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Fourth Semester

Agriculture Engineering

15UAG403- FARM TRACTORS

(Regulation 2015)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. In petrol engines charge is ignited by CO1 -R
(a) Compression (b) Spark (c) Glow plug (d) Both (a) and (b)
2. In diesel engines at the end of compression stroke the pressure varies from CO1 -R
(a) 6 – 10 kg/cm² (b) 10 – 22 kg/cm² (c) 30 – 45 kg/cm² (d) 15 – 30 kg/cm²
3. The firing order of a 4 – stroke 4 – cylinder engine is given as CO2- R
(a) 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 (b) 1 – 3 – 2 – 4 (c) 1 – 3 – 4 – 2 (d) 1 – 4 – 3 – 2
4. The clearance between rocker arm and valve stem is called CO2 -R
(a) Valve clearance (b) Sleeve clearance
(c) Tappet clearance (d) Rocker arm clearance
5. The main shaft of an engine also called as CO3 -R
(a) Output shaft (b) Input shaft (c) Lay shaft (d) Counter shaft
6. Friction plate is a part of CO3- R
(a) Clutch (b) Final drive (c) Differential (d) None of these
7. A pump used in power steering system is CO4 -R

- (a) Gear pump (b) Vane pump (c) Both A and B (d) None of these
8. Hydraulic system in tractor is mainly used for CO4 -R
 (a) Operating three point hitch (b) PTO drive
 (c) Storing energy (d) Operating pump
9. Vibration is measured by CO5- R
 (a) Accelerometer (b) Tensiometer (c) Penetrometer (d) Tacometer
10. A noise level for four hours of working is CO5 -R
 (a) 90 dB (b) 95 dB (c) 100 dB (d) 105 dB

PART – B (5 x 2= 10Marks)

11. What is firing order? Give an example CO1- R
12. Differentiate between turbocharger and supercharger CO2 -R
13. Define tractive efficiency CO3- R
14. Explain the concept of wheel alignment CO4- R
15. Name the codes adopted for the lifting of the tractor performance of tractors CO5- R

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

16. (a) Explain in detail about the constructional features of IC engine. CO1- App (16)
 Or
 (b) Write in detail about the principle and operation of IC engine with neat sketch CO1 -App (16)
17. (a) (i) Write about the construction of valves with neat sketch by mentioning the parts. CO2 -App (6)
 (ii) What is valve timing diagram? Describe it. CO2 -App (10)
 Or
 (b) Explain in detail about cooling and lubrication system CO2 -Ana (16)
18. (a) (i) Discuss about three point linkage CO3 -Ana (8)
 (ii) Write about the stability of the hydraulic system CO3- Ana (8)

Or

- (b) Describe in detail about the different types of gear box in tractors with neat sketch by explaining its position of all gears CO3 -U (16)
19. (a) What is hydraulic system? What are the components of hydraulic system? Explain the components and its function, also describe the working principle of hydraulic system. CO4 -U (16)

Or

- (b) Write short notes on CO4 -U (16)
- (i) Position control
 - (ii) Drawbar hitch
 - (iii) Three point linkage
 - (iv) PTO
 - (v) Wheel base
 - (vi) Cage wheel
 - (vii) Ground clearance
 - (viii) Governor
20. (a) What are the important test conditions of a tractor? Explain them. CO5- U (16)
- Or
- (b) Explain the need for testing tractors. Discuss the various stages of testing tractors for clearance international marketing. CO5- U (16)

