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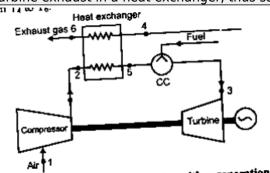
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		Question: Differentiate bet	ween closed cycl	e and o	pen cycle gas turbine
		Answer:			
		Closed Cycle 1. The compressed air is	Gas Turbine heated in heating		pen Cycle Gas Turbine mpressed air is heated in
		chamber.		combustio	on chamber.
		2. As the gas is heated by an external source, hence the amount of gas remains same thought the cycle		The products of combustion are get mixed up in the heated air hence same gas doesn't remain in cycle.	
		3. The gas after turbine is chamber.	s passed into the cooling	3. The gas	s after turbine is exhausted into phere.
Q 3 d)	4	4. The working fluid is c	irculated continuously.	4.The wor	rking fluid is replaced sly.
		5. Any fluid with better thermodynamic properties can be used.		5. Only air is used as the working fluid.	
		6. The turbine blades do not wear away earlier, as		6. The turbine blades wear away earlier,	
		the enclosed gas does not get contaminated while flowing through heating chamber.		as the air from atmosphere get contaminated while flowing through	
		nowing through heating chamber.		1	on chamber.
		7.The mass of installation per Kwatt is more		7.The mas	ss of installation per Kwatt is
		8. High maintenance cost		8. Mainter	nance cost is low
		Application iii) C			sis : i) Working cycle
		Answer:	1		2
Q 4a)(c)	4	Working Cycle	Brayton(P=consta		
		Application		oines, Amateur gas turbines, Auxiliary Gas es, Industrial Gas turbines.	
		Cycle of operation	Open Cycle		Closed Cycle
		Fuels	Coal, Producer gas, B	last Furnace pulverized	e gas, Diesel, paraffin, oil and d coal

State the methods used to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine and explain any one.

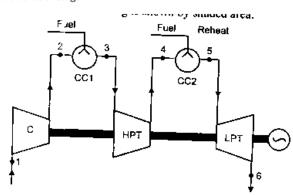
Answer:

Methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine Regeneration - This is done by preheating the compressed air before entering to the combustion chamber with the turbine exhaust in a heat exchanger, thus saving fuel consumption...



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(a) Reheating: The whole expansion in the turbine is achieved in two or more stages &reheating is done after each stage.

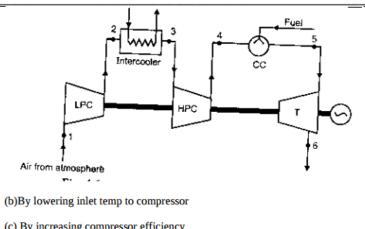


(b) Increasing the value of maximum cycle temp.

(c) Improving turbine efficiency by improving design.

3. Reducing compressor input: By

(a) Intercooling: Compressor work is reduced by intercooling the air between the compressor stages.

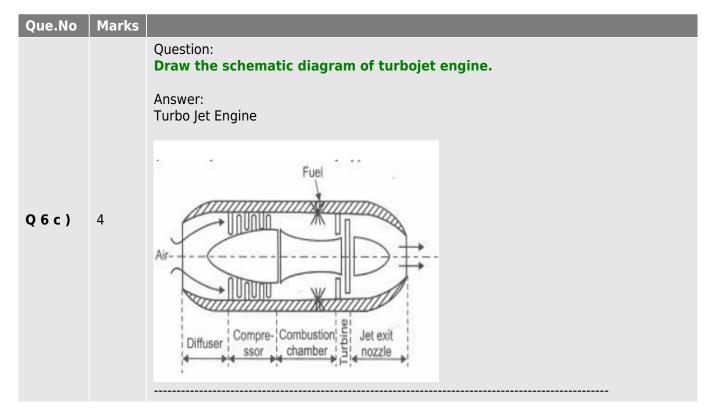


(c) By increasing compressor efficiency

(d) Water injection at inlet to compressor

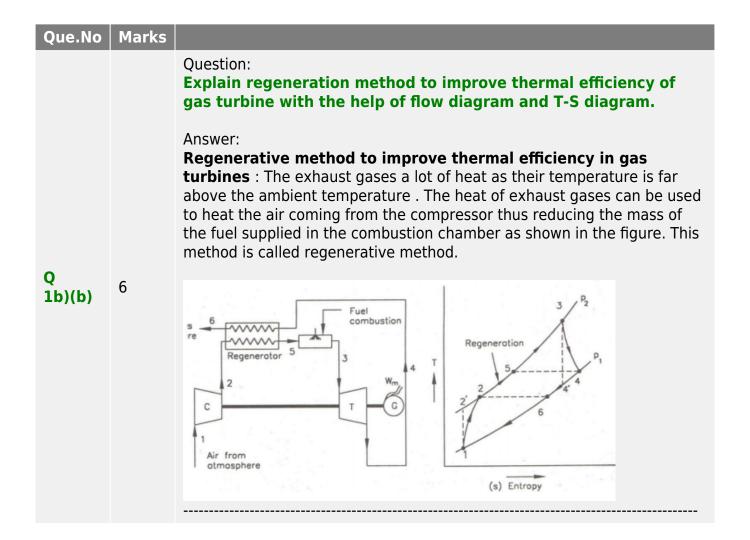
Q5b)

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Que.No	Marks	
		Question: Classify gas turbine on the basis of a) Cycle of operation b) Thermodynamic cycle c) Application d) Combustion process Answer:
Q 1a)(d)	4	Classification of gas turbine on the basis of a. Cycle of operation 1. Open cycle 2. Closed cycle b. Thermodynamic cycle 1. Brayton or Joules cycle 2. Atkinson cycle 3. Erricsson cycle c. Application 1. For supercharging of IC engine 2. For locomotive propulsion 3. For ship propulsion 4. Industrial application 5. Air craft engines 6. Electric power generation d. Combustion process 1. Continuous combustion 2. Explosion combustion



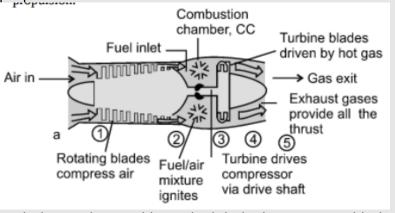
Explain the working principle of turbojet with neat sketch.

Answer:

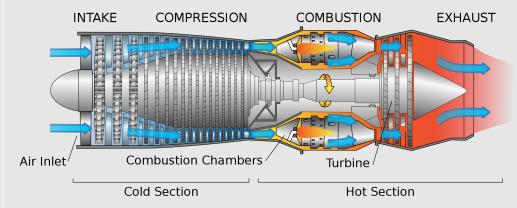
Turbojet engine working principle

Turbojet engine working principle: shows the schematic of turbojet engine. It has a diffuser section at inlet for realizing some compression of air passing through this section. Due to this air reaching compressor section has pressure more than ambient pressure. This action of partly compressing air by passing it through diffuser section is called "ramming action" or "ram effect". Subsequently compressor section compresses air which is fed to combustion chamber and fuel is added to it for causing combustion. Combustion products available at high pressure and temperature are then passed through turbine and expanded there. Thus, turbine yields positive work which is used for driving compressor. Expanding gases leaving turbine are passed through exit nozzle where it is further expanded and results in high velocity jet at exit. This high velocity jet leaving nozzle is responsible for getting desired thrust for propulsion.

Q3d) 4



Turbojet engine working principle is demonstrated below.



The turbojet is an air breathing engine which takes air and then adds heat to it before expanding it.

Que.No	Marks	
Q3e)	4	Question: State the advantages of closed cycle gas turbine over open cycle gas turbine (any four). Answer: Advantages of closed cycle gas turbine over open cycle gas turbine: (i) It has higher thermal efficiency for the same minimum and maximum temperature limits and for the same pressure ratio. (ii) Since the heating is external, any kind of fuel even solid fuel having low calorific value may be used. (iii) There is no corrosion due to circulation of combustion product. (iv) As the system is a closed one there is no loss of the working fluid. (v) The size of the turbine will be smaller compared to an open cycle gas turbine of the same output. (vi) The regulation is more simple. (vii) The heat transmission coefficient in the exchanger is better due to the increase in suction pressure. (viii) Loss due to fluid friction is less due to higher Reynolds number.
Q 6 e)	4	Question: State the applications of gas turbine (any four). Answer: Following are the applications of gas turbine 1. It is used for electric power generation. 2. It is used for locomotive propulsion. 3. It is used for ship propulsion. 4. Gas turbine is used in aircrafts. 5. It is used for supercharging for heavy duty Diesel engines. 6. Used in turbo jet and turbo-propeller engine. 7. It is used for various industrial purpose such as in steel industry, oil and other chemical industry.

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Que.No	Marks	
		Question: Classify gas turbine on the basis of i) working cycle ii) application iii) cycle of operation iv) fuel used
Q 3 b)	4	Answer: 1. On the basis of combustion process a) Constant pressure type b) Constant volume or explosion type 2. On the basis of path of working substance a) Open cycle gas turbine b) Closed cycle gas turbine 3. On the basis of action of expanding gases a) Impulse gas turbine b) Impulse reaction gas turbine 4. On the basis of direction of flow a) Axial flow b) Radial flow

Que.No **Marks Ouestion:** Explain the working of 'Turbo-Prop' engine with neat sketch. Answer: The main components of turbo-prop engine are a propeller, gear reduction unit, a compressor, a combustor, gas turbine and the nozzles. In this engine 80 to 90% of the total propulsive thrust is generated by the gas turbine and the remainder is developed by the expansion of the gases in nozzles. Due to this the power generated in the gas turbine is used for driving the compressor and the propeller, while in case of turbojet engines the turbine power is only used to drive the compressor and the auxiliaries. The gas turbine drives the propeller through the reduction gear unit and it draws a large amount of air. A large part of this air drawn by the propeller is passed through the ducts around the engine and the remainder is compressed in the diffuser by ram compression and further in the compressor. Fuel is burnt in the combustor and the resultant high temperature gases are expanded in the turbine and finally in the nozzles. Q5c) 8 The total thrust developed is the sum of thrust developed by the propeller and the nozzle. Unlike the turbojet engines the turboprop engines are widely used for commercial and military air crafts, due to their low specific fuel consumption and high flexibility of operation at reasonably high speed. Reduction Propeller gear Fuel Air Compre- Combustion Jet exit Diffuser chamber ssor nozzle Velocity

Marks Que.No **Ouestion:** Explain any one method to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine with the help of block diagram. Answer: Methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine 1) Regeneration - This is done by preheating the compressed air before entering to the combustion chamber with the turbine exhaust in a heat exchanger, thus saving fuel consumption. 2) Improving turbine output: this can be done by (a) Reheating: The whole expansion in the turbine is achieved in two or more stages &reheating is done after each stage. Q6e) (b) Increasing the value of maximum cycle temp. (c) Improving turbine efficiency by improving design. 3. Reducing compressor input: By (a) Intercooling: Compressor work is reduced by intercooling the air between the compressor stages. (b)By lowering inlet temp to compressor (c) By increasing compressor efficiency (d) Water injection at inlet to compressor

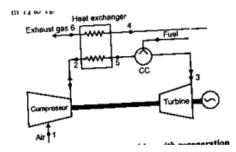
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		Answ	pare closed cycle a er:	and open cycle gas tur	
		Sr.n	Factors	Open cycle gas turbine	Closed cycle gas turbine
		1.	Pressure	Lesser pressure	Higher pressure
		2.	Size of the plant for given output	Larger size	Reduced size
		3.	Output	Lesser output	Greater output
		4.	Corrosion of turbine blades	Corrosion takes place due to contaminated gases	No corrosion since there is indirect heating.
Q 3 b)	4	5.	Working medium	Loss of working medium	No loss of working medium.
		6.	Filtration of incoming air	It may cause severe problem.	No filtration of air is required.
		7.	Part load efficiency	Less part load efficiency	More part load efficiency
		8.	Thermal efficiency	Less thermal efficiency	More thermal efficiency
		9.	Requirement of cooling water	No Requirement of cooling water	Larger amount of cooling water required
		10.	Weight of system for given power	Less	More
		11.	Response to the changing load	Good response	Poor response
		12.	Fluid friction	More Fluid friction	Less Fluid friction

State different methods for improving thermal efficiency of gas turbine and explain any one.

Answer:

Methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine of any one – 2 marks)

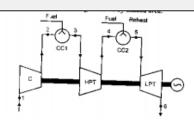
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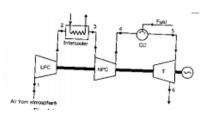
- 2) Improving turbine output: this can be done by
- **(a) Reheating**: The whole expansion in the turbine is achieved in two or more stages & reheating is done after each stage.

Q 4a)(d)

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- (b) Increasing the value of maximum cycle temp.
- (c) Improving turbine efficiency by improving design.
- 3. Reducing compressor input: By
- **(a) Intercooling**: Compressor work is reduced by intercooling the air between the compressor stages.



- (b)By lowering inlet temp to compressor
- (c) By increasing compressor efficiency
- (d) Water injection at inlet to compressor

Que.No	Marks	
		Question: Explain with neat sketch construction and working of constant volume gas turbine.
Q 5 c)	8	Answer: Constant volume gas turbine Working:- Air from surrounding atmosphere is drawn in compressor and is compressed to a pressure of about 3 kN/m2. The compressed air is then admitted to the combustion chamber through the inlet valve. When inlet valve is closed, the fuel oil is admitted by means of a separate fuel pump into combustion chamber containing compressed air. The mixture (of air and fuel oil) is then ignited by an electric spark, the pressure rising to about 12 kN/m2, whilst the volume remains constant. Thus combustion takes place at constant volume.

Que.No	Marks		
Queino		Question: Explain the principle of Ram jet with neat sketch Answer: Ram jet - (Fig - 2 marks; explanation -2 marks) - Ram jet is also called as	
Q 6 d)		'Athodyd or flying stove pipe' It is a steady combustion or continuous flow engine & has the simplest construction of any propulsion engine Consist of inlet diffuser, combustion chamber & exit nozzle Air entering into ram jet with supersonic speed is slowed down to sonic speed in supersonic diffuser, increasing air pressure The air pressure is further increased in the subsonic diffuser The fuel injected into the combustion chamber is burned with the help of flame stabilizers. The high temp & high pressure gases are passed through the nozzle converting the pressure energy into kinetic energy It is not self operating at zero flight velocity. It requires launching rockets.	
		Subsonic diffuser Fuel injector Igniter Shock Supersonic Combustion chamber	

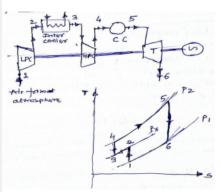
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Que.No	Marks		
Que.No	Marks 4	Question: Explain with a neat sketch turbo propeller w.r.to Jet propulsion Answer: (d) Turbopropellar: (sketch -2, explaination – 2 marks) Fig. 4.11: Turbo propeller -In turboprop engine propeller is present. - The turbine is designed so that it develops shaft power for driving a propeller to provide most of the propulsive thrust, and only a small amount thrust is provided by jet. - In this case, nearly 80 to 90% of the power propulsion is generated by turbine & is transmitted to the propeller through reduction gear. The remaining 10 to 20% of the thrust is developed by expanding the turbin exhaust in a nozzle of suitable design. - The turboprop combines in it the merits of turbojet engine and propeller i. e. Low specific weight, small	
		- The turboprop combines in it the merits of turbojet engine and propeller i. e. Low specific weight, small frontal area, simplicity, lower vibrations, high power for the take off and high propulsive efficiency at high speed.	

Que.No	Marks	
		Question: What are the methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine? Explain any one method.
		Answer:
Q4c)	4	1) Regeneration – This is done by preheating the compressed air before entering to the combustion chamber with the turbine exhaust in a heat exchanger, thus saving fuel consumption. In 14 What exchanger Exhaust gas 6 Oct Fund Fund
		(b) Increasing the value of maximum cycle temp.
		(c) Improving turbine efficiency by improving design.
		3. Reducing compressor input: By
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		(b)By lowering inlet temp to compressor
		(c) By increasing compressor efficiency
		(d) Water injection at inlet to compressor
Q 4 d)	4	Question: What is jet propulsion? Give the classification of jet propulsion system. Answer: Jet Propulsion: This is done by expanding the gas which is at high temperature & pressure through the nozzle so that the gas with very high velocity leaves the nozzle giving thrust in opposite direction Principle is based on Newton's Second & third law of motion. Jet propulsion - Classification (1) Atmospheric jet engines (breathing engine) -Turbojet engine -
		Turbo prop engines - Ram jet (2) Rocket engine (Non - breathing engine)

Explain intercooling and reheating in gas turbine with the help of T-S diagram.

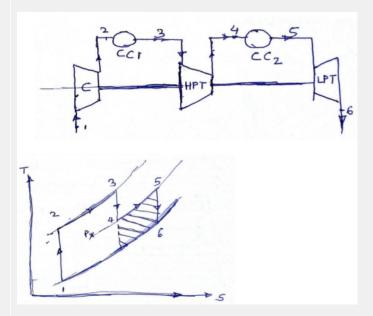
Answer:



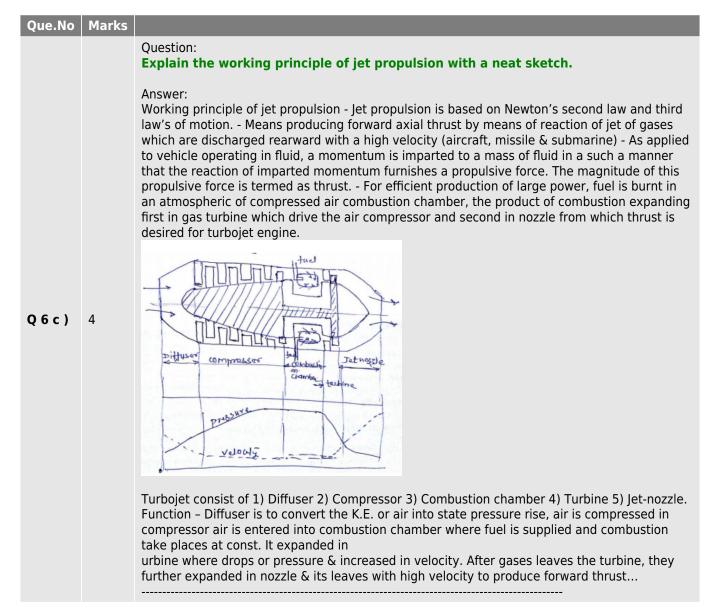
LPC - LOW pressure cylinder HPC - high pressure cylinder CC - combustion chamber T - Turbine (2+ 2 marks) The net work of gas turbine cycle may be increased by saving some compression work. This is done by using several stages of compression with inter cooling of air between stages. The air from first stage of compression is cooled in inter cooler approximately to its initial temperature before entering to second stage of compressor. The effect of inter cooling is to decrease the network and increase the efficiency as compared to the simple ideal cycle without inter cooling. The ideal open gas turbine with inter cooling can be shown as 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 In first stage compressor atmospheric air is compressed from P1 to P2, it is them cooled from temperature T2 to T3 = T1 in the inter cooler at constant inter mediate pressure Px and finally compressed from Px to P2 in second stage or compressor.

ii) Gas turbine with reheatingCC - Combustion Chamber C - Compressor

Q5b)



By reheating or adding heat to exhaust gases after have passed through a part of the rows of turbine balding (or stages), a further increase in work done obtained. In reheating, the gas temperature which has dropped due to expansion is brought back to approximately the initial temperature for expansion in next stage. Since the working fluid contains about 85% of air, additional fuel can be burnt by injecting it into the gases without any additional air supply. The reheat cycle can be shown as 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6. The combustion gases from combustion chamber CC1 at temperature T3 is partially expanded in the HP turbine from P2 to intermediate pressure Px. After this, it is them passed through combustion chamber CC2 where it is reheated at constant pressure Px so that the temperature of gas is raised from T4 to T5. After this gas is expanded in second stage of turbine reheating is shown by shaded area



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Que.No	Marks	
Q3b)	4	Question: Draw constant pressure closed cycle gas turbine on P.V and T-S planes. Name the various processes involved and give its efficiency equation with meaning of each term. Answer: Process 1-2: Isentropic compression Process 2-3: Heat addition at constant pressure Process 4-1: Heat rejection at constant pressure $ \eta_{th} = 1 - \frac{1}{\left(R_p\right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}} $
Q 5 c)	4	Question: Explain construction and working of turbojet with neat labelled sketch Answer: Turbo-Jet Engine: Turbo-Jet Engine: The turbojet engine consists of an open cycle gas turbine engine (compressor, combustion chamber and turbine) with an entrance air diffuser added in front of the compressor and an exit nozzle added rear end or aft of the turbine. In this unit no propeller is provided. The diffuser of a turbojet engine must provide the greatest possible pressure rise by slowing the incoming air and converting its kinetic energy into pressure. The shape, area and location of the actual air inlet in an aeroplane is highly important. Variable area entrance diffusers are being developed for new aircraft in order to maintain high diffuser efficiency for both high and low speed operation. The atmospheric air enters the compressor through the front opening. The compressor compresses the air to the required pressure and discharges it into combustion chamber. The fuel is injected into the combustion chamber at constant pressure. The gases leaving the combustion chamber expand in turbine, which produces sufficient power to run the compressor and exhaust to atmospheric through nozzle, which produces propulsive thrust to drive the unit. The major advantages of the use of axial flow compressor is capable of multistaging and small frontal area, out weight its sensitivity and fragility. Therefore it is the current choice for use in turbojet engine of high thrust output.

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		Question: Compare, closed cycle and open cycle gas turbine (any four point)				
		Answer:				
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		10.	Weight of system for	Less	More	
		11.	Response to the changing	Good response	Poor response	
		12.	Fluid friction	More Fluid friction	Less Fluid friction	
			mption.	xhaust in a heat exchanger Hest exchanger Fuel Turbine	, 1 Jany .ac.	
Q 6 f)	4		neating: The whole expan ting is done after each stag	sion in the turbine is achieved in twee.	wo or more stages	
		(a) Inte	ercooling Air from sta	Intercooler HPC T S		

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Que.No	Marks						
	4	Question: State merits/demerits of gas turbine over T.C. engine with respect to following parameters: (i) mechanical efficiency (ii) starting trouble (iii) weight per power (iv) part load thermal efficiency.					
		Answer:					
		Sr. No	. Parameters	Gas Turbine	I.C. Engine		
		1	Mechanical Efficiency	High due to absence of reciprocating parts	Low due to large number of reciprocating parts		
Q3b)		2	Starting Trouble	Starting of gas turbine is difficult and needs complex arrangements	Starting of I. C. Engine is simple		
		3	Weight to power ratio	The weight of gas turbine per kW power developed is low since the working pressures are low requiring lighter construction	The weight of I.C. engine per kW power developed is high since the working pressures are high requiring heavy construction		
			Part load thermal	Part load thermal efficiency is poor	They are efficient and part load		
		4	efficiency	and it is less efficient	thermal efficiency is high		
Q5c)	8	Question: Explain the construction and working of Ram jet with the help of neat labelled schematic diagram. State its limitations (any two). Answer: Ramjet - it consist of inlet difference, combustion chamber and tail pipe (exist nozzle) Ramjet has no compressor as the entire compression depends upon compression. Function of supersonic & subsonic difference to convert the kinetic called the ram pressure. Working:- The air entering into ram jet with sup sonic speed is slowed down to sonic velocity in the air pressure is further increase in the sup sonic different increasing also the temperature of air. The diffuser section is designed to get correct ram effect its into decrees the velocity & increase pressure of in cooling air. The duel injected into combustion chamber is burned with help of igniter the high tress engine temperature garb are passed through the nozzle converting into pressure energy into kind energy. The high velocity gas leaving the nozzle provide required toward thrust to ramjet. Limitation 1. Ramjet engine be launched from an air plane flight. 2. Fuel consumption is too large. The fuel consumption lower decrees flight need.					

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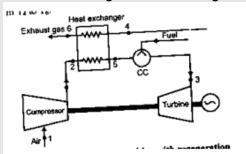
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Q 4 d)	4	Question: State advantages of jet propulsion over other systems. Answer: Advantages of jet propulsion - 1. Higher mechanical efficiency due to absence of reciprocating parts. 2. The weight of gas turbine per kW power developed is low since the working pressures are low requiring lighter construction. 3. Can produce much more power at much higher altitudes where drag is less so higher speeds are possible and they are more efficient. 4. Reliability is one of the elements of success for jet engines. They only have a couple of moving parts and almost no vibration.	

List the methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine and explain any one of them in detail

Answer:

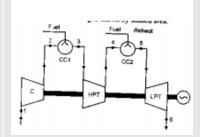
Methods to improve thermal efficiency of gas turbine

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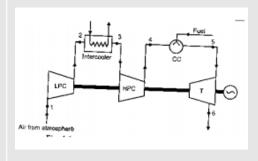


2) Reheating: The whole expansion in the turbine is achieved in two or more stages & reheating is done after each stage. That increase in work done.

Q5b) 8



3) Intercooling -The compression is performed in two or more stages. But between two stage there is intercooler where cooling takes place at constant pressure.To increase net work of gas turbine by saving some compression work.



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Q 6 c)	Marks 4	Question: Explain with neat sketch working principle of turbo jet engine. Answer: Working principle of Turbojet: shows the schematic of turbojet engine. It has a diffuser section at inlet for realizing some compression of air passing through this section. Due to this air reaching compressor section has pressure more than ambient pressure. This action of partly compressing air by passing it through diffuser section is called "ramming action" or "ram effect". Subsequently compressor section compresses air which is fed to combustion chamber and fuel is added to it for causing combustion. Combustion products available at high pressure and temperature are then passed through turbine and expanded there. Thus, turbine yields positive work which is used for driving compressor. Expanding gases leaving turbine are passed through exit nozzle where it is further expanded and results in high velocity jet at exit. This high velocity jet leaving nozzle is responsible for getting desired thrust for propulsion. Combustion chamber, CC Turbine blades driven by hot gas a compressor of turbine drives compressor via drive shaft. Turbine drives compressor via drive shaft.
