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請按題號順序作答,避免被漏改。若您要先做後面題目,請先在答案本預留空間。 選擇題為單選或複選請自行判斷,必須全部答對才給分。

- 1. (15 %) A piston-cylinder device is initially filled with helium gas at 150 kPa, 20°C, and 0.6 m³. The helium is compressed polytropically ($PV^n = constant$) to 400 kPa and 140°C. Helium is an ideal gas with constant specific heat ($C_v = 3.1156 \ kJ/kg \cdot K$) and the gas constant is $R = 2.0769 \ kPa \ m^3/kg \cdot K$. Make the necessary assumptions and determine the work and heat transfer during this process.
- 2. (10 %) Describe the characteristics of all heat engines. If you are a thermal engineering, can you design a heat engine that has a thermal efficiency of 100 percent? Explain the theoretical background of your answer.
- 3. (10 %) A 0.5-m³ rigid tank contains hydrogen at 20°C and 900 kPa and another 0.5-m³ rigid tank holds hydrogen at 30°C and 300 kPa. Two rigid tanks are connected to each other by a valve. Now the valve is opened and the system is allowed to reach thermal equilibrium with the surroundings, which are at 10 °C. The gas constant is R = 4.124 kPa m³/kgK. Find the final pressure in the tank.
- 4. (12 %) Briefly explain what is the second law of thermodynamics and its usage in thermodynamics?
- 5. Describe the difference between the refrigeration cycle and the heat pump cycle in terms of

(a) Purpose and the corresponding working mechanism. (6%)

(b) The coefficient of performance (COP). (6%)

- 6. (5 %) A unit mass of an ideal gas at temperature T undergoes a reversible isothermal process from pressure P_1 to pressure P_2 while losing heat to the surroundings at temperature T in the amount of q. If the gas constant is R, the entropy change of the mass during this process is
 - (a) $\Delta s = R \ln(P_2/P_1)$ (b) $\Delta s = R \ln(P_2/P_1) q/T$ (c) $\Delta s = 0$ (d) $\Delta s = R \ln(P_1/P_2)$ (e) $\Delta s = R \ln(P_1/P_2) q/T$
- 7. (6%) Which statements below violate the second law of thermodynamics?

(a) A heat engine cannot have a thermal efficiency of 100%.

(b) For all reversible processes, the second-law efficiency is 100%.

(c) The second-law efficiency of a heat engine can be greater than its thermal efficiency.

(d) The second-law efficiency of a process is 100% if no entropy is generated during that process.

(e) The COP of a refrigerator always small than 1.

- 8. (10%) An ideal gas refrigeration cycle using air as the working fluid operates between the pressure limits of 80 kPa and 240 kPa. Air is cooled to 40 °C before entering the turbine. Assuming constant properties, what is the lowest temperature of this cycle?
- 9. (5%) A substance whose Joule-Thomson coefficient is positive is throttled to a lower pressure. During this process, (select the correct statements)
 - (a) the temperature of the substance will increase.
 - (b) the temperature of the substance will decrease.
 - (c) the entropy of the substance will remain constant.
 - (d) the entropy of the substance will decrease.
 - (e) the enthalpy of the substance will decrease.

注:背面有試題

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- 10. (5%) Air in a space heating system is heated while being humidified by steam injection. On the psychrometric chart, this process will appear as a line that is
 - (a) horizontal to the right,
 - (b) vertical upward,
 - (c) diagonal upwards to the right (NE direction)
 - (d) diagonal upwards to the left (NW direction)
 - (e) diagonal downwards to the right (SE direction)
- 11. (5%) Propane C₃H₈ is burned with 120 percent theoretical air. What is the air-fuel mass ratio for this combustion process?
- 12. (5%) Of the reactions given below, the reaction whose equilibrium composition at a specified temperature is not affected by pressure is
 - (a) $S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$
 - (b) CO + $\frac{1}{2}$ O₂ \rightarrow CO₂
 - (c) $H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2HO$
 - (d) $H_2 \rightarrow 2H$
 - (e) all of the above.