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Mech. Power Engineering Department

First Semester Examination 2017/2018

Date of Exam.: 17/1/2018



Subject: Lubrication Engineering

**Code:** : MPE 528 Year: Higher Diploma

Time Allowed: Three hours

**Total Marks: 100 Marks** 

## Allowed tables and Charts (None)

# Answer the following Questions: "Assume the missing data "

### Question (1) (28 Marks)

a- What is the meaning and the main concepts of friction, lubrication and lubricant?

(6 Marks)

b- Write the how which of following statement is false or true and comment on your answers: (12 Marks)

- (1) Where surface interaction continues to exert a significant effect, the viscosity of the lubricant becomes the more important property.
- (2) In the mixed region of lubrication, lubricant viscosity is not the only significant factor.
- (3) The frictional properties of dry metals will be very greatly affected by the presence of surface films on the metals.
- (4) Paraffinic oils have high pour points because of the asphaltic components they contain.
- (5) Paraffinic oils have higher viscosity index than naphthenic oils.
- (6) The electrical conductivity of oil increases with the rise in its temperature.
- (7) The pour point of oil decreases with the increase in its wax content.
- (8) The high viscosity oils having a large tendency to form foam.
- c- What is the main idea of the hydrodynamic lubrication and its main characteristics? Use illustrations.

(10 Marks)

#### Question (2) (28 Marks)

a- What are the regimes of lubrication due to the load increase on contact surfaces?

(10 Marks)

b- What is the meaning of hydrodynamic lubrication and its performance?

(10 Marks)

c- Explain the function of lubricants to dampen shock?

(8 Marks)

#### Question (3) (22 Marks)

a- Describe using illustration the hydrostatic bearing and its main types and its characteristics? (10 Marks)

b- Show how the lubrication can be used to cool bearing and shaft?

### Question (4) (22 Marks)

a- What are the principle functions of lubricants?

(10 Marks)

b- What are the desirable properties of solid lubricant film to friction and wear reduction?

(12 Marks)