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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-20)

OCTOBER / NOVEMBER-2023

DME – FIFTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

REFRIGERATION AND AIR CONDITIONING

Time: 3 Hours]

[Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer all questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.
- **1.** Define Ton of Refrigeration and write its value.
- **2.** Define the term Coefficient of performance.
- **3.** List the main components of vapour compression refrigeration system.
- **4.** Distinguish between wet and dry compressions.
- **5.** How do you classify compressors?
- **6.** Write any three differences between air cooled and water cooled condenser.
- 7. Define air conditioning. State any two applications of air conditioning.
- 8. List any six applications of air conditioning.
- **9.** List any six main equipment used in air conditioning.
- **10.** How do you classify cooling towers?

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Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **eight** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. (a) Explain steam jet refrigeration system with neat diagram.

(OR)

- (b) A cold storage is supplied with 4000 kg of fish at 22°C. The fish has to be cooled to -10 °C. Freezing point of the fish is -2 °C. If the capacity of plant is 10 tons, how long will it take to cool the fish? Specific heats of the fish above and below the freezing point are 3 kJ/kgK and 1.25 kJ/kgK respectively. Latent heat of freezing = 220 kJ/kg.
- **12.** (*a*) Explain vapour compression refrigeration system with the help of T-S and P-H diagrams.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the Electrolux refrigerator with a neat sketch.
- **13.** (a) Describe the working of an ice plant with the help of legible sketch.

(OR)

- (b) Describe the working of a domestic refrigerator with the help of a legible sketch.
- 14. Humid air at 25°C DBT and 30% RH having moisture content of 6 gm/kg of dry air is humidified without changing the temperature by increasing the moisture content to 12 gm/kg of dry air. Find (a) final WBT, (b) final relative humidity and (c) change in enthalpy.

(OR)

Explain the working of Aspirating psychrometer with a neat sketch.

15. Explain the working of air cooler with a neat sketch.

(OR)

Explain the working of window air condenser with a neat sketch.

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PART-C

- **Instructions**: (1) Answer the following question.
 - (2) The question carries **ten** marks.
 - (3) Answer should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **16.** A simple vapor compression plant produces 5 tons of refrigeration. The enthalpy values at the inlet to compressor, at the exit of compressor and at exit from the condenser are 183.2 kJ/Kg, 209.4kJ/Kg and 74.6 kJ/Kg respectively. Calculate *(i)* The refrigerant flow rate, *(ii)* The COP and *(iii)* The power required to drive the compressor.
