valve and valve mechanism				
9. Higher initial cost		Cheaper	initial cost		
10. Volumetric efficiency is more of	Volumetric efficiency less due to lesser				
time of induction		time of i	nduction		
11. Thermal efficiency is high and efficiency better	also part load	l Thermal efficienc	efficiency is low y lesser	, part load	
12. It is used where efficiency is impo	ortant.	It is used light we	l where low cost, c ight are important	compactness and	
Ex-cars, buses, trucks, tracto engines, aero planes, power gene	ors, industrial eration etc.	l Ex-lawn mopeds,	mowers, scooter propulsion ship e	rs, motor cycles, etc.	

Comparison of Four-stroke and two-stroke engine:

Comparison of SI and CI engine:

SI engine	CI engine						
Working cycle is Otto cycle.	Working cycle is diesel cycle.						
Petrol or gasoline or high octane fuel is used.	Diesel or high cetane fuel is used.						
High self-ignition temperature.	Low self-ignition temperature.						
Fuel and air introduced as a gaseous mixture in	Fuel is injected directly into the combustion						
the suction stroke.	chamber at high pressure at the end of compression stroke.						
Carburettor used to provide the mixture.	Injector and high pressure pump used to supply						
Throttle controls the quantity of mixture introduced.	of fuel. Quantity of fuel regulated in pump.						
Use of spark plug for ignition system	Self-ignition by the compression of air which increased the temperature required for combustion						
Compression ratio is 6 to 10.5	Compression ratio is 14 to 22						
Higher maximum RPM due to lower weight	Lower maximum RPM						

Maximum	efficiency	lower	due	to	lower Higher	maximum	efficiency	due	to	higher	
compression ratio compression ratio											
Lighter				Heavier	Heavier due to higher pressures						

Valve timing diagram:

The exact moment at which the inlet and outlet valve opens and closes with reference to the position of the piston and crank shown diagrammatically is known as valve timing diagram. It is expressed in terms of degree crank angle. The theoretical valve timing diagram is shown in Fig. 4.



Fig. 4. Theoretical valve timing diagram

But actual valve timing diagram is different from theoretical due to two factors-mechanical and dynamic factors. Figure 4 shows the actual valve timing diagram for four stroke low speed or high speed engine.

Opening and closing of inlet valve

-Inlet valve opens 12 to 30° CA before TDC to facilitate silent operation of the engine under high speed. It increases the volumetric efficiency.

-Inlet valve closes 10-60° CA after TDC due to inertia movement of fresh charge into cylinder i.e. ram effect.

Figure 5 represents the actual valve timing diagram for low and high speed engine.



Fig. 5. Actual valve timing diagram for low and high speed engine

Opening and closing of exhaust valve

Exhaust valve opens 25 to 55° CA before BDC to reduce the work required to expel out the burnt gases from the cylinder. At the end of expansion stroke, the pressure inside the chamber is high, hence work to expel out the gases increases.

Exhaust valve closes 10 to 30° CA after TDC to avoid the compression of burnt gases in next cycle. Kinetic energy of the burnt gas can assist maximum exhausting of the gas. It also increases the volumetric efficiency.

Note: For low and high speed engine, the lower and upper values are used respectively

Valve overlap

During this time both the intake and exhaust valves are open. The intake valve is opened before the exhaust gases have completely left the cylinder, and their considerable velocity assists in drawing in the fresh charge. Engine designers aim to close the exhaust valve just as the fresh charge from the intake valve reaches it, to prevent either loss of fresh charge or unscavenged exhaust gas.

Port timing diagram:

-Drawn for 2-stroke engine

-No valve arrangement

-3 ports- inlet, transfer and exhaust

Figure 6 shows port timing diagram for 2-stroke engine





cycle:

(a) Otto cycle- thermodynamic cycle for SI/petrol engine

-Reversible adiabatic compression and expansion process -Constant volume heat addition (combustion) and heat rejection process (exhaust) Figure 7 depicts the Otto cycle



Fig. 7. Otto cycle

Heat supplied, $q_s = C_v(T_3 - T_2)$ Heat rejection, $q_R = C_v(T_4 - T_1)$ Compression ratio, $r_k = \frac{V_1}{V_2}$ Thermal efficiency, $\eta_{th} = \frac{q_s - q_R}{q_s} = \frac{Cv(T3 - T2) - Cv(T4 - T1)}{Cv(T3 - T2)} = 1 - \frac{T4 - T1}{T3 - T2}$ In process 1-2, adiabatic compression process, $\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma - 1}$ $= > T_2 = T_1 \cdot (r_k)^{\gamma - 1}$

In adiabatic expansion process, i.e. 3-4,

$$\begin{split} & \frac{T_4}{T_3} = \left(\frac{V_3}{V_4}\right)^{\gamma-1} = \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)^{\gamma-1} \\ & => T_3 = T_4. \, (r_k)^{\gamma-1} \\ & \eta_{th} = 1 - \frac{T_4 - T_1}{T_4. \, (r_k)^{\gamma-1} - T_1. \, (r_k)^{\gamma-1}} \\ & = 1 - \frac{1}{(r_k)^{\gamma-1}} \end{split}$$

Work done (W)

Pressure ratio, $r_p = \frac{P_3}{P_2} = \frac{P_4}{P_1}$ $\frac{P_2}{P_1} = \frac{P_3}{P_4} = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma} = (r_k)^{\gamma}$ $W = \frac{P_3V_3 - P_4V_4}{\gamma - 1} - \frac{P_2V_2 - P_1V_1}{\gamma - 1}$ $= \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \left[P_4V_4 \left(\frac{P_3V_3}{P_4V_4} - 1\right) - P_1V_1 \left(\frac{P_2V_2}{P_1V_1} - 1\right) \right]$ $= \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \left[P_4V_1(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1) - P_1V_1(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1) \right]$ $= \frac{P_1V_1}{\gamma - 1} \left[r_p(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1) - (r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1) \right]$ $= \frac{P_1V_1}{\gamma - 1} \left[(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1)(r_p - 1) \right]$ Mean effective pressure, $P_m = \frac{work \ done}{swept \ volume} = \frac{work \ done}{V_1 - V_2}$ $P_m = \frac{\frac{P_1V_1}{\gamma - 1} \left[(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1)(r_p - 1) \right]}{V_1 - V_2} = \frac{P_1r_k \left[(r_k^{\gamma - 1} - 1)(r_p - 1) \right]}{(\gamma - 1)(r_k - 1)}$

(b) <u>Diesel cycle-</u> thermodynamic cycle for low speed CI/diesel engine

-Reversible adiabatic compression and expansion process

-Constant pressure heat addition (combustion) and heat rejection process (exhaust) Figure 8 depicts the diesel cycle.



Heat supplied, $Q_1 = C_p(T_3 - T_2)$ Heat rejection, $Q_2 = C_v(T_4 - T_1)$ Compression ratio, $r_k = \frac{V_1}{V_2}$ Cut off ratio, $r_c = \frac{V_3}{V_2}$ Thermal efficiency, $\eta_{th} = \frac{Q_1 - Q_2}{Q_1} = \frac{C_p(T_3 - T_2) - C_v(T_4 - T_1)}{C_p(T_3 - T_2)} = 1 - \frac{1}{\gamma} \frac{(T_4 - T_1)}{(T_3 - T_2)}$ In adiabatic compression process i.e. 1-2, $\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma-1}$ $=> T_2 = T_1 \cdot (r_k)^{\gamma-1}$ In process 2-3, pressure constant, then $\frac{T_3}{T_2} = \frac{V_3}{V_2} = r_c$ $=> T_3 = T_2. r_c = T_1. (r_k)^{\gamma - 1}. r_c$ In adiabatic expansion process i.e. 3-4, $\frac{T_4}{T_2} = \left(\frac{V_3}{V_4}\right)^{\gamma-1} = \left(\frac{V_3}{V_2} * \frac{V_2}{V_4}\right)^{\gamma-1} = (r_c)^{\gamma-1} * \frac{1}{(r_c)^{\gamma-1}}$ $=>T_4=T_3.(r_c)^{\gamma-1}*\frac{1}{(r_{\nu})^{\gamma-1}}=T_1.(r_k)^{\gamma-1}.r_c.(r_c)^{\gamma-1}*\frac{1}{(r_{\nu})^{\gamma-1}}=T_1.r_c$ $\eta_{th} = 1 - \frac{1}{\gamma} \frac{(T_4 - T_1)}{(T_2 - T_2)} = 1 - \frac{1}{\gamma_{..} (r_{t_1})^{\gamma - 1}} \left| \frac{(r_c)^{\gamma} - 1}{r_c - 1} \right|$ Work done (W) $W = P_2(V_3 - V_2) + \frac{P_3V_3 - P_4V_4}{\nu - 1} - \frac{P_2V_2 - P_1V_1}{\nu - 1}$ $= P_2(r_cV_2 - V_2) + \frac{P_2r_cV_2 - P_4r_kV_2}{\gamma - 1} - \frac{P_2V_2 - P_1r_kV_2}{\gamma - 1}$ since $V_4 = V_1$ $= P_2 V_2 \left[\frac{(r_c - 1)(\gamma - 1) + (r_c - r_c^{\gamma} . r_k^{-\gamma} . r_k) - (1 - r_k^{1 - \gamma})}{\gamma - 1} \right]$ = $P_1 V_1 . r_k^{\gamma - 1} \left[\frac{\gamma (r_c - 1) - r_k^{1 - \gamma} (r_c^{\gamma} - 1)}{\gamma - 1} \right]$

Mean effective pressure,

$$P_m = \frac{P_1 V_1 \cdot r_k^{\gamma - 1} \left[\frac{\gamma(r_c - 1) - r_k^{1 - \gamma}(r_c^{\gamma} - 1)}{\gamma - 1} \right]}{V_1 - V_2} = \frac{P_1 r_k^{\gamma} \left[\gamma(r_c - 1) - r_k^{1 - \gamma}(r_c^{\gamma} - 1) \right]}{(\gamma - 1)(r_k - 1)}$$

(c) Dual cycle or limited pressure cycle-thermodynamic cycle for high speed diesel and hot spot ignition engine

-Reversible adiabatic compression and expansion process

-Constant pressure and constant volume heat addition (combustion) and heat rejection process

Total heat supplied, $Q_1 = C_v(T_3-T_2) + C_p(T_4-T_3)$

Heat rejection, Q₂=C_v(T₅-T₁) Compression ratio, $r_k = \frac{V_1}{V_2}$ Cut off ratio, $r_c = \frac{V_4}{V_3}$ Pressure ratio, $r_p = \frac{P_3}{P_2}$

Figure 9 shows the P-V diagram of Dual cycle.



Fig. 9. Dual cycle

Thermal efficiency,
$$\eta_{th} = \frac{Q_1 - Q_2}{Q_1} = \frac{C_{\nu}(T_3 - T_2) + C_{\nu}(T_4 - T_3) - C_{\nu}(T_5 - T_1)}{C_{\nu}(T_3 - T_2) + C_{\nu}(T_4 - T_3)} = 1 - \frac{(T_5 - T_1)}{(T_3 - T_2) + \gamma(T_4 - T_3)}$$

In adiabatic compression process i.e. 1-2,

$$\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^{\gamma - 1} = (r_k)^{\gamma - 1}$$

In constant volume combustion process i.e. 2-3, $\frac{P_3}{P_2} = \frac{T_3}{T_2} = r_p$ T_3

$$=>T_2=\frac{T_3}{r_p}$$

In constant pressure combustion process i.e. 3-4,

$$\frac{V_3}{V_4} = \frac{T_3}{T_4}$$

$$=> T_4 = T_3. r_c$$

In adiabatic expansion process i.e. 4-5, $\frac{T_4}{T_5} = \left(\frac{V_5}{V_4}\right)^{\gamma-1} = \left(\frac{V_1}{V_4}\right)^{\gamma-1} = \left(\frac{r_k}{r_c}\right)^{\gamma-1}$

$$=>T_5=r_c*T_3*\left(\frac{r_c}{r_k}\right)^{\gamma-1}$$

$$\eta_{th} = 1 - \frac{(T_5 - T_1)}{(T_3 - T_2) + \gamma(T_4 - T_3)} = 1 - \frac{1}{(r_k)^{\gamma - 1}} \left[\frac{r_p \cdot (r_c)^{\gamma} - 1}{(r_p - 1) + \gamma r_p (r_c - 1)} \right]$$

Work done (W)

$$W = P_3(V_4 - V_3) + \frac{P_4V_4 - P_5V_5}{\gamma - 1} - \frac{P_2V_2 - P_1V_1}{\gamma - 1}$$
$$= P_3V_3(r_c - 1) + \frac{(P_4r_cV_3 - P_5r_kV_3) - (P_2V_3 - P_1r_kV_3)}{\gamma - 1}$$
$$= \frac{P_1V_1 \cdot r_k^{\gamma - 1} [\gamma r_p(r_c - 1) + (r_p - 1) - r_k^{\gamma - 1}(r_pr_c^{\gamma} - 1)]}{\gamma - 1}$$

Mean effective pressure,

$$P_m = \frac{\frac{P_1 V_1 \cdot r_k^{\gamma - 1} \left[\gamma r_p (r_c - 1) + (r_p - 1) - \cdot r_k^{\gamma - 1} (r_p r_c^{\gamma} - 1) \right]}{\gamma - 1}}{V_1 - V_2}$$
$$= \frac{P_1 r_k^{\gamma} \left[r_p (r_c - 1) + (r_p - 1) - \cdot r_k^{1 - \gamma} (r_p r_c^{\gamma} - 1) \right]}{(\gamma - 1)(r_k - 1)}$$

Comparison of Otto, Diesel and Dual cycle:

(a) For same compression ratio and same heat input

$$(\eta_{th})_{Otto} > (\eta_{th})_{Dual} > (\eta_{th})_{Diesel}$$

(b) For constant maximum pressure and same heat input

 $(\eta_{th})_{Diesel} > (\eta_{th})_{Dual} > (\eta_{th})_{Otto}$

(c) For same maximum pressure and temperature

$$(\eta_{th})_{Diesel} > (\eta_{th})_{Dual} > (\eta_{th})_{Otto}$$

(d) For same maximum pressure and output

 $(\eta_{th})_{Diesel} > (\eta_{th})_{Otto}$

FUELS & FUEL INJECTION

In IC engines, the chemical energy contained in the fuel is converted into mechanical power by burning (oxidizing) the fuel inside the combustion chamber of the engine.

Fuels suitable for fast chemical reaction have to be used in IC engines, they are following types-

- (a) Hydrocarbons fuels derived from the crude petroleum by proper refining process such as thermal and catalytic cracking method, polymerisation, alkylation, isomerisation, reforming and blending.
- (b) Alternative fuels such as-Alcohols (methanol, ethanol) Natural gas (methane) LPG (propane, butane)

Hydrogen *Classification of petroleum fuels used for IC engine:

Liquid hydrocarbons- Engine fuels are mainly mixtures of hydrocarbons, with bonds between hydrogen and carbon atoms. During combustion these bonds are broken and new bonds are formed with oxygen atoms, accompanied by the release of chemical energy. Principal products are carbon dioxide and water vapour. Fuels also contain small amounts of S, O₂, N₂, H₂O. The different constituents of crude petroleum which are available in liquid hydrocarbons are-paraffins, naphthenes, naphthenes, olefins, aromatics.

(i) Paraffin-

-All the carbon bonds are single bonds – they are "saturated" high number of H atoms, high heat content and low density (620 - 770 kg/m3)

-The carbon atoms can be arranged as a straight chain or as branched chain compounds. -Straight chain group (normal paraffins)

- shorter the chain, stronger the bond
- not suitable for SI engines high tendancy for autoignition according to the value of "n" in the formula, they are in gaseous (1 to 4), liquid (5 to 15) or solid (>16) state. Hexan C₆H₁₄ (normal paraffin)

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- Branched chain compounds (isoparaffins)

When four or more C atoms are in a chain molecule it is possible to form isomers, they have the same chemical formula but different structures, which often leads to very different chemical properties.

Example: Iso-octane- C₈H₁₈

(ii) Naphthenes-

-Also called as cycloparaffins and represented as $\mathrm{C}_{n}\mathrm{H}_{2n}$

-Saturated hydrocarbons which are arranged in a circle have stable structure and low tendancy to autoignite compared to alkanes (normal paraffins)

-Can be used both in SI-engines and CI-engines

-Low heat content and high density $(740 - 790 \text{ kg} / \text{m}^3)$

(iii) Olefins-

-Olefins or alkenes are represented as Mono olefins- C_nH_{2n} or Dio-olefins C_nH_{2n-2} -Olefins have the same C-to-H ratio and the same general formula as naphthenes, their behavior and characteristics are entirely different

-They are straight or branch chain compounds with one or more double bond. The position of the double bond is indicated by the number of first C atom to which it is attached, i.e.,

CH2=CH.CH2.CH2.CH3 called pentene-1

CH3.CH=CH3 called butene-2

-Olefinic compounds are easily oxidized, have poor oxidation stability

-Can be used in SI-engines, obtained by cracking of large molecules low heat content and density in the range $620 - 820 \text{ kg} / \text{m}^3$

Alkenes are such as,

Hexen (mono-olefin)

H H H H H H H - C - C - C - C - C = C - H H H H H Butadien (dio-olefin) H H H H H - C = C - C = C - H

(iv) Aromatics-

-These are so called due to aromatics odour and represented as $\mathrm{C}_{n}\mathrm{H}_{2n\text{-}6}$

-They are based on a six-membered ring having three conjugated double bonds

-Aromatic rings can be fused together to give polynuclear aromatics, PAN, also called polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, PAH simplest member is benzene (C_6H_6)

-Can be used in SI-engines, to increase the resistance to knock not suitable for CI-engines due to low cetene number

-Low heat content and high density in the range $800 - 850 \text{ kg} / \text{m}^3$

*Refinery processes:

Crude oil is the liquid part of the naturally occurring organic material composed mostly of HCs that is trapped geologically in underground reservoirs – it is not uniform and varies in density, chemical composition, boiling range etc. for different fields. The refinery processes involved in production of different range of fuel is shown in Fig. 10 and Fig. 11.



Fig. 10. Refinery processes



Fig. 11. Products made from crude oil

(i) Distillation process

-This is the initial process used in all refineries – aims to separate the crude oil into different boiling range fractions, each of which may be a product in its own right, a blend component or feed for further processing step

-Crude oil contains many thousands of different HCs, each has its own boiling point – lightest are gases at ambient temperature but can remain dissolved in heavier liquid HCs unless temperature is raised, heaviest are solids at ambient temperature but stay in solution unless temperature is lowered.

Gasoline distillation temperature is 35 – 200 °C Jet fuel 35 - 150 Diesel fuel 175 – 370 Heavy fuels, oil 370 – 550

-Generally distillation of crude oil produces 30% gasoline, 20-40 % diesel fuel, 20 % heavy fuels, 10-20 % heavy oils.

(ii) Cracking process

-There are two types of cracking process for engine fuel production: thermal cracking and catalytic cracking

(a)Thermal cracking: It takes place through the creation of HC free radicals by C to-C bond scission

-The feed is heated to around 500 - $600 \, {}^{\rm O}$ C and 70 - 100 bars and passed into a soaking chamber where cracking takes place. The cracked products are fractionated. The product is relatively unstable and requires the use of antioxidants and other treatments to prevent gum formation in use. It has relatively poor MON (motor octane number).

(b)Catalytic cracking: It is the most important and widely used process for converting heavy refinery streams to lighter products - to increase the ratio of light to heavy products from crude oil.

-Compared to thermal cracking, it has higher yield, improved quality product for gasoline (not for diesel fuel) and superior economics.

-A fluidized bed of catalyst is used – feed is introduced into it. Catalyst flows from one vessel to another through a pipe (between reactor and regenerator). Cracked oil vapour pass to fractionating towers where smaller molecules are separated from heavier products (gas, catalytic naphtha, cycle oils and residue).

-Aluminium silicate known as zeolite is used as a catalyst – has high activity and suppress the formation of light olefins.

<u>(iii)Alkylation</u>: It is a process for producing a high-octane gasoline component (alkylate) by combining light olefins with isobutane in the presence of a strongly acidic catalyst (sulfuric or hydrofluoric acid).

(iv)Isomerization: It is a process for converting straight chain paraffins to branch chain – used to provide isobutane feed for the alkylation process or to convert relatively low-octane quality of straight paraffins to more valuable branch chain molecules.

eg. n-pentane with RON (research octane number) 62 can be converted to isopentane with RON 92

-Process involves contacting HCs with a catalyst (platinum on a zeolite base) and separating any unchanged straight paraffins for recycle through the unit. The product is clean burning and has better RON quality.

(v)Polymerization: It is a process where light olefins such as propene and butenes are reacted together to give heavier olefins which have good octane quality and low vapour pressure in gasoline.

-Most commonly used catalyst is phosphoric acid

-The product is almost 100 % olefinic and has relatively poor MON compared with RON.

eg. CH₃CH₂CH=CH₂ + CH₃CH=CH₂ \rightarrow CH₃(CH₂)₄CH=CH₂ butene propene heptene

*Alternative fuels:

(a) <u>Alcohols</u>: These include methanol (methyl alcohol), ethanol (ethyl alcohol), propanol (propyl alcohol), butanol (butyl alcohol) as compounds

-The OH group which replaces one of the H atoms in an alkane, gives these compounds their characteristic properties

-Specific heating value is lower than gasoline (42 – 43 MJ/kg) methanol

(19.7 MJ/kg) and ethanol (26.8 MJ/kg)

-For air-fuel mixture SHV is comperable with gasoline (MJ/kg-mixture at stoichiometric mixtures)

-Other alcohol groups such as dihydric and trihydric alcohols are not used as a fuel in IC engines

(i) Methanol

-Can be obtained from natural gas - has near and long-term potential

-Has high octane quality (130 RON, 95 MON)

-Can be used in low-concentration (5-15 %) in gasoline to increase octane number of the mixture

Problems;

-Poor solubility in gasoline, toxicity, low energy content (about half of gasoline), high latent heat of vaporization and oxygen content

-Contribute to poor driveability, incompatibility with some metals

(ii) Ethanol

-Produced from biomass

-It is made from the sugars found in grains, such as: Corn, Sorghum, and Barley Other sources of sugars to produce ethanol include: Potato skins, Rice, Sugar cane, Sugar beets, Yard clippings, Bark, Switch grass etc.

-Has high octane number – can be used in low–concentrations in gasoline

-Most of the ethanol used in the United States today is distilled from corn

-Scientists are working on cheaper ways to make ethanol by using all parts of plants and trees rather than just the grain.

-About 99% of the ethanol produced in the United States is used to make "E10" or "gasohol," a mixture of 10% ethanol and 90% gasoline.

-Any gasoline powered engine can use E10, but only specially made vehicles can run on E85, a fuel that is 85% ethanol and 15% gasoline

(b) Biodiesel:

-It is methyl or ethyl ester of a fatty acid produced from vegetable oil of edible or non edible types or animal fat or algae, by transesterification process using catalysts.

-Has better lubricating properties and much higher cetane ratings than today's low sulfur diesel fuels.

-Its addition reduces the fuel system wear.

-Can be used in the pure form (B100), or may be blended with petroleum diesel in any concentration in most diesel engines for transportation purpose.

-But, the engine may face problems, such as low temperature operation, less durability and drop in power. New diesel fuel injection systems, such as common rail systems are equipped with materials that are compatible with biodiesel (B100).

-Biodiesel offers a substantial reduction in particulate matter (25%-50%) and a marginal increase of NOx (1%-6% when it is used as an alternative fuel in a CI engine.

-The major problems associated with biodiesel are (i) poor oxidation stability, (ii) higher viscosity and density, (iii) lower calorific value, and (iv) cold flow property.

-Blends of 20% and lower biodiesel can be used in diesel engines with no, or only minor modifications.

<u>(c) Biogas:</u>

-Produced by the anaerobic decomposition of organic materials such as cow dung and other waste such as cornhusks, leaves, straw, garbage, flesh of car cusses, poultry droppings, pig dung, human excreta, sewage and the plants specially grown for this purpose like water hyacinth, algae, certain types of grasses. Also any cellulosic organic material of animal or plant origin which is easily bio-degradable is a potential raw material for biogas production. -

Also produced by pyrolysis and hydrogasification methods

-Contains a mixture of methane (50-60% vol), CO_2 (30-45%), hydrogen (5-10%), nitrogen (0.5-7%) and small traces of other gases such as hydrogen sulphide and oxygen

-It is a clean, but slow burning gas and having value between 5000 to 5500 kcal/kg or 38131 $\rm kJ/m^3$

-The octane rating of biogas is 130 and ignition temperature is 650 $^\circ$ C

-Can be used to operate both compression ignition (diesel) and spark ignition (petrol) engines. CI engines can operate on dual-fuel (biogas+diesel) operation and pilot injection operation in which small quantity of diesel is required for igniting the mixture of air and biogas -80% saving of diesel oil can be achieved

-Drawback of biogas is present of CO_2 . The engine performance can be improved by reducing the CO_2 content in biogas.

(d) Hydrogen:

-Clean burning fuel and has the highest energy content per unit mass of any chemical fuels

which can reduce the dependency on hydrocarbon based fuels Production:

Most common method of producing hydrogen involves splitting water (H_2O) into its component parts of hydrogen (H_2) and oxygen (O). There are different methods to produce hydrogen-

- i. Steam reformation or partial oxidation of hydrocarbons such as natural gas, naphtha or crude oil. It converts methane into hydrogen and carbon monoxide by reaction with steam over a nickel catalyst.
- ii. Coal gasification- Hydrogen made from coal can probably be justified as a fuel for special applications where the unique characteristics of hydrogen can be put to advantage such as its weight or its non-polluting characteristics.
- iii. Electrolysis- it uses electrical current to split water into hydrogen at the cathode (+) and oxygen at anode (-) [3].

- iv. Thermo chemical method- it utilizes heat to achieve the chemical splitting of water to its elements without the need for intermediate electricity generation and without the need to use the extremity high temperature of 2500 °C or more.
- v. Photo-electrolysis- it uses sunlight and catalysts to split water. In this method, a current is generated by exposing on or both electrodes to sunlight. Hydrogen and oxygen gases are liberated at the 2 electrodes by the decomposition of water. A catalyst may be included to facilitate the electrode process.
- vi. Biological and photo-biological water splitting use sunlight and biological organisms to split water.
- vii. Thermal water splitting uses a very high temperature (approximately 1000 °C) to split water.
- viii. Biomass gasification uses selected microbes to break down a variety of biomass feed stocks into hydrogen.

Utilization of hydrogen gas:

Hydrogen can be utilized for the following purpose:

- i. Residential use- hydrogen can be used in domestic cooking (stoves), radiant space heaters, electricity for lighting and for operating domestic appliances (e.g. refrigerator) which could be generated by means of fuel cells, with hydrogen gas at one electrode and air at other.
- ii. Industrial use- hydrogen can be used as a fuel or a chemical reducing (i.e. oxygen removal) agent. It can also be used instead of coal or coal derived gases, to reduce oxide ores (iron ore) to the material (iron).
- iii. Air craft application- The earliest application of liquid hydrogen fuel is expected to be in a jet air craft. Cold liquid hydrogen can be used directly or indirectly to cool the engine and the air frame surfaces of a high speed air craft.
- iv. Electric power generation- It comprises the production of electricity by using hydrogen in fuel cell system. Hydrogen could also be used as a means for storing and distributing electrical energy. The objective of developing fuel cell power stations is to centralized and local generation of electricity.
- v. As an alternative transport fuel- Hydrogen is tried as an alternative fuel in internal combustion engine. The stoichiometric hydrogen air mixture burns seven times as fast as the corresponding gasoline air mixture which is a great advantage in internal combustion engines, leading to higher engine speeds and greater thermal efficiency [2]. Hydrogen fuel used in IC engines is in automobiles, buses, trucks and farm machinery.

Methods of using Hydrogen as a fuel in CI engines

i. A mixture of fuel gas and air, with an approximately constant fuel to air ratio is introduced into the cylinder intake manifold. The engine power is controlled by varying the quantity of mixture entering the cylinder by means of throttle valve. It is not safe because the mixture is formed in the manifold.

- ii. The hydrogen is injected directly into the engine cylinder through a valve under pressure and air is inducted through another intake valve. This method is safer one, since hydrogen and air are supplied separately; an explosive mixture is occurred inside the cylinder only. The engine power output is controlled by varying the pressure of hydrogen gas from about 14 atm at low power to 70 atm at high power.
- iii. During the intake stroke, the hydrogen gas at normal or moderate pressure is drawn through the throttle valve into the engine cylinder whereas unthrottled air is drawn in through the intake port. The variation of engine power can be achieved with adjustment of hydrogen inlet throttle. The changes in fuel proportion as well as power is developed due to supply of un throttle air and power variation is possible because of the wide composition range over which hydrogen-air mixture can be ignited [1].

Advantages of using Hydrogen fuelled engine

- i. It provides high efficiency because it utilizes a higher proportion of the energy in the fuel.
- ii. The amount of carbon monoxide and hydrocarbons in the exhaust is very small since they are originating only from the cylinder lubricating oil.
- iii. It can be easily available because it is produced by electrolysis of water. iv.

Fuel leakage to environment is not pollutant.

Disadvantages of using Hydrogen fuelled engine

- i. Due to high heat release the combustion temperature may be high and also a level of nitrogen oxide is high. It can be reduced by reducing the combustion temperature by injecting water vapor into the cylinder from the exhaust.
- ii. It requires heavy, bulky fuel storage both in vehicle and at the service station.
- iii. Difficulty in refueling and possibility of detonation.
- iv. Poor engine volumetric efficiency- gaseous fuel will displace some of inlet air and poor volumetric efficiency will result.
- v. Fuel cost would be high at present day technology [2].

(e) Natural Gas:

-Natural gas is present in the earth and is often produced in association with the production of crude oil. Processing is required to separate the gas from petroleum liquids and to remove contaminants. First, the gas is separated from free liquids such as crude oil, hydrocarbon condensate, water and entrained solids. The separated gas is further processed to meet certain pipelines quality specifications with respect to water content, hydrocarbon dew point, heating value and hydrogen sulphide content. Generally, a gas sweetening plant removes hydrogen sulphide and other sulfur compounds

- Over 70% of the natural gas is formed by methane.

-It is Colorless, odorless and mostly constitutes methane which is a relatively unreactive hydrocarbon.

Utilization:

-Natural gas is widely used for different purposes such as space heating, electricity generation, industrial processes, agricultural, raw material for petrochemical industry, residential, commercial and utility markets

-On a gallon equivalent basis, natural gas costs less than gasoline, diesel fuel or any other alternative fuel. Natural gas currently supplies over 25% of the energy demand because of its quality.

-can either be stored on board a vehicle in tanks as compressed natural gas (CNG) at pressure of 16 to 25 bar or cryogenically cooled to a liquid state (-127 °C) as liquefied natural gas (LNG) at pressure of 70 to 120 bar. As a fuel and with a single throttle body injector it works best in an engine system. LNG is used in heavy duty vehicles where use of CNG would still entail space and load carrying capacity penalties. The fuel storage system of natural gas as LNG instead of CNG is less than half the weight and volume of CNG system. So, it can be easily transportable than CNG.

(i) CNG (Compressed Natural Gas)

-Natural gas consists of elements of compressor, some sort of compressed gas storage and dispensing unit of CNG into vehicles

-Two types of CNG refueling system- slow fill and fast fill. In slow fill system, several vehicles are connected to the output of the compressor at one time. These vehicles are then refilled over several hours of compressor operation. In fast fill systems, enough CNG is stored so that several vehicles can be refueled one after the other, just like refueling from a single gasoline dispenser

-The storage system of CNG is arranged as several tanks in cascade form. The CNG pressure in cascade is higher than the maximum storage pressure of the cylinder on the vehicle. The cascade attempts to deliver as much of its CNG to vehicles as possible before the pressure difference decreases to where the flow rate slows dramatically. A dryer should include in most CNG refueling systems to remove water vapor, impurities and hydrogen sulphide from natural gas before it is compressed. If water vapor is present then it can condense in the vehicle fuel system, causing corrosion especially if hydrogen sulphide is present. CNG driven vehicles with catalytic converter have less CO and HC emission but NOx emission is high

(ii) LPG (Liquefied Petroleum Gas)

-LPG is available in the market in two forms- one is propane and the other is butane. Propane is popular alternative fuel because of its infrastructure of pipe lines, processing facilities and storage for its efficient distribution and also it produces fewer emissions. Propane is produced as a byproduct of natural gas processing and crude oil refining

-Natural gas contains LPG, water vapor and other impurities and about 55% of the LPG is compressed from natural gas purification. LPG is a simple mixture of hydrocarbon mainly propane/propylene (C_3S) and butane/ butylenes (C_4S)

-Propane is an odorless, nonpoisonous gas which has lowest flammability range.

Utilization of LPG

LPG is used as a fuel in heating appliances and vehicles. It is increasingly used as an aerosol propellant and a refrigerant, replacing chlorofluorocarbons in an effort to reduce damage to the ozone layer

-In Europe, LPG is used as an alternative to electricity and heating oil (kerosene). It can also be used as power source for combined heat and power technologies (CHP). CHP is the process of generating both electrical power and useful heat from a single fuel source. This technology has allowed LPG to be used not just as fuel for heating and cooking, but also for de-centralized generation of electricity

-LPG has higher potential as an alternate fuel for IC engine.

Advantages of LPG

-Emission is much reduced by the use of LPG.

-LPG mixes with air at all temperatures.

-Uniform mixture can be supplied to all cylinders of multi-cylinder engine.

-Engine with high compression ratio (10:1) can use propane.

-There is cost saving of about 50% and longer life with LPG running engine.

Disadvantages of LPG

- (i) A good cooling system is necessary because LPG vaporizer uses engine coolant to provide the heat to convert the liquid LPG to gas [2].
- (ii) The weight of vehicle is increased due to the use of heavy pressure cylinder for storing LPG.
- (iii) A special fuel feed system is required for LPG.
- (iv) Requirement of safety device to prevent accident due to explosion of gas cylinders or leakage in the gas pipes.

(f) Producer Gas:

-Producer gas is a product of oxidation-reduction reactions of air with biomass. Biomass is chemically composed of elements C, H, O and some N and hence the oxidation results in products of combustion like CO_2 and H_2O . The molecules of O_2 in the air oxidises C and H to produce these products. The gases which are at high temperature due to partial oxidation pass through a bed of charcoal (which is produced because of oxidation reaction itself) and the reduction reaction of these gases with carbon leads to carbon monoxide and hydrogen

-Volumetric composition of producer gas is CO (16-20%), H₂ (16-18%), CO₂ (8-10%) and some traces of higher hydrocarbons. Producer gas has a high percentage of N₂, since air is used. So it has a low heat value. Density of producer gas is 0.9 to 1.2 kg/m³

-Producer gas is used in reciprocating engines and furnace. It needs little air to burn stoichiometrically and raise the temperature to a value of 1500 K at normal temperature and

pressure. It is also used to power gas turbines (which are well-suited to fuels of low calorific value), spark ignited engines (where 100% petrol fuel replacement is possible) or diesel internal combustion engines (where 40% - 15% of the original diesel fuel) is still used to ignite the gas.

(g) Blast Furnace Gas:

It is a byproduct of melting iron ore in steel plants. It principally consists of CO and contains low heat value similar to producer gas. It consists of about 60% nitrogen, 18-20% CO₂ and some amount of oxygen which are not flammable. It may be combined with natural gas or coke oven gas before combustion or a flame support with richer gas or oil is provided to sustain combustion. The auto ignition temperature of blast furnace gas is approximate 630 °C and it has Lower Explosive Limit (LEL) of 27% &Upper Explosive Limit (UEL) of 75% in an airgas mixture at normal temperature and pressure. The gas is hazardous due to higher concentration of carbon monoxide [50]. It should be cleaned properly because it contains lot of dust particles. Blast furnace gas depends upon types of fuel used and method of operating the blast furnace.

(h) Coke Oven Gas:

It is produced during the making of coke. It is also resulting from oxidation-reduction reactions of coal or coke with air and sometimes steams. It depends upon the type of coal used and operation method of oven. The composition of coke oven gas is H_2 (54% vol), CH_4 (24%), CO (8%), CO_2 (6%) and some traces of higher hydrocarbon and nitrogen. With the application of heat the heavier hydrocarbons are cracked and volatile portion of coal is driven off and results in high composition of H_2 and CH_4 . Its heat value per cubic meter is only about one half that of natural gas and density is 0.40 kg/m³.

*General Fuel Specifications:

Different properties of fuels have,

Relative density (specific gravity) Fuel composition Specific heating value Flash point Viscosity Surface tension Freezing point

(a) <u>Relative density (specific gravity):</u>

It is related to the measurement of the ratio of the weight of a given volume of fuel to the weight of the same volume of water, both at 20 $^{\rm O}$ C and 101.325 kPa

For gasoline, the relative density is around 0.72 to 0.78 - which is equivalent to an API (American petroleum institute) range of 65 to 50,

 $\rho = 700 - 800 \text{ [kg/m^3]}$, for unleaded gasoline this value is higher due to the aromatics

For diesel fuel, $\rho = 830 - 950 \text{ [kg/m^3]}$

(b) Fuel composition:

C and H: carbon content of aromatics is around 89 %, and of paraffins and naphthenes is around 86 %

Benzene: max allowable concentration is specified because it is highly toxic material, the level is 5%

Sulphur content: HC fuels contain free sulphur, hydrogen sulphide and other sulphur compounds which are objectionable it is a corrosive element that can corrode fuel lines, carburettor and injection pump. It will unite with oxygen to form sulphur dioxide, which in presence of water at low T, forms sulphurous acid.

-It has low ignition T, promote knock in SI engines. limited to approx 250 ppm (50 ppm is aimed for low pollutant emitting vehicles)

Gum deposits: gasoline with unsaturated HCs forms gum in the engine, paraffin, naphthene and aromatic HCs also form some gum – it causes operating difficulties, sticking valves and piston rings, deposits in the manifold etc.

Water: both dissolved and free water can be present in gasoline, free water is undesirable because it can freeze and cause problems. Dissolved water is usually unavoidable during manufacture.

Lead: for leaded and unleaded gasoline max lead content is specified, lead causes pollution and destroys catalytic converters in the exhaust system.

Manganese: used for antiknock in gasoline (MMT), max amount is specified, 0.00025 to 0.03 gMn/L

Oxygenates: oxygenated compounds such as alcohols are used in gasoline to improve octane rating.

In USA gasohol (10% ethanol contains 3.5% oxygen), TBA and methanol up to 3.5% oxygen methanol up to 5% volume, MTBE up to 15% are used. In EC monoalcohols and ethers with atm boiling points lower than the final atm boiling point of gasoline in the standards can be used. Higher concentrations require modifications on the vehicles - carburator or fuel injection system must be modified to compensate for the oxygen content of the fuel. Blends with 15% methanol can be used.

(C) Specific heating value:

-Specific heating value, H_u is a measure of the energy content of the fuel per unit mass (kJ/kg or kcal/kg)

-Gaseous fuels sp heating value is given in terms of energy content per unit volume (kJ/liter or kJ/m³, kcal/m³)

-In IC engines lower heating value is given as the combustion products contain water in vapour form.

For gasoline and diesel fuel

 H_u =42000-44000 kJ/kg or H_u =10200-10500 kcal/kg

-Heating value of the combustible air-fuel mixture is a decisive factor for engine performance.

(d) Flash point:

-Flash point is the lowest temperature of a sample at which the fuel vapour starts to ignite when in contact with a flame (ignition source).

-Marcusson method – fuel container is slowly heated, while the fuel vapour is in contact with an open flame – T is measured

-For gasoline it is 25 °C, diesel fuel 35 °C and heavy diesel 65 °C

(e) Viscosity:

-Viscosity is an important parameter for CI engines, also influences fuel metering orifices since Re is an inverse function of fuel viscosity lower the viscosity, smaller the diameter of the droplets in the spray.

-Below certain limits, low viscosity increases the leaks in the fuel system. It is a strong function of T – must be given at certain T values at 50 °C, 1.5 - 5.0 Engler or 0.5 to 0.6 centistokes

(f) Surface tension:

-Surface tension is a parameter which effects the formation of fuel droplets in sprays -increasing the surface tension will reduce mass flow and air-fuel ratio in gasoline engines -lower the value, smaller the droplet diameter diesel fuel value is in the range of 0.023 - 0.032 N/m and

for gasoline it is 0.019 - 0.023 N/m

(g) Freezing point:

-the precipitation of paraffin crystals in winter can lead to clogged filters. It can be prevented by either removing paraffins from the fuel or adding flow improvers (additives).

-Antifreezing properties are determined by its filterability.

-For gasoline freezing point is -65 °C and for diesel fuel -10 °C

*Important fuel specifications for gasoline (a)

Gasoline volatility:

Benzene for example has vapor pressure of 0.022 MPa at 38 OC in a closed container of 38 OC, benzene evaporates until the partial p has a value of 0.022 MPa, If T is raised to 80.5 OC, then saturation p will be 0.1 MPa and will be constant during the boiling For gasoline it is not possible to indicate a single value of evaporation T or vapor pressure.

Gasoline contains large number of compounds - up to about 400

It has a smooth distillation curve - with good fractionation efficiency Low fractionation efficiency effects engine performance at different operating conditions: If distillation curve is displaced downward, gasoline becomes more volatile - poor hot start, vapor lock, high evaporative losses

Gasoline distillation curve:

Gasoline having boiling point up to 70 OC controls ease of starting and hot weather problems such as vapor lock

Mid-range controls the driving in cold weathers, particularly at warm up period of engine. It also influences the ice forming in carburetor.

Back end of the curve contains all the heavier, high boiling point compounds and these have high heat content - they are important in improving fuel economy for fully warmed up engine. Some of the heavier compounds may pass into the crankcase and dilute the crankcase oil. They are not readily combusted as the lighter compounds - cause combustion chamber deposits.



Fig. 12. Distillation curve

%10 evaporation point should be at low T for start up at cold temperatures - at hot weathers this may cause problems - vapor lock.

50% evaporation should be slightly above 100 OC at summer and slightly below 100 OC at winter. For warmed up engine conditions this point is not important.

90% evaporation must not be high - produces fuel film on intake manifold walls and dilutes lubricating oil. Back end of the curve must not exceed 215 OC.

Gasoline volatility should be arranged according to weather conditions -particularly ambient T. Altitude has some minor effect due to pressure changes.

It is also effected by the characteristics of the vehicle itself (drivability, fuel system design etc).

Cold starting:

For SI engines to start, A/F ratio must be within the ignitable range, ie in general must be between 7:1 to 20:1 by weight.

When the engine is cold, it is difficult to ignite lean mixtures, because fuel may not vaporize sufficiently - under these conditions the mixture is rich to bring it to ignitable range. This is done by the injection time or by the use of a choke with carburetted engines.

Measurement of gasoline volatility:

Tests usually define Reid Vapour Pressure - ASTM Distillation test and Vapour/Liquid ratio.

Reid vapour pressure - obtained at air-to-liquid ratio of 4:1 and temperature 37.8 °C. Fuel is filled into a metal chamber which is connected to an air chamber and that is connected to a pressure gauge. The apparatus is immersed in water bath at 37.8 °C and is shaken until constant p is obtained - Reid VP

For gasoline allowable RVP is 0.7 bar in summer and 0.9 bar in winter (at 37.8 °C)

ASTM Distillation procedure - distillation rate is controlled by the heat input - distillation curve is plotted (temperature vs % evaporated).

(b)Antiknock quality of gasoline:

-Knock occurs when the unburnt gases ahead of flame front (the end gases) spontaneously ignite causing a sudden rise in pressure accompanied by a characteristic pinging sound – this result in a loss of power and can lead to damage the engine.

-Combustion chamber shape, spark plug location, ignition timing, end gas temperatures, in cylinder gas motion, air-fuel ratio of the mixture, fuel specifications etc. effects the occurrence of knock.

-Compression ratio of the engine also strongly effects knock. The higher the CR, the better the thermal efficiency - but the greater the tendency for knock to occur.

-Critical compression ratio - when knock starts. So higher fuel octane quality is required. - Autoignition of the end gases causes a rapid increase of p, producing p waves which resonate in the combustion chamber at a frequency of between 5000 - 8000 Hz, depending on the geometry of the chamber

Knock results in an increase of T in the cylinder and causes a severe damage to engine components like cylinder head gasket, piston, spark plugs etc.

Octane number:

-In 1929 Octane scale was proposed by Graham Edgar. In this scale two paraffinic HCs have been selected as standards (PRF, primary reference fuels)- iso-octane (2-2-4 trimethyl pentane) with very high resistance to knock (arbitrary assigned a value of 100) and n-heptane with extremely low knock resistance (assigned a value of 0).

-Octane number of the fuel is the volume percentage of iso-octane in a blend with n-heptane (PRF), that shows the same antiknock performance as test fuel tested in standard engine and standard conditions.

-Test engine for determining Octane values, was developed by Cooperative Fuel Research Committee (CFR). It is a single cylinder, variable CR engine.

-Two different test conditions specifies the Research Octane Number (RON) and the Motor Octane Number (MON)

-Antiknock Index = (RON + MON) / 2

-TEL is added to the PRF to increase the ON above 100 or n-heptane is added to the sample to reduce ON below 100, then nonlinear extrapolation is applied

ON can be increased by antiknock agents - at less expense than modifying HC composition by refinery process.

Most effective agents are lead alkyls -

TEL - tetraethyl lead, (C₂H₅)₄ Pb

TML - tetramethyl lead,

MMT

addition of about 0.8 g lead per litre, provides a gain of about 10 ON in gasoline

*Important fuel specifications for diesel (a)

Viscosity:

-Viscosity of a fluid indicates its resistance to flow - higher the viscosity, the greater the resistance to flow.

-It may be expressed as absolute viscosity (Poise, P) or kinematic viscosity (stoke, St).
-It varies inversely with temperature, usually given at 20 - 40 °C
-Fuel atomization depends on viscosity
2 - 8 mm²/s (cSt) at 20 °C

-Lower the viscosity, smaller the diameter of the droplets in the spray (b)

Surface tension:

-Surface tension is a parameter which effects the formation of fuel droplets in sprays -Lower the value, smaller the droplet diameter

-Diesel fuel 0.023 – 0.032 N/m (c)

Cetane number:

-Cetane number is used to specify the ignition quality of diesel fuel.

-Running on low Cetane number will produce cold start problems. Peak cylinder pressure, combustion noise and HC emissions will increase -more fuel will be injected before ignition, less time for combustion.

-Higher CN results in a sooner ignition - extremely high CN may ignite before adequate FuelAir mixing can take place - higher emissions. Power output can be reduced if burning starts too early.

Measurement of cetane number:

-Cetane number is measured by comparing the "ignition delay time" of the sample fuel with a mixture of cetane ($C_{16}H_{34}$) and alphamethyl naptane ($C_{10}H_7CH_3$). The Cetane percentage in the mixture gives the CN of the sample fuel.

-CN of the reference fuel cetane is arbitraryly set at 100, and of alphamethyl naptane at 0. - CFR engine is used to measure the compression ratio at which ignition starts. CR is gradually increased while the engine is driven by an electric motor - a curve of CN vs critical CR is obtained.

-Inlet air temp is 30 °C and cooling water temp is at 100 °C

An easier and practical method to obtain Cetane Number is by calculating the Diesel Index. Increasing the DI, increases the tendency to ignite.

$$DI = \frac{Annilin \ point \ [^{\circ}F] \times API[at \ 60 \ ^{\circ}F]}{100}$$

-AP is obtained by heating equal amounts of annilin and diesel fuel. While cooling down, the temp at which the annilin separates from the mixture is the AP

-Cetane number is in the range of,

50 - 60 for high speed Diesel engines

25 - 45 for low speed Diesel engines

Normal Diesel fuel CN is 40 - 55

DI of 50 gives a CN of around 50

*Carburetion:

The process of preparing a combustible fuel-air mixture outside engine cylinder in SI engine is known as carburetion.

Important factors which affect the process of carburetion are given below;

-time available for the mixture preparation i.e. atomisation, mixing and the vaporisation
-Temperature of the incoming air
-quality of the fuel supply
-design of combustion chamber and induction system

*Mixture requirements for steady state operation:

Three main areas of steady state operation of automotive engine which require different air fuel ratio are discussed below,



Fig. 13. Main areas of automotive engine operation

(a) Idling and low load:

-from no load to about 20% of rated power

-No load running mode is called idling condition

-very low suction pressure give rise to back flow of exhaust gases and air leakage

-increases the amount of residual gases and hence increase the dilution effects

-Rich mixture i.e. F/A ratio 0.08 or A/F ratio 12.5:1 provide smooth operation of the engine

(b) Normal power range or cruising range:

-from about 20% to 75% of rated power

-dilution by residual gases as well as leakage decreases, hence fuel economy is important consideration in this case

-maximum fuel economy occurs at A/F ratio of 17:1 to 16.7:1

-mixture ratios for best economy are very near to the mixture ratios for minimum emissions

(c) Maximum power range:

-from about 75% to 100% of rated power

-mixture requirements for the maximum power is a rich mixture, of A/F about 14:1 or F/A 0.07 -Rich mixture also prevents the overheating of exhaust valve at high load and inhibits detonation

-in multi-cylinder engine the A/F ratio are slightly lower

*Mixture requirements for transient operation:

-Carburettor has to provide mixture for transient conditions under which speed, load, temperature, or pressure change rapidly

-evaporation of fuel may be incomplete in the transient condition, quantity of fuel may be increasing and decreasing

(a) Starting and warm up requirements:

-engine speed and temperature are low during the starting of the engine from cold

-during starting very rich mixture about 5 to 10 times the normal amount of petrol is sulpplied i.e. F/A ratio 0.3 to 0.7 or A/F ratio 3:1 to 1.5:1

-mixture ratio is progressively made leaner to avoid too rich evaporated fuel-air ratio during warm up condition

-too high volatility may form vapour bubbles in the carburettor and fuel lines particularly when engine temperatures are high

-too low volatility may cause the petrol to condense on the cylinder walls, diluting and removing the lubricating oil film

(b) Acceleration requirements:

- Acceleration refer to an increase in engine speed resulting from the opening of the throttle - acceleration pump is used to provide additional fuel

*Simple Carburettor:

-provide air-fuel mixture for all operating conditions

-Carburettor depression is pressure differential in the float chamber and venture throat which causes discharge of fuel into the air stream -flow is controlled by small hole of fuel passage -pressure at the throat at the fully open throttle condition lies between 4 and 5 cm of Hg and seldom exceeds 8 cm Hg

-petrol engine is quantity governed

-Drawback of simple carburettor is that it provides too rich and too lean mixture due to vacuum created at the throat is too high and too small which is undesirable



Fig. 14. A simple carburettor

*Complete Carburettor:

Additional systems used with simple carburettor can help the engine to operate at all conditions, which are given below,

(i) Main metering system:

-provide constant fuel-air ratio at wide range of speeds and loads. -mainly based upon the best economy at full throttle (A/F ratio about 15.6:1) The different metering systems are,

Compensating jet device:-Addition to the main jet, a compensating jet is provided to provide the leanness effect

Emulsion tube or air bleeding device:

-mixture correction is done by air bleeding alone

-in this arrangement main metering jet is fitted about 25 mm below the petrol level which is called as submerged jet

Back suction control or pressure reduction method:

-in this arrangement large vent line connects the carburettor entrance with the top of the float chamber and another small orifice line is connected with the top of the float chambers with venture throat

-it creates pressure differences according to engine operating conditions

Auxiliary valve carburettor:

-Valve spring of auxiliary valve lift the valve during increase of engine load which increases the vacuum at venture

-Allows more admittance more additional air and the mixture is not over rich

Auxiliary port carburettor:

-opening of butterfly allows more air inductance which decreases quantity of fuel drawn -used in aircraft carburettors

(ii) Idling system:

-Idling jet is added for the idling and low load operation which requires rich mixture sof about A/F ratio 12:1

-consists of small fuel line from the float chamber to a point of throttle side -gradual opening of throttle may stop the idling jet

(iii) Power enrichment or economiser system:

-this system provides the richer mixture for maximum power range of operation -It has meter rod economiser of large orifice opening to the main jet as the throttle is opened beyond a certain point -rod is tapered or stepped

(iv) Acceleration pump system:

-Engine acceleration condition or rapid increase in engine speed may open the throttle rapidly which will not able to provide rich mixture

-acceleration pump of spring loaded plunger is used for fuel supply

(v) Choke:

-Rich mixture is required during cold starting period, at low crancking speed and before the engine warmed up condition
-butterfly type valve or choke is used between the entrance to the carburettor and venture throat to meet the requirement
-spring loaded by-pass choke is used in higher speeds

*Carburettor types:

(i) Open choke:Zenith, solex and carter Constant vacuum type: S.U. carburettor

(ii) updraught type

Horizontal or downdraught: mixture is assisted by gravity in its oassage to the engine induction

(a) Solex carburettor:

-provide ease of starting, good performance, and reliability
-used in Fiat and standard cars and Willey jeep
-Bi-starter is used for cold starting
-well of emulsion system is used for idling and slow running condition -diaphragm type acceleration pump is used for increasing speed case

(b) Carter carburettor:

-downdraft type carburettor used in jeep
-has triple venture diffusing type choke in which smallest lies above the level float chamber, other two below the petrol level, one below other
-multiple venturies result in better formation of the mixture at very low speeds causing steady and smooth operation at very low and high engine speed
-mechanical metering method is used
-choke valve is provided in the air circuit for cold starting
-plunger type acceleration pump is used

(c) S.U. carburettor:

-constant air-fuel ratio is maintained due to vacuum depression -has only one jet
-no separate idling jet or acceleration pump
-constant high velocity air across the jet may avoid the use of idling jet
-jet lever arrangement provides the rich mixture in cold starting
-used in many British cars and Hindustan ambassador car

Drawbacks of modern carburettor:

-improper mixture proportion in multi-cylinder engine
-loss of volumetric efficiency due to obstruction of flow of mixture from choke tubes, jets, throttle valve etc. -wear of carburettor parts
-Freezing at low temperature
-surging when carburettor is tilted or during acrobatics in aircraft -backfiring in fuel pipe line
Petrol injection:

-to avoid above problem of modern carburettor, petrol injection is used like in diesel engine
-petrol injected during the suction stroke in the intake manifold at low pressure
-injection timing is not much critical as like in diesel engine
-continuous injection and timed injection methods are used

Continuous injection:

-fuel is sprayed at low pressure continuously into the air supply
-amount of fuel is governed by air throttle opening
-in supercharged engine, fuel injected in the form of multiple spray into the suction side of the centrifugal compressor
-provide efficient atomisation of fuel and uniform mixture strength to all cylinder
-higher volumetric efficiency
-one fuel injection pump and one injector

Timed injection system:

-similar to high speed diesel engine -components are fuel feed or lift pump, fuel pump and distributor unit, fuel injection nozzles and mixture controls -mixture controls are automatic for all engine operating conditions

(i) Multiple plunger jerk pump system:

-pump with separate plunger and high injection nozzle pressure for each cylinder -100 to 300 bar pressure

-measured quantity of fuel for definite time and over definite period is delivered

(ii) Low pressure single pump and distributor system:

-single plunger or gear pump supply fuel at low pressure to a rotating distributor -pressure about 3.5 to 7 bar

(a) Lucas petrol injection system:

-firstly used in racing car

-single distributor system with novel metering device

-line pressure is maintained at 7 bar

-metering distributor and control unit distributes the required amount of fuel at correct time and interval

-has shuttle arrangements for metering unit

-in aircraft engine two injectors and spark plug provided for direct injection of fuel in combustion chamber



Fig. 15. Lucas petrol injection system for 6-cylinder petrol engine *(b) Electronic fuel injection* <u>Fuel</u>

delivery system:

-electrically driven fuel pump draws fuel from tanks to distribute -fuel and manifold pressure kept constant by pressure regulator

Air induction system:

-air flow meter generate voltage signal according to air flow -cold start magnetic injection valve give good fuel atomisation and also provide extra fuel during warm up condition



Fig. 16. Electronic fuel injection system- L-Jetronic with air flow meter

Electronic control unit (ECU):

-sensors for manifold pressure, engine speed and temperature at intake manifold -sensor measures operating data from locations and transmitted electrically to ECU

<u>Injection timing:</u> -injected twice for every revolution of crank shaft -triggering of injectors

*Diesel injection system:

Requirements of diesel injection system:

-fuel must introduce precisely defined period of cycle -amounts metered very accurately

-rate of injection meet desired heat release pattern

-quantities of fuel meet changing speed and load condition
-good atomisation of fuel
-good spray pattern for rapid mixing of fuel and air
-no dribbling and after injection of fuel i.e. sharp injection
-injection timing suits the speed and load requirements
-distribution of fuel in multi-cylinder should uniform
-weight, size and cost of fuel injection system should be less

Types of diesel injection system:

(a) Air injection system:

-fuel supplied through camshaft driven fuel pump

-fuel valve is also connected with high pressure airline to inject into cylinder -multi-stage compressor which supply air at a pressure of about 60 to 70 bar



Fig. 17. Air injection system

-blast air sweeps the fuel along with it

-good atomisation results in good mixture formation and hence high mean effective pressure

- -heavy and viscous fuels are used
- -fuel pump require small pressure
- -but it is complicated due to compressor arrangement and expensive
- -bulky engine and low bhp
- -overheating and burning of valve seat

(b) Solid injection system:

-Fuel directly injected to combustion chamber without primary atomisation termed as solid injection.

- -Also known as airless mechanical injection
- -2 units-pressurise and atomising unit
- 3 different types which are described below,

(i) Individual pump and injector or jerk pump system:

-separate metering and compression pump is used for each cylinder

-reciprocating fuel pump is used to meter and set the injection pressure of the fuel

-heavy gear arrangements which gives jerking noise, hence name is given is jerk pump -jerk pump is used for medium and high speed diesel engines



Fig. 18. Individual pump and injector or jerk pump system



Fig. 19. Unit injector

(ii) Common rail system:

-high pressure fuel pump delivers fuel to an accumulator whose pressure is constant -plunger type of pump is used

-driving mechanism is not stressed with high pressure hence noise is reduced -common rail or pipe is connected in between accumulator and distributing elements -separate metering and timing elements connected to automatic injector -self-governing type



Fig. 20. Common rail system

(iii) Distributor system:

-fuel pump pressurises, meters and times the fuel supply to rotating distributor -number of injection strokes per cycle for the pump equals to the number of cylinder -One metering element which ensure uniform distribution



Fig. 21. Distributor system

* Fuel Injectors

3 main types of fuel injectors, Blast

injector:

-these are superseded by mechanically operated injectors used in air injection system **Mechanically operated injector:**

-consist of a set of camshaft, cams and rocker gear and other cams for controlling the timing of the fuel injection

Automatic injector:

-consists of spring loaded needle valve and operated hydraulically by the pressure of fuel - quanity of fuel is metered by the fuel pump

Types of nozzles:

(a) Depends on the type of combustion chamber,

Open combustion chamber:

-fuel seeks air

-air swirl is created due to inclined induction port

-multi-hole nozzle injects fuel at a pressure of about 200 to 300 bar to slow moving air -provide good cold starting performance and improved thermal efficiency

Pre-combustion chamber:

-air velocity is very much high -single hole nozzle with 65 to 100 bar injection pressure is used -used in high speed engine due to rapid combustion -external heating device for easy starting of the engine

(b) Open and closed type of nozzle, Open type:

-consists of fuel orifices and open to burner

-cheap and less efficient

ex- opposed piston two-stroke Junkers diesel engine Closed type: pressure drop is minimised compared to open type

(c) Different types of nozzle for different combustion chamber (i) Single hole nozzle:
-used in open combustion chamber
-size of hole larger than 0.2 mm
-very high injection pressure required

(ii) Multi-hole nozzle:-no. of hole varies from 4 to 18 and the size from 1.5 to 0.35 mm-injection rate is not uniform

(iii) Pintle nozzle:

-a projection or pintle is provided in the nozzle to avoid weak injection and dribbling -pintle may be cylindrical or conical shape

-cone angle varied from 0 to 60°

-provide good atomisation and reduced penetration

-fuel pressures are lower than single and multi-hole nozzle

(iv) Pintaux nozzle:

-injected fuel in upstream of air

-development of pintle nozzle with auxiliary hole drilled in the nozzle body -reduced delay period and increased thermal efficiency

IGNITION SYSTEM

Basically Convectional Ignition systems are of 2 types:

(a) Battery or Coil Ignition System, and

(b) Magneto Ignition System

Both these conventional, ignition systems work on mutual electromagnetic induction principle.

Battery or Coil Ignition System:

-used in 4-wheelers, but now-a-days it is more commonly used in 2-wheelers also (i.e. Button start, 2-wheelers like Pulsar, Kinetic Honda; Honda-Activa, Scooty, Fiero, etc.) - The ignition system is divided into 2-circuits:

(i) Primary Circuit:

-consists of 6 or 12 V battery, ammeter, ignition switch, primary winding -it has 200-300 turns of 20 SWG (Sharps Wire Gauge) gauge wire, contact breaker, capacitor.

(ii) Secondary Circuit:

-consists of secondary winding or coil which have 21000 turns of 40 (S WG) gauge wire. bottom end of which is connected to bottom end of primary and top end of secondary winding or coil is connected to centre of distributor rotor.

-distributor rotors rotate and make contacts with contact points and are connected to spark plugs which are fitted in cylinder heads.





Fig. 22. Circuit diagram for a conventional spark ignition system Working:

-When the ignition switch is closed and engine in cranked, as soon as the contact breaker closes, a low voltage current will flow through the primary winding. It is also to be noted that the contact beaker cam opens and closes the circuit 4-times (for 4 cylinders) in one revolution. When the contact breaker opens the contact, the magnetic field begins to collapse. Because of this collapsing magnetic field, current will be induced in the secondary winding. And because of more turns (@ 21000 turns of secondary, voltage goes unto 28000-30000 volts. This high
voltage current is brought to centre of the distributor rotor. Distributor rotor rotates and supplies this high voltage current to proper stark plug depending upon the engine firing order. When the high voltage current jumps the spark plug gap, it produces the spark and the charge is ignitedcombustion starts-products of combustion expand and produce power.

-The Function of the capacitor is to reduce arcing at the contact breaker (CB) points. Also when the CB opens the magnetic field in the primary winding begins to collapse. When the magnetic field is collapsing capacitor gets fully charged and then its tarts discharging and helps in building up of voltage in secondary winding.

-Contact breaker cam and distributor rotor are mounted on the same shaft.

-In 2-stroke cycle engines these are motored at the same engine speed. And in 4-stroke cycle engines they are motored at half the engine speed.

- A good spark is available at low speed also.
- Occupies more space.
- Recharging is a must in case battery gets discharged.

Magneto Ignition System:

- magneto will produce and supply the required current to the primary winding or coil rotating magneto with fixed coil or rotating coil with fixed magneto for producing and supplying current to primary, remaining arrangement is same as that of a battery ignition system -no battery required
- during starting the quality of spark is poor due to slow speed

-very much compact



Fig. 23. High tension magneto ignition system

Disadvantage of conventional ignition systems

Following are the drawbacks of conventional ignition systems:

(a)Because of arcing, pitting of contact breaker point

(b)Poor starting: After few thousands of kilometres of running, the timing becomes inaccurate, which results into poor starting (Starting trouble).

(c)At very high engine speed, performance is poor because of inertia effects of the moving parts in the system.

(d)Sometimes it is not possible to produce spark properly in fouled spark plugs.

Due to above problem electronic ignition system is used.

Following are the advantages of electronic ignition system:

- (a) Moving parts are absent-so no maintenance.
- (b) Contact breaker points are absent-so no arcing.
- (c) Spark plug life increases by 50% and they can be used for about 60000 km without any problem.
- (d) Better combustion in combustion chamber, about 90-95% of air fuel mixture is burnt compared with 70-75% with conventional ignition system.
- (e) More power output.
- (f) More fuel efficiency.

Firing order:

The order or sequence in which the firing takes place, in different cylinders of a multicylinder engine is called Firing Order.

In case of SI engines the distributor connects the spark plugs of different cylinders according to Engine Firing Order.

Advantages

(a) A proper firing order reduces engine vibrations (b)

Maintains engine balancing.

(c) Secures an even flow of power.

- Firing order differs from engine-to-engine.
- Probable firing orders for different engines are :
 - -3 cylinder = 1-3-2 -4 cylinder engine (inline) = 1-3-4-2 1-2-4-3 -4 cylinder horizontal opposed engine = 1-4-3-2 (Volkswagen engine) - 6-cylinder in line engine = 1-5-3-6-2-4 (Cranks in 3 pairs) 1-4-2-6-3-5 1-3-2-6-4-5 1-2-4-6-5-3 - 8 cylinder in line engine 1-6-2-5-8-3-7-4 1-4-7-3-8-5-2-6 8 cylinder V type 1-5-4-8-6-3-7-2 1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8 1-6-2-5-8-3-7-4 1-8-4-3-6-5-7-2

Cylinder 1 is taken from front of inline and front right side in V engines.

Ignition timing:

It is very important, since the charge is to be ignited just before (few degrees before TDC) the end of compression, since when the charge is ignited, it will take some time to come to the required rate of burning.

Ignition Advance:

The purpose of spark advance mechanism is to assure that under every condition of engine operation, ignition takes place at the most favourable instant in time i.e. most favourable from a standpoint of engine power, fuel economy and minimum exhaust dilution. By means of these mechanisms the advance angle is accurately set so that ignition occurs before TDC point of the piston. The engine speed and the engine load are the control quantities required for the automatic adjustment of the ignition timing. Most of the engines are fitted with mechanisms which are integral with the distributor and automatically regulate the optimum spark advance to account for change of speed and load. The two mechanisms used are:

(a)Centrifugal advance mechanism, and

(b)Vacuum advance mechanism

Factors affecting energy requirement of ignition system (a)

Effect of series resistance:

-Energy dissipated during discharge and hence circuit energy stored in capacitance is more - longer discharge time

(b) Effect of electrode material:

-ignition energy for electrode gaps larger than the quenching distance varies with materials for the electrode and increases with any change to material having higher boiling point

(c) Effect of spray inductance:

-presence of small stray inductance cause oscillatory discharge -larger resistance, minimum inductance longer the discharge time

(d) Effect of electrode configuration:

-reduction in the capacitance reduces the discharge time and increase in the gas resistance which reduces the diameter of the spark channel

-increase the electrode gap means supply of ignition energy over interval of time decreases and spark channel also reduces

*Stages of SI engine combustion

In SI engine homogeneous mixture of vaporised fuel, air and residual gases is ignited by a single intense and high temperature spark between the spark plug electrode (electrodes exceeds 10,000 °C) and generate pre-flame which spreads to envelope of mixture for combustion. Three stages of combustion in SI engine are,





Fig. 24. Theoretical p-θ diagram Fig. 25. Stages of combustion in SI engine I-Ignition lag or preparation phase (AB):

-growth and development of a semi propagating nucleus of flame

-chemical process depending upon the nature of the fuel, upon both temperature and pressure, the proportion of the exhaust gas, and also upon the temperature coefficient of the fuel, that is, the relationship of oxidation or burning

-point A shows the passage of spark and point B is the first rise of pressure

-ignition lag is generally expressed in terms of crank angle

-Ignition lag is very small and lies between 0.00015 to 0.0002 seconds

-ignition lag of 0.002 seconds corresponds to 35 deg crank rotation when the engine is running at 3000 RPM

-Angle of advance increase with the speed

II-propagation of flame (BC):

-Period from the point B where the line of combustion departs from the compression line to point C, the maximum rise of pressure in P- θ diagram

-flame propagates at the constant velocity

-Heat transfer to the cylinder wall is low

-rate of heat release depends upon the turbulence intensity and reaction rate III-After

burning (CD):

-After point C, the heat release is due to the fuel injection in reduced flame front after the starts of expansion stroke

-no pressure rise during this period

*Effect of engine variables on Ignition lag

Fuel: High self-ignition temperature of fuel longer the ignition lag.

<u>Mixture ratio</u>: mixture richer than the stoichiometric ratio provide shorter ignition lag <u>Initial</u> temperature and pressure: increasing the intake temperature and pressure, increasing the compression ratio, chemical reaction rate and retarding the spark all reduce the ignition lag <u>Electrode gap</u>: lower the compression ratio and higher the electrode gap is desirable -voltage required at the spark plug electrode to produce spark is found to increase with decrease in fuel-air ratio and with increase in compression ratio and engine load

Turbulence: directly proportional to engine speed

-engine speed does not affect much ignition lag measured in milliseconds

-but ignition lag increases linearly with engine speed when measured in degree crank angle - spark advance is desirable in higher engine speed

*Effect of engine variables on flame propagation

Rate of flame propagation affects the combustion process in SI engines. Higher combustion efficiency and fuel economy can be achieved by higher flame propagation velocities. Unfortunately flame velocities for most of fuel range between 10 to 30 m/second.

The factors which affect the flame propagations are

- 1. Air fuel ratio
- 2. Compression ratio
- 3. Load on engine
- 4. Turbulence and engine speed
- 5. Other factors

<u>1.</u> <u>A:F ratio:</u> The mixture strength influences the rate of combustion and amount of heat generated. The maximum flame speed for all hydrocarbon fuels occurs at nearly 10% rich mixture. Flame speed is reduced both for lean and as well as for very rich mixture. Lean mixture releases less heat resulting lower flame temperature and lower flame speed. Very rich mixture results incomplete combustion and also results in production of less heat and flame speed remains low.

2. <u>Compression ratio</u>: The higher compression ratio increases the pressure and temperature of the mixture and also decreases the concentration of residual gases. All these factors reduce the ignition lag and help to speed up the second phase of combustion. The maximum pressure of the cycle as well as mean effective pressure of the cycle with increase in compression ratio. Figure above shows the effect of compression ratio on pressure (indirectly on the speed of combustion) with respect to crank angle for same A: F ratio and same angle of advance. Higher compression ratio increases the surface to volume ratio and thereby increases the part of the mixture which after-burns in the third phase.

<u>3.</u> Load on Engine: With increase in load, the cycle pressures increase and the flame speed also increases. In S.I. engine, the power developed by an engine is controlled by throttling. At lower load and higher throttle, the initial and final pressure of the mixture after compression decrease and mixture is also diluted by the more residual gases. This reduces the flame propagation and prolongs the ignition lag. This is the reason, the advance mechanism is also provided with change in load on the engine. This difficulty can be partly overcome by providing rich mixture at part loads but this definitely increases the chances of afterburning. The after burning is prolonged with richer mixture. In fact, poor combustion at part loads and necessity of providing richer mixture are the main disadvantages of SI engines which causes wastage of fuel and discharge of large amount of CO with exhaust gases.

<u>4. Turbulence:</u> Turbulence plays very important role in combustion of fuel as the flame speed is directly proportional to the turbulence of the mixture. This is because, the turbulence increases the mixing and heat transfer coefficient or heat transfer rate between the burned and unburned mixture. The turbulence of the mixture can be increased at the end of compression by suitable design of the combustion chamber (geometry of cylinder head and piston crown). Insufficient turbulence provides low flame velocity and incomplete combustion and reduces the power output. But excessive turbulence is also not desirable as it increases the combustion rapidly and leads to detonation. Excessive turbulence is always desirable as it accelerates the chemical reaction, reduces ignition lag, increases flame propagation and even allows weak mixture to burn efficiently.

Engine Speed

The turbulence of the mixture increases with an increase in engine speed. For this reason the flame speed almost increases linearly with engine speed. If the engine speed is doubled, flame to traverse the combustion chamber is halved. Double the original speed and half the original time give the same number of crank degrees for flame propagation. The crank angle required for the flame propagation, which is main phase of combustion will remain almost constant at all speeds. This is an important characteristic of all petrol engines.

Engine Size

Engines of similar design generally run at the same piston speed. This is achieved by using small engines having larger RPM and larger engines having smaller RPM. Due to same piston speed, the inlet velocity, degree of turbulence and flame speed are nearly same in similar engines regardless of the size. However, in small engines the flame travel is small and in large engines large. Therefore, if the engine size is doubled the time required for propagation of flame through combustion space is also doubled. But with lower RPM of large engines the time for flame propagation in terms of crank would be nearly same as in small engines. In other words, the number of crank degrees required for flame travel will be about the same irrespective of engine size provided the engines are similar.

<u>5. Other Factors:</u> Among the other factors, the factors which increase the flame speed are supercharging of the engine, spark timing and residual gases left in the engine at the end of exhaust stroke. The air humidity also affects the flame velocity but its exact effect is not known. Anyhow, its effect is not large compared with A:F ratio and turbulence.

***Detonation or knocking**

Knocking is due to auto ignition of end portion of unburned charge in combustion chamber. As the normal flame proceeds across the chamber, pressure and temperature of unburned charge increase due to compression by burned portion of charge. This unburned compressed charge may auto ignite under certain temperature condition and release the energy at a very rapid rate compared to normal combustion process in cylinder. This rapid release of energy during auto ignition causes a high pressure differential in combustion chamber and a high pressure wave is released from auto ignition region. The motion of high pressure compression waves inside the cylinder causes vibration of engine parts and pinging noise and it is known as knocking or detonation. This pressure frequency or vibration frequency in SI engine can be up to 5000 Cycles per second. Denotation is undesirable as it affects the engine performance and life, as it abruptly increases sudden large amount of heat energy. It also put a limit on compression ratio at which engine can be operated which directly affects the engine efficiency and output.



Fig. 26. Detonation in SI engine

*Auto ignition

A mixture of fuel and air can react spontaneously and produce heat by chemical reaction in the absence of flame to initiate the combustion or self-ignition. This type of self-ignition in the absence of flame is known as Auto-Ignition. The temperature at which the self-ignition takes place is known as self-igniting temperature. The pressure and temperature abruptly increase due to auto-ignition because of sudden release of chemical energy. This autoignition leads to abnormal combustion known as detonation which is undesirable because its bad effect on the engine performance and life as it abruptly increases sudden large amount of heat energy. In addition to this knocking puts a limit on the compression ratio at which an engine can be operated which directly affects the engine efficiency and output.

*Pre-ignition

Pre-ignition is the ignition of the homogeneous mixture of charge as it comes in contact with hot surfaces, in the absence of spark. Auto ignition may overheat the spark plug and exhaust valve and it remains so hot that its temperature is sufficient to ignite the charge in next cycle during the compression stroke before spark occurs and this causes the pre-ignition of the charge. Pre-ignition is initiated by some overheated projecting part such as the sparking plug electrodes, exhaust valve head, metal corners in the combustion chamber, carbon deposits or protruding cylinder head gasket rim etc. pre-ignition is also caused by persistent detonating pressure shockwaves scoring away the stagnant gases which normally protect the combustion chamber walls. The resulting increased heat flow through the walls, raises the surface temperature of any protruding poorly cooled part of the chamber, and this therefore provides a focal point for pre-ignition.

Effects of Pre-ignition

-It increase the tendency of denotation in the engine

-It increases heat transfer to cylinder walls because high temperature gas remains in contact with for a longer time

-Pre-ignition in a single cylinder will reduce the speed and power output

-Pre-ignition may cause seizer in the multi-cylinder engines, only if only cylinders have preignition

*Effect of detonation

The harmful effects of detonation are as follows:

- <u>1. Noise and roughness:</u> knocking produces a loud pulsating noise and pressure waves. These waves vibrate back and forth across the cylinder. The presence of vibratory motion causes crankshaft vibrations and the engine runs rough.
- 2. Mechanical damage:

(a)High pressure waves generated during knocking can increase rate of wear of parts of combustion chamber. Sever erosion of piston crown (in a manner similar to that of marine propeller blades by cavitation), cylinder head and pitting of inlet and outlet valves may result in complete wreckage of the engine.

(b) Detonation is very dangerous in engines having high noise level. In small engines the knocking noise is easily detected and the corrective measures can be taken but in aeroengines it is difficult to detect knocking noise and hence corrective measures cannot be taken. Hence severe detonation may persist for a long time which may ultimately result in complete wreckage of the piston.

3. <u>Carbon deposits</u>: Detonation results in increased carbon deposits.

<u>4. Increase in heat transfer:</u> Knocking is accompanied by an increase in the rate of heat transfer to the combustion chamber walls. The increase in heat transfer is due to two reasons.

-The minor reason is that the maximum temperature in a detonating engine is about 150°C higher than in a non-detonating engine, due to rapid completion of combustion

-The major reason for increased heat transfer is the scouring away of protective layer of inactive stagnant gas on the cylinder walls due to pressure waves. The inactive layer of gas normally reduces the heat transfer by protecting the combustion and piston crown from direct contact with flame.

5. <u>Decrease in power output and efficiency</u>: Due to increase in the rate of heat transfer the power output as well as efficiency of a detonating engine decreases.

<u>6 Pre-ignition</u>: increase in the rate of heat transfer to the walls has yet another effect. It may cause local overheating, especially of the sparking plug, which may reach a temperature high enough to ignite the charge before the passage of spark, thus causing pre-ignition. An engine detonating for a long period would most probably lead to pre-ignition and this is the real danger of detonation.

*Effect of engine operating variables on the engine knocking Detonation

The various engine variables affecting knocking can be classified as:

- -Temperature factors
- -Density factors

-Time factors

-Composition factors

(a) Temperature factors:

Increasing the temperature of the unburned mixture increase the possibility of knock in SI engine, the effect of following engine parameters on the temperature of the unburned mixture: -Raising the compression ratio: Increasing the compression ratio increases both the temperature and pressure (density of the unburned mixture). Increase in temperature reduces the delay period of the end gas which in turn increases the tendency to knock.

-Supercharging: It also increases both temperature and density, which increase the knocking tendency of engine

-Coolant temperature: Delay period decreases with increase of coolant temperature, decreased delay period increase the tendency to knock

-Temperature of the cylinder and combustion chamber walls: The temperature of the end gas depends on the design of combustion chamber. Sparking plug and exhaust valve are two hottest parts in the combustion chamber and uneven temperature leads to pre-ignition and hence the knocking.

(b) Density factors:

Increasing the density of unburnt mixture will increase the possibility of knock in the engine. The engine parameters which affect the density are as follows:

-Increased compression ratio increase the density

-Increasing the load opens the throttle valve more and thus the density

-Supercharging increase the density of the mixture

-Increasing the inlet pressure increases the overall pressure during the cycle. The high pressure end gas decreases the delay period which increase the tendency of knocking. -Advanced spark

timing: quantity of fuel burnt per cycle before and after TDC position depends on spark timing. The temperature of charge increases by increasing the spark advance and it increases with rate of burning and does not allow sufficient time to the end mixture to dissipate the heat and increase the knocking tendency

(c) *Time factors:*

Increasing the time of exposure of the unburned mixture to auto-ignition conditions increase the possibility of knock in SI engines.

<u>Flame travel distance</u>: If the distance of flame travel is more, then possibility of knocking is also more. This problem can be solved by combustion chamber design, spark plug location and engine size. Compact combustion chamber will have better anti-knock characteristics, since the flame travel and combustion time will be shorter. Further, if the combustion chamber is highly turbulent, the combustion rate is high and consequently combustion time is further reduced; this further reduces the tendency to knock.

<u>Location of sparkplug:</u> A spark plug which is centrally located in the combustion chamber has minimum tendency to knock as the flame travel is minimum. The flame travel can be reduced by using two or more spark plugs.

<u>Location of exhaust valve</u>: The exhaust valve should be located close to the spark plug so that it is not in the end gas region; otherwise there will be a tendency to knock.

Engine size: Large engines have a greater knocking tendency because flame requires a longer time to travel across the combustion chamber. In SI engine therefore, generally limited to 100mm

<u>Turbulence of mixture:</u> decreasing the turbulence of the mixture decreases the flame speed and hence increases the tendency to knock. Turbulence depends on the design of combustion chamber and one engine speed.

(d) Composition:

The properties of fuel and A/F ratio are primary means to control knock :

(i) Molecular Structure: The knocking tendency is markedly affected by the type of the fuel used. Petroleum fuels usually consist of many hydro-carbons of different molecular structure. The structure of the fuel molecule has enormous effect on knocking tendency. Increasing the carbon-chain increases the knocking tendency and centralizing the carbon atoms decreases the knocking tendency. Unsaturated hydrocarbons have less knocking tendency than saturated hydrocarbons.

Paraffins

-Increasing the length of carbon chain increases the knocking tendency.

-Centralising the carbon atoms decreases the knocking tendency.

-Adding methyl group (CH to the side of the carbon chain in the centre position decreases the knocking tendency. <u>Olefins</u>

-Introduction of one double bond has little effect on anti-knock quality but two or three double bond results less knocking tendency except C and C

Napthenes and Aromatics

-Napthenes have greater knocking tendency than corresponding aromatics.

-With increasing double-bonds, the knocking tendency is reduced.

-Lengthening the side chains increases the knocking tendency whereas branching of the side chain decreases the knocking tendency.

(ii) Fuel-air ratio: The most important effect of fuel-aft ratio is on the reaction time or ignition delay. When the mixture is nearly 10% richer than stoichiomiric (fuel-air ratio =0.08) ignition lag of the end gas is minimum and the velocity of flame propagation is maximum. By making the mixture leaner or richer (than F/A 0.08) the tendency to knock is decreased. A too rich mixture is especially effective in decreasing or eliminating the knock due to longer delay and lower temperature of compression.

(iii)Humidity of air: Increasing atmospheric humidity decreases the tendency to knock by decreasing the reaction time of the fuel

*SI engine combustion chamber

(a) T-head combustion chamber: 2 cam shaft, prone to detonation, average octane number 4550(b) I-head or side valve combustion chamber:

-lack of turbulence

-extremely sensitive to ignition timing

-prone to detonation

(c) F-head combustion chamber:-Compromise between I-head and L-head

*Stages of combustion in CI engine

1. Ignition delay period:

The period between the start of fuel injection into the combustion chamber and the start of combustion is termed as ignition delay period. The start of combustion is determined from the change in slope on p- θ diagram or from heat release analysis of the p- θ data, or from luminosity detector in experimental conditions. Start of injection can be determined by a needle-lift indicator to record the time when injector needle lifts off its seat. Start of combustion is more difficult to determine precisely. It is best identified from the change in slope of heat release rate, determined from cylinder pressure data. In DI engines ignition is well defined, in IDI engines ignition point is harder to identify



Fig. 27. Stages of combustion in CI engine

Both physical and chemical processes must take place before a significant fraction of the chemical energy of the injected liquid is released.

<u>*Physical processes*</u> are fuel spray atomization, evaporation and mixing of fuel vapour with cylinder air.

Good atomization requires high fuel-injection pressure, small injector hole, optimum fuel viscosity, high cylinder pressure (large divergence angle).

Rate of vaporization of the fuel droplets depends on droplet diameter, velocity, fuel volatility, pressure and temperature of the air.

<u>Chemical processes</u> similar to that described for auto ignition phenomenon in premixed fuelair, only more complex since **heterogeneous reactions** (reactions occurring on the liquid fuel drop surface) also occur.

Chemical delay is more effective for the duration of the ignition delay period.

Ignition delay period is in the range of

0.6 to 3 ms for low-compression ratio DI diesel engines,

0.4 to 1 ms for high-compression ratio, turbocharged DI diesel engines,

0.6 to 1.5 ms for IDI diesel engines

2. Rapid or uncontrolled or pre-mixed combustion phase:

Combustion of the fuel which has mixed with air within flammability limits during ignition delay period occurs rapidly in a few crank angle degrees - high heat release characteristics in this phase. If the amount of fuel collected in the combustion chamber during the ignition delay is much - high heat release rate results in a rapid pressure rise which causes the diesel knock.

For fuels with low cetane number, with long ignition delay, ignition occurs late in the expansion stroke - incomplete combustion, reduced power output, poor fuel conversion efficiency. If the pressure gradient is in the range 0.4 - 0.5 MPa/°CA, engine operation is not smooth and diesels

knock starts. This value should be in the range 0.2 to 0.3 MPa/°CA for smooth operation (max allowable value is 1.0 MPa/°CA) of the engine.

3. Controlled or diffusion combustion phase:

Once the fuel and air which is pre-mixed during the ignition delay is consumed, the burning rate (heat release rate) is controlled by the rate at which mixture becomes available for burning. The rate of burning in this phase is mainly controlled by the mixing process of fuel vapour and air. Liquid fuel atomization, vaporization, pre flame chemical reactions also affect the rate of heat release.

Heat release rate sometimes reaches a second peak (which is lower in magnitude) and then decreases as the phase progresses. Generally it is desirable to have the combustion process near the TDC for low particulate (soot) emissions and high performance (and efficiency).

4. After burning or late combustion phase:

Heat release rate continues at a lower rate into the expansion stroke -there are several reasons for this: a small fraction of the fuel may not yet burn, a fraction of the energy is present in soot and fuel-rich combustion products and can be released. The cylinder charge is nonuniform and mixing during this phase promotes more complete combustion and less dissociated product gases. Kinetics is slower.

* Variables affecting delay period

(i) Cetane number

Both physical and chemical properties of the fuel are important. Ignition quality of the fuel is defined by its cetane number. Straight chain parafinic compounds (normal alkanes) have highest ignition quality, which improves as the chain length increases. Aromatic compounds, alcohols have poor ignition quality.

-Cetane number can be increased by ignition-accelerating additives like organic peroxides, nitrates, nitrites and various sulphur compounds. Most important (commercially) is alkyl nitrates – about 0.5% by vol in a distillate fuel increase CN by 10.

-Normal diesel fuel has CN of 40 to 55 (high speed 50 - 60, low speed 25 - 45

(ii) Injection timing

-At normal operating conditions min ignition delay (ID) occurs with start of injection at 10 to 15 ^oCA BTDC

-Cylinder temperature and pressure drops if injection is earlier or later (high at first but decrease as delay proceeds)

(iii) Injection quantity (load)

-Reducing engine load changes AFR, cools down the engine, reduces wall temperatures, reduces residual gas temperatures and increase ID

-Droplet size, injection velocity and rate Ignition quality within practical limits do not have significant effect on ID

-Increase in injection pressure produces only modest decrease in ID Injector nozzle diameter -effects of droplet size but has no significant effect on ID

(iv) Intake air temperature and pressure

-Reducing intake air T and p increase ID

-Strong dependence of ID on charge temperature below 1000 K – above this value effect of intake air conditions is not significant.

(v) Engine speed

Increase in engine speed increases the air motion and turbulence, reduces ID time slightly (in ms), in terms of CA degrees ID increases almost linearly.

-A change in engine speed, changes "temp~time" and "pressure~time" relationships

(vi) Combustion chamber design

-Spray impingement on the walls effect fuel evaporation and ID increase in compression ratio, increase p and T and reduces ID

-Reducing stroke volume, increase surface area to volume ratio, increase engine cooling and increase ID

(vii) Swirl rate

-Change of evaporation rate and air-fuel mixing - under normal operating conditions the effect is small.

-At start-up (low engine speed and temperature) more important, high rate of evaporation and mixing is obtained by swirl

(viii) Oxygen concentration

Residual gases reduce O2 concentration and reducing oxygen concentration increases ID

*Diesel knock

-CI engine detonation occurs in the beginning of combustion

-In CI engine the fuel and air are imperfectly mixed and hence the rate of pressure rise is normally cause audible knock. Rate of pressure rise may reach as high as 10 bar/°CA

-High engine vibration is the symptoms of knocking

-no pre-ignition or premature ignition as like SI engine



Fig. 28. Detonation in SI and CI engine

*Combustion chamber

(i) According to the swirl of air

(a) Induction swirl or open chamber or non-turbulent chamber

(b) Compression swirl

(c) Combustion induced swirl

(ii) According to speed of the engine

(a) Low speed engine (n<1500 rpm):

- Shallow, swirl-less combustion chambers -Direct, multi-jet fuel injection

(b) Medium speed engine (n=1500-3000 rpm):
-Deep combustion chambers with intensive swirl of charge
-Direct injection of atomised fuel
(c) high speed engine (n=3000-5000 rpm):
-Pre-chambers (sectional combustion chambers)

-Indirect injection of fuel into the pre-chamber

TESTING AND PERFORMANCE

Engine performance is an indication of the degree of success of the engine performs its assigned task, i.e. the conversion of the chemical energy contained in the fuel into the useful mechanical work. The performance of an engine is evaluated on the basis of the following; (a) Specific Fuel Consumption.

- (b) Brake Mean Effective Pressure.
- (c) Specific Power Output.
- (d) Specific Weight.
- (e) Exhaust Smoke and Other Emissions.

Basic measurements:

The basic measurements to be undertaken to evaluate the performance of an engine on almost all tests are the following:

- (a) Speed
- (b) Fuel consumption
- (c) Air consumption
- (d) Smoke density
- (e) Brake horse-power
- (f) Indicated horse power and friction horse power
- (g) Heat balance sheet or performance of SI and CI engine
- (h) Exhaust gas analysis

1. Measurement of speed:

-One of the basic measurements is that of speed. A wide variety of speed measuring devices are available in the market. They range from a mechanical tachometer to digital and triggered electrical tachometers.

-The best method of measuring speed is to count the number of revolutions in a given time. This gives an accurate measurement of speed. Many engines are fitted with such revolution counters.

-A mechanical tachometer or an electrical tachometer can also be used for measuring the speed. -The electrical tachometer has a three-phase permanent-magnet alternator to which a voltmeter is attached. -The output of the alternator is a linear function of the speed and is directly indicated on the voltmeter dial.

-Both electrical and mechanical types of tachometers are affected by the temperature variations and are not very accurate. For accurate and continuous measurement of speed a magnetic pickup placed near a toothed wheel coupled to the engine shaft can be used. -The magnetic pick-up will produce a pulse for every revolution and a pulse counter will accurately measure the speed.

2. Fuel consumption measurement:

Fuel consumption is measured in two ways:

- (a) The fuel consumption of an engine is measured by determining the volume flow in a given time interval and multiplying it by the specific gravity of the fuel which should be measured occasionally to get an accurate value.
- (b) Another method is to measure the time required for consumption of a given mass of fuel.

As already mentioned two basic types of fuel measurement methods are:

- -Volumetric type
- -Gravimetric type

Volumetric type flow meter includes Burette method, Automatic Burette flow meter and Turbine flow meter.

Gravimetric Fuel Flow Measurement

The efficiency of an engine is related to the kilograms of fuel which are consumed and not the number of litres. The method of measuring volume flow and then correcting it for specific gravity variations is quite inconvenient and inherently limited in accuracy. Instead if the weight of the fuel consumed is directly measured a great improvement in accuracy and cost can be obtained. There are three types of gravimetric type systems which are commercially available include Actual weighing of fuel consumed, Four Orifice Flow meter, etc.

3. Measurement of air consumption:

In IC engines, the satisfactory measurement of air consumption is quite difficult because the flow is pulsating, due to the cyclic nature of the engine and because the air a compressible fluid. Therefore, the simple method of using an orifice in the induction pipe is not satisfactory since the reading will be pulsating and unreliable.

All kinetic flow-inferring systems such as nozzles, orifices and venturies have a square law relationship between flow rate and differential pressure which gives rise to severe errors on unsteady flow. Pulsation produced errors are roughly inversely proportional to the pressure across the orifice for a given set of flow conditions. The various methods and meters used for air flow measurement include, (a) Air box method, and

(b) Viscous-flow air meter

4. Measurement of brake power:

The brake power measurement involves the determination of the torque and the angular speed of the engine output shaft. The torque measuring device is called a dynamometer.

Dynamometers can be broadly classified into two main types, power absorption dynamometers and transmission dynamometer.

Absorption Dynamometers

These dynamometers measure and absorb the power output of the engine to which they are coupled. The power absorbed is usually dissipated as heat by some means. Example of such dynamometers is prony brake, rope brake, hydraulic dynamometer, etc.

Transmission Dynamometers

In transmission dynamometers, the power is transmitted to the load coupled to the engine after it is indicated on some type of scale. These are also called torque-meters.

(a) Prony brake dynamometer

One of the simplest methods of measuring brake power (output) is to attempt to stop the engine by means of a brake on the flywheel and measure the weight which an arm attached to the brake will support, as it tries to rotate with the flywheel.

It consists of wooden block mounted on a flexible rope or band the wooden block when pressed into contact with the rotating drum takes the engine torque and the power is dissipated in frictional resistance. Spring-loaded bolts are provided to tighten the wooden block and hence increase the friction.



Fig. 29. Prony brake

The whole of the power absorbed is converted into heat and hence this type of dynamometer must the cooled. The brake horsepower is given by

$$BP = 2p NT$$

where, $T = W \times l W$ being the weight applied at a radius *l*.

(b) Rope brake

It consists of a number of turns of rope wound around the rotating drum attached to the output shaft. One side of the rope is connected to a spring balance and the other to a loading device. The power is absorbed in friction between the rope and the drum. The drum therefore requires cooling.



Fig. 30. Rope brake

Rope brake is cheap and easily constructed but not a very accurate method because of changes in the friction coefficient of the rope with temperature. The *bp* is given by *bp* = p DN (W-S)

where, D is the brake drum diameter, W is the weight in Newton and S is the spring scale reading.

(c) Hydraulic Dynamometer

Hydraulic dynamometer works on the principle of dissipating the power in fluid friction rather than in dry friction.

-In principle its construction is similar to that of a fluid flywheel.

-It consists of an inner rotating member or impeller coupled to the output shaft of the engine.

-This impeller rotates in a casing filled with fluid.

-This outer casing, due to the centrifugal force developed, tends to revolve with the impeller, but is resisted by a torque arm supporting the balance weight.

-The frictional forces between the impeller and the fluid are measured by the spring-balance fitted on the casing.

-The heat developed due to dissipation of power is carried away by a continuous supply of the working fluid, usually water.

-The output can be controlled by regulating the sluice gates which can be moved in and out to partially or wholly obstruct the flow of water between impeller, and the casing.



Fig. 31. Hydraulic dynamometer

(d) Eddy Current Dynamometer

It consists of a stator on which are fitted a number of electromagnets and a rotor disc made of copper or steel and coupled to the output shaft of the engine. When the rotor rotates eddy currents are produced in the stator due to magnetic flux set up by the passage of field current in the electromagnets. These eddy currents are dissipated in producing heat so that this type of dynamometer also requires some cooling arrangement. The torque is measured exactly as in other types of absorption dynamometers, i.e. with the help of a moment arm. The load is controlled by regulating the current in the electromagnets.



Fig. 32. Eddy current dynamometer

The following are the main advantages of eddy current dynamometer:

- (a) High brake power per unit weight of dynamometer.
- (b) They offer the highest ratio of constant power speed range (up to 5:1).
- (c) Level of field excitation is below 1% of total power being handled by dynamometer, thus, easy to control and programme.
- (d) Development of eddy current is smooth hence the torque is also smooth and continuous under all conditions.
- (e) Relatively higher torque under low speed conditions.
- (f) It has no intricate rotating parts except shaft bearing. (g) No natural limit to size-either small or large.

(e) Swinging Field d.c. Dynamometer

Basically, a swinging field d.c. dynamometer is a d.c. shunt motor so supported on trunnion bearings to measure their action torque that the outer case and filed coils tend to rotate with the magnetic drag. Hence, the name swinging field. The torque is measured with an arm and weighing equipment in the usual manner.

Many dynamometers are provided with suitable electric connections to run as motor also. Then the dynamometer is reversible, i.e. works as motoring as well as power absorbing device.

-When used as an absorption dynamometer it works as a d.c. generator and converts mechanical energy into electric energy which is dissipated in an external resistor or fed back to the mains. -When used as a motoring device an external source of d.c. voltage is needed to drive the motor. The load is controlled by changing the field current.

Fan Dynamometer

It is also an absorption type of dynamometer in that when driven by the engine it absorbs the engine power. Such dynamometers are useful mainly for rough testing and running. The accuracy of the fan dynamometer is very poor. The power absorbed is determined by using previous calibration of the fan brake.

Transmission Dynamometers

Transmission dynamometers, also called torque meters, mostly consist of a set of straingauges fixed on the rotating shaft and the torque is measured by the angular deformation of the shaft which is indicated as strain of the strain gauge. Usually, a four arm bridge is used to reduce the effect of temperature to minimum and the gauges are arranged in pairs such that the effect of axial or transverse load on the strain gauges is avoided.



Fig. 33. Transmission dynamometer

Transmission dynamometers are very accurate and are used where continuous transmission of load is necessary. These are used mainly in automatic units.

5. Measurement of friction power:

-The difference between indicated power and the brake power output of an engine is the friction power.

-Almost invariably, the difference between a good engine and a bad engine is due to difference between their frictional losses.

-The frictional losses are ultimately dissipated to the cooling system (and exhaust) as they appear in the form of frictional heat and this influences the cooling capacity required. Moreover, lower friction means availability of more brake power; hence brake specific fuel consumption is lower.

-The *bsfc* rises with an increase in speed. Thus, the level of friction decides the maximum output of the engine which can be obtained economically.

The friction force power of an engine is determined by the following methods :

(a) Willan's line method. (b) Morse test.

- (c) Motoring test.
- (d) Difference between *ip* and *bp*.

(a) Willan's line method

-In this method, gross fuel consumption vs. *bp* at a constant speed is plotted and the graph is extrapolated back to zero fuel consumption.

-The point where this graph cuts the bp axis is an indication of the friction power of the engine at that speed. This negative work represents the combined loss due to mechanical friction, pumping and blow by.

-The main drawback of this method is the long distance to be extrapolated from data measured between 5 and 40% load towards the zero line of fuel input.

-The directional margin of error is rather wide because of the graph which may not be a straight line many times.

-The changing slope along the curve indicates part efficiencies of increments of fuel. The pronounced change in the slope of this line near full load reflects the limiting influence of the air-fuel ratio and of the quality of combustion.

-Similarly, there is a slight curvature at light loads. This is perhaps due to difficulty in injecting accurately and consistently very small quantities of fuel per cycle.

-Therefore, it is essential that great care should be taken at light loads to establish the true nature of the curve.

-The Willan"s line for a swirl-chamber CI engine is straighter than that for a direct injection type engine.





The accuracy obtained in this method is good and compares favourably with other methods if extrapolation is carefully done.

(b) Morse Test

-The Morse test is applicable only to multicylinder engines.

-In this test, the engine is first run at the required speed and the output is measured.

-Then, one cylinder is cut out by short circuiting the spark plug or by disconnecting the injector as the case may be.

-Under this condition all other cylinders "motor" this cut-out cylinder.

-The output is measured by keeping the speed constant at its original value.

-The difference in the outputs is a measure of the indicated horse power of the cut-out cylinder. -Thus, for each cylinder the *ip* is obtained and is added together to find the total *ip* of the engine. -This method though gives reasonably accurate results and is liable to errors due to changes in mixture distribution and other conditions by cutting-out one cylinder. In gasoline engines, where there is a common manifold for two or more cylinders the mixture distribution as well as the volumetric efficiency both change. Again, almost all engines have a common exhaust manifold for all cylinders and cutting out of one cylinder may greatly affect the pulsations in exhaust system which may significantly change the engine performance by imposing different back pressures.

(c) Motoring Test

-In the motoring test, the engine is first run up to the desired speed by its own power and allowed to remain at the given speed and load conditions for some time so that oil, water, and engine component temperatures reach stable conditions.

-The power of the engine during this period is absorbed by a swinging field type electric dynamometer, which is most suitable for this test.

-The fuel supply is then cut-off and by suitable electric-switching devices the dynamometer is converted to run as a motor to drive for "motor" the engine at the same speed at which it was previously running.

-The power supply to the motor is measured which is a measure of the *fhp* of the engine. During the motoring test the water supply is also cut-off so that the actual operating temperatures are maintained.

-This method, though determines the fp at temperature conditions very near to the actual operating temperatures at the test speed and load, does, not give the true losses occurring under firing conditions due to the following reasons.

(i) The temperatures in the motored engine are different from those in a firing engine because even if water circulation is stopped the incoming air cools the cylinder. This reduces the lubricating oil temperature and increases friction increasing the oil viscosity. This problem is much more severing in air-cooled engines.

(ii) The pressure on the bearings and piston rings is lower than the firing pressure. Load on main and connecting road bearings are lower.

(iii) The clearance between piston and cylinder wall is more (due to cooling). This reduces the piston friction.

(iv) The air is drawn at a temperature less than when the engine is firing because it does not get heat from the cylinder (rather loses heat to the cylinder). This makes the expansion line to be lower than the compression line on the p-v diagram. This loss is however counted in the indicator diagram.

(v) During exhaust the back pressure is more because under motoring conditions sufficient pressure difference is not available to impart gases the kinetic energy is necessary to expel them from exhaust.

Motoring method, however, gives reasonably good results and is very suitable for finding the losses due to various engine components. This insight into the losses caused by various components and other parameters is obtained by progressive stripping-off of the under progressive dismantling conditions keeping water and oil circulation intact. Then the cylinder head can be removed to evaluate, by difference, the compression loss. In this manner piston ring, piston etc. can be removed and evaluated for their effect on overall friction.

(d) Difference between *ip* and *bp*

(i) The method of finding the fp by computing the difference between ip, as obtained from an indicator diagram, and bp, as obtained by a dynamometer, is the ideal method.

(ii) In obtaining accurate indicator diagrams, especially at high engine speeds, this method is usually only used in research laboratories. Its use at commercial level is very limited.

6. Heat balance sheet:

The performance of an engine is usually studied by heat balance-sheet. The main components of the heat balance are:

-Heat equivalent to the effective (brake) work of the engine,

-Heat rejected to the cooling medium,

-Heat carried away from the engine with the exhaust gases, and -Unaccounted losses.

The unaccounted losses include the radiation losses from the various parts of the engine and heat lost due to incomplete combustion. The friction loss is not shown as a separate item to the

heat balance-sheet as the friction loss ultimately reappears as heat in cooling water, exhaust and radiation.

(i) Performance of SI engine:

-At full throttle the brake thermal efficiency at various speeds varies from 20 to 27 percent, maximum efficiency being at the middle speed range.



Fig. 35. Heat balance sheet for SI engine

-The percentage heat rejected to coolant is more at lower speed (» 35%) and reduces at higher speeds (» 25%). Considerably more heat is carried by exhaust at higher speeds.

-Torque and mean effective pressure do not strongly depend on the speed of the engine, but depend on the volumetric efficiency and friction losses. Maximum torque position corresponds with the maximum air charge or minimum volumetric efficiency position. -High power arises from the high speed. In the speed range before the maximum power is obtained, doubling the speed doubles the power.

-At low engine speed the friction power is relatively low and *bhp* is nearly as large as *ip*. As engine speed increases, however, *fp* increases at continuously greater rate and therefore *bp* reaches a peak and starts reducing even though *ip* is rising. At engine speeds above the usual operating range, *fp* increases very rapidly. Also, at these higher speeds *ip* will reach a maximum and then fall off. At some point, *ip* and *fp* will be equal, and *bp* will then drop to zero.

(ii) Performance of CI engine:

The performance of a CI engine at constant speed and variable load is given as,

As the efficiency of CI engine is more than the SI engine the total losses are less. The coolant loss is more at low loads and radiation, etc. losses are more at high loads.

-The bmep, bp and torque directly increase with load

-The lowest brake specific fuel consumption and hence the maximum efficiency occurs at about 80% of the full load.



Fig. 36. Heat balance sheet of CI engine at constant speed

ENGINE COOLING

In a SI engine, cooling must be satisfactory to avoid pre-ignition and knock. In a compression ignition engine, since a normal combustion is aided, cooling must be sufficient to allow the parts to operate properly. In short, cooling is a matter of equalization of internal temperature to prevent local overheating as well as to remove sufficient heat energy to maintain a practical overall working temperature.

*Requirements of cooling system in the IC engine

The cooling system is provided in the IC engine for the following reasons:

-The temperature of the burning gases in the engine cylinder reaches up to 1500 to 2000°C, which is above the melting point of the material of the cylinder body and head of the engine. (Platinum, a metal which has one of the highest melting points, melts at 1750 °C, iron at 1530°C and aluminium at 657°C.) Therefore, if the heat is not dissipated, it would result in the failure of the cylinder material.

-Due to very high temperatures, the film of the lubricating oil will get oxidized, thus producing carbon deposits on the surface. This will result in piston seizure.

-Due to overheating, large temperature differences may lead to a distortion of the engine components due to the thermal stresses set up. This makes it necessary for, the temperature variation to be kept to a minimum.

-Higher temperatures also lower the volumetric efficiency of the engine.

Effect of overcooling:

-Thermal efficiency is decreased due to more loss of heat carried by the coolant

-The vaporization of the fuel is less resulting in lower combustion efficiency

-Low temperature increases the viscosity of lubricant causing more loss due to friction

There are mainly two types of cooling systems:

- (a) Air cooled system, and
- (b) Water cooled system

Air Cooled System:

-Air cooled system is generally used in small engines say up to 15-20 kW and in aero plane engines.

-In this system fins or extended surfaces are provided on the cylinder walls, cylinder head, etc. Heat generated due to combustion in the engine cylinder will be conducted to the fins and when the air flows over the fins, heat will be dissipated to air.

-The amount of heat dissipated to air depends upon:

- (a) Amount of air flowing through the fins
- (b) Fin surface area
- (c) Thermal conductivity of metal used for fins

-For efficient cooling the length of the fins and the spacing between them is quite important -Larger inter spacing between the fins offers larger area for cooling air but the heating of the air is less, so more cooling air is required

-Smaller inter spacing between the fins results in smaller flow area of cooling air and hence input cooling air is less

-Usually fin height varies from 15 to 25 mm

Advantages of air cooled engines

Air cooled engines have the following advantages:

- 1. Its design of air-cooled engine is simple.
- 2. It is lighter in weight than water-cooled engines due to the absence of water jackets, radiator, circulating pump and the weight of the cooling water.
- 3. It is cheaper to manufacture.
- 4. It needs less care and maintenance.
- 5. This system of cooling is particularly advantageous where there are extreme climatic conditions in the arctic or where there is scarcity of water as in deserts.
- 6. No risk of damage from frost, such as cracking of cylinder jackets or radiator water tubes.

Disadvantages of air cooled engines

-Relatively large amount of power is used to drive the cooling fan.[™]

- -Engines give low power output.TM
- -Cooling fins under certain conditions may vibrate and amplify the noise level.
- -Cooling is not uniform.TM
- -Engines are subjected to high working temperature.

Water cooling system:

Cooling water jackets are provided around the cylinder, cylinder head, valve seats etc. The water when circulated through the jackets, it absorbs heat of combustion. This hot water will then be cooling in the radiator partially by a fan and partially by the flow developed by the forward motion of the vehicle. The cooled water is again recirculated through the water jackets.

Antifreeze mixture

In western countries if the water used in the radiator freezes because of cold climates, then ice formed has more volume and produces cracks in the cylinder blocks, pipes, and radiator. So, to prevent freezing antifreeze mixtures or solutions are added in the cooling water.

Normally following are used as antifreeze solutions:

- (i) Methyl, ethyl and isopropyl alcohols
- (ii) A solution of alcohol and water
- (iii) Ethylene Glycol raises the boiling temperature substantially and hence more heat dissipation
- (iv)A solution of water and Ethylene Glycol (v) Glycerin along with water, etc.
- (vi) Chromates are used to prevents deposit

Water cooling system mainly consists of:

- -Radiator
- -Thermostat valve
- -Water pump
- -Fan
- -Water Jackets
- -Antifreeze mixtures

Various types of water cooling systems are given as;

(a) Thermo-syphon cooling

- (b) Forced or pump cooling
- (c) Cooling with thermostatic regulator
- (d) Pressurised water cooling system
- (e) Evaporative cooling

(a) Thermo-syphon cooling:

This system works on the principle that hot water being lighter rises up and the cold water being heavier goes down. In this system the radiator is placed at a higher level than the engine for the easy flow of water towards the engine. Heat is conducted to the water jackets from where it is taken away due to convection by the circulating water. As the water jacket becomes hot, it rises to the top of the radiator. Cold water from the radiator takes the place of the rising hot water and in this way a circulation of water is set up m the system. This helps in keeping the engine at working temperature.



Fig. 37. Thermo-syphon cooling

Disadvantages of Thermo-syphon system, -Rate of circulation is too slow. -Circulation commences only when there is a marked difference in temperature. -Circulation stops as the level of water falls below the top of the delivery pipe of the radiator.

For these reasons this system has become obsolete and is no more in use.

(b) Forced or pump cooling:

-This system is used in large number of vehicles like car, buses, trucks and other heavy vehicles. Here circulation of water takes place with convection currents help by a pump.

-The water or coolant is circulated through jackets around the parts of the engine to be cooled, and is kept in motion by a centrifugal pump, driven from the engine through V-belt.

Limitation -Cooling is independent of temp. -Engine is overcooled (when range of temp.=75-90⁰C) -Can be overcome by using thermostat

(c) Cooling with thermostatic regulator:

-Whenever the engine is started from cold, the coolant temperature has to be brought to the desired warm up time to avoid corrosion damage due to condensation of acids as well as help in easy starting of the engine. This can be done by the use of thermostatic device or thermostat. -It is a kind of check valve which opens and closes with the effect of temperature. It is fitted in the water outlet of the engine. During the warm-up period, the thermostat is closed and the water pump circulates the water only throughout the cylinder block and cylinder head. When the normal operating temperature is reached, the thermostat valve opens and allows hot water to flow towards the radiator. Standard thermostats are designed to start opening at 70 to 75°C and they fully open at 82°C. High temperature thermostats, with permanent anti-freeze solutions (Prestine, Zerex, etc.), start opening at 80 to 90°C and fully open at 92°C. - There are three types of thermostats: (i) bellow type, (ii) bimetallic type and (iii) wax type.

<u>Bellow type valve</u>: Flexible bellows are filled with alcohol or ether. When the bellows is heated, the liquid vaporises, creating enough pressure to expand the bellows. When the unit is cooled, the gas condenses. The pressure reduces and the bellows collapse to close the valve.

<u>Bimetallic type valve</u>: This consists of a bimetallic strip. The unequal expansion of two metallic strips causes the valve to open and allows the water to flow in the radiator.

Wax type valve:

-Can operate reliably within the specified temperature range

- Heat is transmitted to wax, which has high coefficient of thermal expansion

-Upon being heated, wax expands and the rubber plug presses the plunger forcing it to move vertically upwards



Fig. 38. Bellow type thermostat

(d) Pressurised water cooling system:

In the case of the ordinary water-cooling system where the cooling water is subjected to atmospheric pressure, the water boils at 212°F. But, when water is heated in a closed radiator under high pressure, the boiling temperature of water increases. The higher water temperature gives more efficient engine performance and affords additional protection under high altitude and tropical conditions for long hard driving periods. Therefore, a pressure-type radiator cap is used with the forced circulation cooling system. The cap is fitted on the radiator neck with an air tight seal. The pressure-release valve or safety valve is set to open at a pressure between 4 and 13 psi. With this increase in pressure, the boiling temperature of water increases to 243°F (at 4 psi boiling tap 225°F and 13 psi boiling temperature 243°F). Any increase in pressure is released by the pressure release valve or safety valve to the atmosphere. On cooling, the vapours will condense and a partial vacuum will be created which will result in the collapse of the hoses and tubes. To overcome this problem the pressure release valve is associated with a vacuum valve which opens the radiator to the atmosphere.



Fig. 39. Pressurised system

(e) Evaporative cooling system:

-In this system, the engine will be cooled because of the evaporation of the water in the cylinder jackets into steams.

-The advantage is being taken from the high latent heat of vaporization of water by allowing it to evaporate in the cylinder jackets. This system is used for cooling of many types of industrial engines

Descriptions of different parts of water cooling systems

Radiator: The purpose of the radiator is to cool down the water received from the engine. The radiator consists of three main parts: (i) upper tank, (ii) lower tank and (iii) tubes. Hot water from the upper tank, which comes from the engine, flows downwards through the tubes. The heat contained in the hot water is conducted to the copper fins provided around the tubes. An overflow pipe, connected to the upper1 tank, permits excess water or steam to escape.

There are three types of radiators: (i) gilled tube radiator, (ii) tubular radiator and (iii) honey comb or cellular radiator

Gilled tube radiator:

This is perhaps the oldest type of radiator, although it is still in use. In this, water flows inside the tubes. Each tube has a large number of annular rings or fins pressed firmly over its outside surface.

Tubular radiator: The only difference between a gilled tubes radiator and a tubular one is that in this case there are no separate fins for individual tubes. The radiator vertical tubes pass through thin fine copper sheets which run horizontally.

Honey comb or cellular radiator: The cellular radiator consists of a large number of individual air cells which are surrounded by water. In this, the clogging of any passage affects only a small part of the cooling surface. However, in the tubular radiator, if one tube becomes clogged, the cooling effect of the entire tube is lost.

Water Pump:

This is a centrifugal type pump. It is centrally mounted at the front of the cylinder block and is usually driven by means of a belt. This type of pump consists of the following parts: (i) body or casing, (ii) impeller (rotor), (iii) shaft, (iv) bearings, or bush, (v) water pump seal and (vi) pulley.

The bottom of the radiator is connected to the suction side of the pump. The power is transmitted to the pump spindle from a pulley mounted at the end of the crankshaft. Seals of various designs are incorporated in the pump to prevent loss of coolant from the system.

Fan:

The fan is generally mounted on the water pump pulley, although on some engines it is attached directly to the crankshaft. It serves two purposes in the cooling system of a engine. (i) It draws atmospheric air through the radiator and thus increases the efficiency of the radiator in cooling hot water.

(ii) It throws fresh air over the outer surface of the engine, which takes away the heat conducted by the engine parts and thus increases the efficiency of the entire cooling system.

*Advantages of water cooling system

-Because of even cooling of cylinder barrel and head (due to jacketing) makes it possible to reduce the cylinder head and valve seat temperatures.

-The volumetric efficiency of water cooled engines is higher than that of air-cooled engines. -Compact design of engines with appreciably smaller frontal area is possible.

-In case of water cooled engines, installation is not necessarily at the front of the mobile vehicles, aircraft etc. as the cooling system can be conveniently located.

*Disadvantages of water cooling system -The

system requires more maintenance.

-The engine performance becomes sensitive to climatic conditions. ™

-The power absorbed by the pump is considerable and affects the power output of the engine.

-In the event of failure of the cooling system serious damage may be caused to the engine.

LUBRICATION SYSTEM

IC engine is made of many moving parts. Due to continuous movement of two metallic surfaces over each other, there is wearing moving parts, generation of heat and loss of power in the engine. Hence, lubrication of moving parts is essential to prevent all these harmful effects.

In engine the frictional losses is attributed due to the following mechanical losses;

(i) Direct frictional losses:

-power absorbed due to the relative motion of different bearing surfaces such as piston rings, main bearings, cam shaft bearings etc.

(ii) Pumping loss:

-net power spent by the piston on the gas during intake and exhaust stroke -more in case of four stroke engine compared to two stroke engine

(iii) Power loss to drive components to charge and scavenge:

-In four stroke supercharged engine, compressor used to provide high pressure air which is mechanically driven by the engine. This is counted as negative frictional loss. -In two-stroke engine scavenging pump is used which is also driven by the engine

(iv) Power loss to drive the auxiliaries:

-Some power is used to drive auxiliaries such as water pump, lubricating oil pump, fuel pump, cooling fan, generator etc.

Function of lubrication:

Lubrication produces the following effects: (a) Reducing friction effect (b) Cooling effect (c) Sealing effect and (d) Cleaning effect.

(a) **Reducing frictional effect:** The primary purpose of the lubrication is to reduce friction and wear between two rubbing surfaces. Two rubbing surfaces always produce friction. The continuous friction produce heat which causes wearing of parts and loss of power. In order to avoid friction, the contact of two sliding surfaces must be reduced as far as possible. This can be done by proper lubrication only. Lubrication forms an oil film between two moving surfaces. Lubrication also reduces noise produced by the movement of two metal surfaces over each other.

(b) Cooling effect: The heat, generated by piston, cylinder, and bearings is removed by lubrication to a great extent. Lubrication creates cooling effect on the engine parts.

(c) Sealing effect: The lubricant enters into the gap between the cylinder liner, piston and piston rings. Thus, it prevents leakage of gases from the engine cylinder.

(d) Cleaning effect: Lubrication keeps the engine clean by removing dirt or carbon from inside of the engine along with the oil.

Lubrication theory: There are two theories in existence regarding the application of lubricants on a surface: (i) Fluid film theory and (ii) Boundary layer theory.

(i) Fluid film theory: According to this theory, the lubricant is, supposed to act like mass of globules, rolling in between two surfaces. It produces a rolling effect, which reduces friction.

(ii) **Boundary layer theory:** According to this theory, the lubricant is soaked in rubbing surfaces and forms oily surface over it. Thus the sliding surfaces are kept apart from each other, thereby reducing friction.

Properties of Lubricant:

<u>1. Viscosity:</u> Viscosity is a measure of the resistance to flow or the internal friction of the lubricant.

-usually measured by Saybolt universal seconds (SUS) and Redwood viscometer. Also it is expressed with centistoke (unit of kinematic viscosity) and centipoise (unit of absolute viscosity)

-expressed in two temperature i.e. -18°C (0°F) and 99°C (210°F)

<u>2. Viscosity Index</u>: It is used to grade lubricants. Viscosity is inversely proportional to temp. -If temp. increases, the viscosity of the lubricant decreases and if temp. decreases, the viscosity of the lubricant increases.

-The variation of viscosity of oil with changes in temperature is measured by viscosity index - oil to measure is compared with 2 reference oil having same viscosity at 99°C. one is paraffinic base oil index of zero and another naphthenic base oil index of 100

-high viscosity index number indicates relatively smaller change in viscosity of the oil with temperature.

-low viscos oil is recommended for automobile engines in winter than summer. The viscosity of a lubricant should be just sufficient to ensure lubrication. If it is more than this value, power loss will be higher due to increased oil resistance.

-VI improver are added to improve viscosity index

<u>3.</u> <u>Oiliness:</u> It is the property of a lubricating oil to spread & attach itself firmly to the bearing surfaces as well as provide lubricity. Generally, the oiliness of the lubricating oil should be high particularly when it is to be used for mating surfaces subjected to a high intensity of pressure and smaller clearance portion to avoid the squeezing out of the oil. Such a way that the metal is protected by a thin layer of the oil and the wear is also considerably reduced. It is measured by co-efficient of friction at extreme operating condition.

<u>4.</u> <u>Flash Point:</u> Flash point of oil is the min. temp. at which the vapours of lubricating oil will flash when a small flame is passed across its surface. It is of two type open flash point and closed flash point. The flash point of the lubricating oil must be higher than the temp. likely to be developed in the bearings in order to avoid the possibility of fire hazards.

<u>5.</u> <u>Fire Point:</u> If the lubricating oil is further heated after the flash point has been reached, the lowest temp. at which the oil will burn continuously for 5 seconds is called fire point. - usually 11°C higher than open flash point and varies from 190°C to 290°C for the lubricants used for IC engines

-The fire point of a lubricant also must be high so that the oil does not burn in service.

<u>6.</u> <u>Cloud Point:</u> It is the temp. at which the lubricating oil changes its state from liquid to solid. Its temp. must high for the low temp. operability of the lubricating oil during winter.

<u>7.</u> <u>Pour Point:</u> It is the lowest temp. at which the lubricating oil will not flow or totally form wax or solidify. This property must be considered because of its effect on starting an engine in cold weather. Oil derived from paraffinic crudes tends to have higher pour points than those derived from naphthenic crudes. The pour points can be lower by the addition of pour point depressant usually a polymerised phenol or ester. Pour point must be at least 15°F lower than the operating temperature to ensure maximum circulation.

<u>8.</u> <u>Corrosiveness:</u> The present of acid (mineral acid, petroleum acid) is harmful to the metal surfaces. The lubrication oil should not attack chemically the materials of the engine. The lubricant should not be corrosive, but it should give protection against corrosion. New oil has low neutralisation number i.e. it maintains the alkaline and acid solution to make the oil neutral.

<u>9.</u> <u>Oxidation stability:</u> It is resistance to oxidation. Due to oxidation the oil will form deposits on the piston rings and lose its lubricating property. Low temperature operation avoiding the hot-area contact and crankcase ventilation can help in preserving the stability of oil over longer periods. Oxidation inhibitors are used to improve oxidation stability. These are complex compounds of sulphur and phosphorus or amine and phenol derivatives.

<u>10.</u> <u>Cleanliness:</u> Lubricating oil must be clean. It should not contain dust and dirt particles as well as water content which promote corrosion.

<u>11.</u> <u>Carbon residue:</u> after evaporation of a mass sample of lubricating oil under specific condition may remain as carbonaceous residue. It indicates the deposit characteristics of oil. Paraffinic oil has higher carbon residues than the naphthenic base oil.

Types of lubricants:

Lubricants are at following three types.

- 1. Solid: graphic, mica etc
- 2. Semi solid: grease
- 3. Liquid: Lubricants are obtained from animal fat, vegetables and minerals. Lubricants made of animal fat, does not stand much heat. It becomes waxy and gummy which is not very suitable for machines. Vegetable lubricants are obtained from seeds, fruits and plants. Cottonseed oil, olive oil, linseed oil and castor oil are used as lubricant in small machines. Mineral lubricants are most popular for engines and machines. It is obtained from crude petroleum found in nature. Petroleum lubricants are less expensive and suitable for internal combustion engines.

-Graphite is often mixed with oil to lubricate automobile spring. Graphite is also used as a cylinder lubricant.

-Grease is used for chassis lubrication.

Grade of lubricants: Generally lubricating oils are graded by SAE (society of automotive engineers) method by assign a number to oil whose viscosity at given temperatures falls in certain range.

-Two temperatures $-18^{\circ}C$ (0°F) and 99°C (210°F) are used to assign the number ex-*Single grade type:* (a) SAE 5w,10w and 20w grades are viscosity at $-18^{\circ}C$ (0°F) and for winter use.

(b) SAE 20, 30, 40 and 50 grades lubricating oil are viscosity at 99°C (210°F) and for summer use.

Multi-grade type: ex- SAE 20W/50 oil has viscosity equal to that at SAE 20W at -18°C and viscosity equal to that at SAE 50 at 99°C

SAE grades of oil are based on viscosity but not quality based. API (American petroleum institute) used regular, premium and heavy duty type oil which are based upon properties of oil and operating conditions. Generally regular type oil is straight mineral oil, premium type contained oxidation inhibitors and heavy type contained oxidation inhibitors plus detergent dispersant additives.

According to API,

For gasoline engine 5 service ratings oil are used: SA, SB, SC, SD and SE For diesel engines 4 service ratings are use: CA, CB, CC and CD Where S and C stands for SI and CI engines

Rating A is for light-duty service, the severity of service increasing towards rating D and E which is severe duty.

Lubrication system: various lubrication system used for IC engines are,

- (a) Mist lubrication system
- (b) Wet sump lubrication system
- (c) Dry sump lubrication system

(a) Mist lubrication system:

-Used where crankcase lubrication is not suitable

- Generally adopted in two stroke petrol engine line scooter and motor cycle. It is the simplest form of lubricating system.

- It is the simplest form of lubricating system. It does not consist of any separate part like oil pump for the purpose of lubrication.

- In this system the lubricating oil is mixed into the fuel (petrol) while filling in the petrol tank of the vehicle in a specified ratio (ratio of fuel and lubricating oil is from 12:1 to 50:10 as per manufacturers specifications or recommendations.

- When the fuel goes into the crank chamber during the engine operation, the oil particles go deep into the bearing surfaces due to gravity and lubricate then. The piston rings, cylinder walls, piston pin etc. are lubricated in the same way.

-If the engine is allowed to remain unused for a considerable time, the lubricating oil separates oil from petrol & leads to clogging (blocking) of passages in the carburettor, results in the engine starting trouble. This is the main disadvantage of this system. -It causes heavy exhaust smoke due to burning of lubricating oil partially or fully

-Increase deposits on piston crown and exhaust ports which affect engine efficiency

-Corrosion of bearing surfaces due to acids formation

-thorough mixing can fetch effective lubrication

-Engine suffers insufficient lubrication during closed throttle i.e. vehicle moving down the hill.

(b) Wet sump lubrication system:

Bottom of the crankcase contains oil pan or sump from which the lubricating oil is pumped to various engine components by a pump. After lubrication, oil flows back to the sump by gravity. Three types of wet sump lubrication system,

- (i) Splash system
- (ii) Splash and pressure system
- (iii) Pressure feed system

(i) Splash system:

-In this system of lubrication the lubricating oil is stored in an oil sump. A scoop or dipper is made in the lower part of the connecting rod. When the engine runs, the dipper dips in the oil once in every revolution of the crank shaft, the oil is splashed on the cylinder wall. Due to this action engine walls, piston ring, crank shaft bearings are lubricated. -It is used for light duty engine



Fig. 40. Splash lubricating system

(ii) Splash and pressure system:

Lubricating oil is supplied under pressure to main, camshaft bearings and pipes which direct a stream of oil against the dippers on the big end of connecting rod bearing cup and thus crankpin bearings are lubricated by the splash or spray of oil thrown up by the dipper.



Fig. 41. Splash and pressure lubricating system

(iii) Pressure feed system:

In this system of lubrication, the engine parts are lubricated under pressure feed. The lubricating oil is stored in a separate tank (in case of dry sump system) or in the sump (in case of wet sump system), from where an oil pump (gear pump) delivers the oil to the main oil gallery at a pressure of 2-4 kg/cm² through an oil filter. The oil from the main gallery goes to main bearing, from where some of it falls back to the sump after lubricating the main bearing and some is splashed to lubricate the cylinder walls and remaining goes through a hole to the crank pin. From the crank pin the lubricating oil goes to the piston pin through a hole in the connecting rod, where it lubricates the piston rings. For lubricating cam shaft and gears the oil is led through a separate oil line from the oil gallery. The oil pressure gauge used in the system indicates the oil pressure in the system. Oil filter & strainer in the system clear off the oil from dust, metal particles and other harmful particles.



Fig. 42. Pressure lubricating system

Gear system:

-Used for a medium sized diesel engine

-It is a forced-feed system of lubrication and uses the oil contained in the bed plate as a reservoir. A gear type oil pump is driven from the crankshaft.

-The oil enters the pump and is carried around the pump casing by the gear teeth. It is then discharged. The oil is prevented from returning to the inlet by the meshing of the gear teeth. Oil is pumped from the bed plate through an oil filter and cooler into the lubricating oil manifold. A separate pipe supplies oil to the turbocharger. A supply of cooled oil is critical for the turbocharger to lubricate the high-speed bearings and to carry heat away from the rotor.



Fig. 43. Gear type lubrication system

(c) Dry sump lubrication system:

-Supply of oil is carried in external tank

-Oil pump draws oil from the supply tank and circulates it under pressure to various bearings of the engine

- Oil dripping from the cylinders and bearings into the sump is removed by a scavenging pump and again return to supply tank through the filter -The capacity of scavenging pump is greater than the oil pump

-Separate oil cooler to remove heat from oil is used which is either cooled by air or water
GAS TURBINES

Two types of gas turbine,

(a) Open cycle gas turbine

(b) Closed cycle gas turbine

(a) Open cycle gas turbine:

-Working on Joule cycle or Brayton cycle

-Air is compressed in a rotary compressor and passed into a combustion chamber where fuel is burnt, the products of combustion are made to impinge over rings of turbine blades with high velocity and work is produced. After the work done by the combustion products, rest are given to the atmosphere.

-60% of work produced is used to drive the compressor and rest is available as useful power -For starting purpose, it is first motored to minimum speed, called coming in speed, before the fuel is turned on

-About 5% power output by the motor is used to start the turbine

To improve the turbine performance intercooler, heat exchanger and reheat cycles are used with simple gas turbine cycle.

(b) Closed cycle gas turbine:

-Working fluid air or other gas is circulated continuously inside the machine

- Working fluid does not come in contact with the atmospheric air or fuel

-Heat to working fluid is given externally by the burning of the fuel that is why it is external combustion engine

-Turbine exhaust rejects heat in a cooler

Advantage of closed cycle gas turbine:

-Due to externally fired, cheaper fuel such as coal can be used

-Products of combustion is not in directly contact with turbine blades, hence fouling and heat transfer from the surface of the blade can be avoided

-Part load efficiency is improved by changing the pressure ratio and varying the quantity of working fluid keeping as cycle temperature constant and at constant speed

-High operating pressure causes low specific volume for the working fluid reducing the size of machines, heat exchangers and piping

-Heat transfer coefficients are higher which reduces the heat exchanger size

Disadvantage of closed cycle gas turbine:

-more complicated and costly system

-Air heaters alone represent over 30% of total mass and cost

-system is not sufficiently strong to resist high pressure

*Simple Gas turbine:

Following assumptions are made in analysis of ideal gas turbine,

-Compression and expansion process are reversible adiabatic

-Kinetic energy does not change at the inlet and exit

-No pressure loss

-Same chemical composition of working fluid

-Heat exchanger is counter flow type with 100% efficiency



Fig. 44. Simple gas turbine









Compressor work, $W_c = h_2 - h_1 = C_p(T_2 - T_1)$

Heat addition, $Q_{23} = h_3 - h_2 = C_p(T_3 - T_2)$

Turbine work, $W_T = h_3 - h_4 = C_p(T_3 - T_4)$

Net work output, $W_N = W_T - W_c$

$$W_N = C_p T_1 \left(\frac{T_3}{T_1} - \frac{T_4}{T_1} - \frac{T_2}{T_1} + 1 \right)$$

Let, $\frac{T_3}{T_1} = t$ and $\frac{p_2}{p_1} = r$

Then,
$$\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \frac{T_3}{T_4} = r^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} = c$$

Net work,

$$\frac{W_N}{C_p T_1} = t \left(1 - \frac{1}{c} \right) - (c - 1)$$

Efficiency, $\eta = \frac{Net \text{ work output}}{Heat \text{ input}} = \frac{W_N}{Q} = 1 - \frac{1}{c}$

Efficiency depends upon the pressure ratio and nature of the gas. For maximum work out put,

$$r^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}_{opt} = \sqrt{t}$$

i.e. the specific work out is maximum when the pressure ratio is such that the compressor and turbine out let temperature are equal.

*Heat exchange cycle:



P-V diagram

T-S diagram

Heat addition,

$$Q_{53} = h_3 - h_5 = C_p (T_3 - T_5)$$

Specific work out put,

$$\frac{W_N}{C_p T_1} = t\left(1 - \frac{1}{c}\right) - (c - 1)$$

Efficiency,

$$\eta = \frac{Net \ work \ output}{Heat \ input} = \frac{W_N}{Q} = 1 - \frac{c}{t}$$

Efficiency increases with increase in t i.e. it is dependent upon maximum cycle temperature.

Efficiency increases with decrease in pressure ratio.



Turbine work, $W_{34} = h_3 - h_4 = C_p(T_3 - T_4)$ $W_{56} = h_5 - h_6 = C_p(T_5 - T_6)$

Assume that, $r = r_3 \times r_4$ $c = r \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma} = \frac{T_2}{T_1}$ $c_3 = r_3 \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma} = \frac{T_3}{T_4}$ $c_4 = r_4 \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma} = \frac{T_5}{T_6}$ $c = c_3 \times c_4$ $T_5 = T_3$

Specific work out put,

$$\frac{W_N}{C_p T_1} = 2t - \frac{t}{c_3} - \frac{t}{c_4} - c + 1$$

For maximum specific work out put,

$$c_3 = \sqrt{c} = c_4$$

i.e. to obtain maximum specific output stage pressure ratio must be same and equal to square root of overall pressure ratio for two stage expansion.

Then,

$$\frac{W_{max}}{C_p T_1} = 2t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}\right) - (c - 1)$$

$$\eta_{max} = \frac{2t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}\right) - (c - 1)}{2t - c - \frac{t}{\sqrt{c}}}$$

Efficiency is less due to small temperature operating range.

*Reheat and Heat exchange cycle:

Specific power output is increased in reheat cycle in the expense of the efficiency and it can be overcome by adding a heat exchanger to reheat cycle.



Heat addition, $Q_{73} + Q_{45} = C_p(T_3 - T_7) + C_p(T_5 - T_4)$

Turbine work, $W_{34} + W_{56} = C_p(T_3 - T_4) + C_p(T_5 - T_6)$ Maximum specific work output is same with reheat cycle, i.e.,

$$\frac{W_{max}}{C_p T_1} = 2t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}\right) - (c - 1)$$

But maximum efficiency will change due to heat exchanger,

$$\eta_{max} = \frac{C_p T_1 [2t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}\right) - (c - 1)]}{C_p (T_3 - T_7) + C_p (T_5 - T_4)}$$
$$= \frac{C_p T_1 \left[2t \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{c}}\right) - (c - 1)\right]}{\frac{T_3}{T_1} - \frac{T_7}{T_1} + \frac{T_5}{T_1} - \frac{T_4}{T_1}}$$
Since, $T_7 = T_4$ and $T_5 = T_3$,

$$\eta_{max} = 1 - \frac{c - 1}{2t - \frac{2t}{\sqrt{c}}}$$

*Intercooled cycle:

Another way of increasing the specific work output of gas turbine is reducing the work of compression i.e. compression in more than one stage and using an intercooler in between the compressor.



P-V diagram

T-S diagram

Compressor work, $W_{12} + W_{34} = C_p(T_2 - T_1) + C_p(T_4 - T_3)$

Heat addition, $Q_{45} = h_5 - h_4 = C_p(T_5 - T_4)$ Turbine work, $W_{56} = h_5 - h_6 = C_p(T_5 - T_6)$

Net work output,

$$W_{N} = C_{p}T_{1} \left(\frac{T_{5}}{T_{1}} - \frac{T_{6}}{T_{1}} - \frac{T_{2}}{T_{1}} + \frac{T_{3}}{T_{1}} - \frac{T_{4}}{T_{1}} + 1 \right)$$

Let,

$$\frac{T_{5}}{T_{1}} = t, \qquad \frac{T_{5}}{T_{6}} = c$$

$$\frac{T_{2}}{T_{1}} = c_{1},$$

$$\frac{T_{4}}{T_{3}} = c_{2}$$

$$T_{3} = T_{1}$$

For maximum specific work out put,

$$c_1 = \sqrt{c} = c_2$$

Then,

$$\frac{W_{max}}{C_p T_1} = t - \frac{t}{c} - 2\sqrt{c} + 2$$

$$\eta_{max} = 1 - \frac{\frac{t}{c} + \sqrt{c} - 2}{t - \sqrt{c}}$$

Because of the lower compressor outlet temperature, the fuel flow rate to obtain a given turbine inlet temperature will increase. Therefore, the thermal efficiency of the intercooled cycle will less than that of a simple cycle.

*Intercooled cycle with heat exchange and reheat cycle:



Fig. 49. Arrangement of intercooled cycle with heat exchanger and reheat

Compressor work, $W_{12} + W_{34} = C_p(T_2 - T_1) + C_p(T_4 - T_3)$

Heat addition,

 $Q_{95} + Q_{67} = C_p(T_5 - T_9) + C_p(T_7 - T_8)$

Turbine work, $W_{78} + W_{56} = C_p(T_7 - T_8) + C_p(T_5 - T_6)$





P-V diagram Maximum specific work out put,

$$\frac{W_{max}}{C_p T_1} = 2\left(t - \frac{t}{\sqrt{c}} - \sqrt{c} + 1\right)$$

Here, $T_6 = T_8$ $\eta_{max} = 1 - \frac{\sqrt{c}}{t}$

*Practical cycle:

Assumptions,

Fluid velocities are high in turbo-machinery, the change in K.E. change is considered
-compression and adiabatic process are irreversible adiabatic process
-pressure loss in combustion chamber
-complete heat exchange is not possible

-more work required for compression

 $-C_p$ and γ values of working fluid change with temperature

Compressor and turbine efficiency:





Fig. 50. T-S diagram of actual cycle

During compression considerable amount of energy supplied to the compressor is wasted in churning of the working fluid. This energy does not contribute to the pressure rise but is converted into heat by friction.

Compressor efficiency is, $\eta_c = \frac{h_{02'} - h_{01}}{h_{02} - h_{01}} = \frac{T_{02'} - T_{01}}{T_{02} - T_{01}}$

Let, total head pressure ratio or stagnation pressure ratio in the compressor $=r_c$

$$\frac{T_{02'}}{T_{01}} = r_c^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma}$$

Then,
$$T_{02} - T_{01} = \frac{T_{01}}{\eta_c} [r_c^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma} - 1]$$

 $W_{cact} = \frac{C_p T_{01}}{\eta_c} [r_c^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma} - 1]$
Turbine efficiency is,
 $\eta_T = \frac{h_{03} - h_{04}}{h_{03} - h_{04'}} = \frac{T_{03} - T_{04}}{T_{03} - T_{04'}}$

r_t Let,

T = total head pressure ratio in expansion process $\frac{03}{T_{04'}} = r_t^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}$

$$T_{03} - T_{04} = \eta_T T_{03} \left[1 - \frac{1}{r_t^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}} \right]$$
$$W_{tact} = C_p \eta_T T_{03} \left[1 - \frac{1}{r_t^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}} \right]$$

Net work done,

$$W_{N} = W_{tact} - W_{cact} = C_{p}\eta_{T}T_{03}\left[1 - \frac{1}{r_{t}^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}}\right] - \frac{C_{p}T_{01}}{\eta_{c}}[r_{c}^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma} - 1]$$

$$\frac{W_{N}}{W_{tact}} = 1 - \frac{C_{p}\eta_{T}T_{03}\left[1 - \frac{1}{r_{t}^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}}\right] - \frac{C_{p}T_{01}}{\eta_{c}}[r_{c}^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma} - 1]}{C_{p}\eta_{T}T_{03}\left[1 - \frac{1}{r_{t}^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}}\right]}$$
Work ratio=
If $r_{c} = r_{t} = r$,

Work ratio=
$$1 - \frac{T_{01}[r^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}-1]}{\eta_c \eta_T T_{03}} = 1 - \frac{c}{t} \frac{1}{\eta_c \eta_T}$$

Where, $c = r^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma}$ and $t = \frac{T_{03}}{T_{01}}$

Work ratio is increased by high temperature ratio t and low pressure ratio, r.

*Gas turbine combustion chamber:

2 types of combustion chambers,

(a) Tubular or Can chambers: cylindrical liner is mounted concentrically inside cylindrical casing

-mostly used in jet engines

-with this centrifugal compressor is used

(b) Annular chambers: annular liner is mounted concentrically inside annular casing - difficult to maintain for air and fuel flow and maintain stable temp.

*Automotive gas turbines:

-First gas turbine car is JET1 with speed record of 243 km/h

-Then car with heat exchanger was developed to attain speed of 163 km/h and also Rover BPM-car was introduced

Advantage of automotive gas turbines;

-thermodynamic advantage of complete expansion

-Mechanical simplicity i.e. fewer moving parts compared to reciprocating IC engine

-Smooth and vibration less power delivery

-Specific weight is 10-20% less than SI engine

-Low emissions

-Easy cold starting

-High mechanical efficiency of 85-90%

-Cheaper fuels are used

Disadvantage of automotive gas turbines;

-Lower thermal efficiency due to lower temperatures and compressor efficiency than reciprocating IC engine

-Part load efficiency is very poor

-Difficulties in throttle operation due to high rotor speed

-High initial cost

*Arrangements of automotive gas turbines:

(a) Single shaft configuration: single expander turbine to drive both compressor and drive train on a common engine shaft

-less weight, low cost and better efficiency

-incapable of meeting highly variable operating conditions

(b) Twin shaft configuration:

-Turbo-compressor is mounted on one shaft and power turbine is mounted on another second shaft which provides power to the wheels via transmission

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Result Analysis (Mid Sem. Exam - 7 th Sem2015 Batch, IC Engine & Gas Turbines)			
	Avg. Marks	76.93%	
S. No.		No. of Students(61)	
1	80% and above	18 (30% Student's)	
2	60% and above	43 (70% Student's)	
3	40% and above	0 (Nil)	



Result Analysis-2015 Batch (End Sem. Exam - 7 th Sem-2018, IC Engine & Gas Turbines)			
	Avg. Marks	63.2%	
S. No.		No. of Student's(60)	
1	80% and above	02 (3.33% Student's)	
2	60% and above	38 (63.33% Student's)	
3	40% and above	20 (33.33% Student's)	

Result Analysis (IC Engine & Gas Turbine)

