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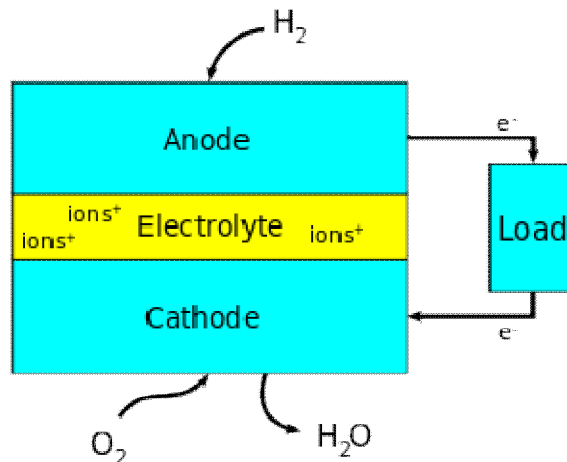


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created, which can be used to power electrical devices, normally referred to as the load.

Working:

At the anode a catalyst oxidizes the fuel, usually hydrogen, turning the fuel into a positively charged ion and a negatively charged electron. The electrolyte is a substance specifically designed so ions can pass through it, but the electrons cannot. The freed electrons travel through a wire creating the electric current. The ions travel through the electrolyte to the cathode. Once reaching the cathode, the ions are reunited with the electrons and the two react with a third chemical, usually oxygen, to create water or carbon dioxide.



- c) **Objectives of energy managements:**
- To maximize profit at minimize cost.
  - Conserving energy and reducing cost
  - Cultivating good communication on energy matters
  - Developing and maintaining effective monitoring, reporting and managements strategies for efficient energy uses.

One mark  
each for  
any four

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finding new and better ways to increase returns from energy investments</li> </ul>		
d)	<p><b>Biogas</b></p>	4	4
<b>Q1 B</b>	<b>Attempt any one</b>		<b>6</b>
a)	<p><b>Modes of heat transfer</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduction</li> <li>Convection and</li> <li>Radiation</li> </ol> <p><b>CONDUCTION:</b></p> <p>Conduction is the mode of heat transfer occurs from one part of a substance to another part of within the substance itself or with another substance which is placed in physical contact. In conduction, there is no noticeable movement of molecules. You might think that then how this heat transfer occurs? The heat transfer occurs here by the two mechanisms happen.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>By the transfer of free electrons. (Good conductors like metals have a plenty of free electrons to make conductive heat transfer.</li> <li>The atoms and molecules having energy will pass those energy they have with their adjacent atoms or molecules by means of lattice vibrations.</li> </ol> <p><b>CONVECTION:</b></p>	2	6







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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Political instability</li><li>• Dependency on import</li><li>• Range of energy sources used</li><li>• Cost of energy</li></ul>	any four	
c)	<p><b>Heat:</b> heat is energy that spontaneously passes between a system and its surroundings in some way other than through work or the transfer of matter.</p> <p><b>Sensible heat:</b> It is the amount of heat transferred without change of phase.</p> <p><b>Calorific Value:</b> It is the amount of heat released during combustion of a unit quantity of fuel.</p> <p><b>Wet bulb temperature :</b> It is the temperature recorded by thermometer when bulb is surrounded by wet cloth</p>	1 mark each	4
d)	<p><b>Energy conservation opportunities in pumping system</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ensure adequate NPSH at site of installation</li><li>• Ensure availability of basic instruments at pumps like pressure gauges, flow meters.</li><li>• Operate pumps near best efficiency point.</li><li>• Modify pumping system and pumps losses to minimize throttling.</li><li>• Adapt to wide load variation with variable speed drives or sequenced control of multiple units.</li><li>• Stop running multiple pumps - add an auto-start for an on-line spare or add a booster pump in the problem area.</li><li>• Use booster pumps for small loads requiring higher pressures.</li><li>• Increase fluid temperature differentials to reduce pumping rates in case of heat exchangers.</li><li>• Repair seals and packing to minimize water loss by dripping.</li><li>• Balance the system to minimize flows and reduce pump power</li></ul>	1 mark each for any four	4



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	<p>requirements.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Avoid pumping head with a free-fall return (gravity); Use siphon effect to advantage:</li><li>• Conduct water balance to minimise water consumption</li><li>• Avoid cooling water re-circulation in DG sets, air compressors, refrigeration systems, cooling towers feed water pumps, condenser pumps and process pumps.</li></ul>		
e)	<p><b>Energy conservation cell as a catalyst for energy conservation</b></p> <p>All energy intensive industries should have a dedicated energy management cell with a full time 'Energy Manager' who will be responsible for overseeing its operations. The energy management cell should provide necessary structure and formalise the process of energy conservation thereby enhancing its efficacy with full support from top management. Besides energy manager, the cell should also have skilled persons in different disciplines. The cell should interact with manufacturing and other divisions like production, engineering, maintenance, utilities, and even finance. This will help in carrying out its activities like planned internal and external energy audits, conceptualisation and implementation of projects in close coordination with respective departments/divisions, carrying out educational campaigns etc. Thus, the cell will become the focal point for effective energy management in the plant. This dedicated working will also bring to the fore the energy issues in the minds of personnel working in different areas and will influence their decision-making.</p>	4	4
<b>Q 3</b>	<b>Attempt any four</b>		<b>16</b>
Q3 a)	<p><b>Advantages</b></p> <p>1) It is an inexhaustible source of energy.</p>	2	4







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	<p><b>4) Generator:</b> It is device used to produce electricity using mechanical energy.</p> <p><b>5) Tower:</b> It is assembly on which wind turbine is placed at certain height.</p>								
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	<p>security, personal financial security and higher savings.</p> <p>It is at the top of the sustainable energy hierarchy .</p> <p>It also lowers energy costs by preventing future resource depletion .</p>	<p>adopting a more efficient technology or production process or by application of commonly accepted methods to reduce energy losses.</p>			
	<p>It also reduce energy import</p>	<p>In many countries energy efficiency is also seen to have a national security benefit because it can be used to reduce the level of energy imports from foreign countries and may slow down the rate at which domestic energy resources are depleted.</p>			
<b>Q 4 A</b>	<b>Attempt any three</b>				<b>12</b>
a)	<p><b>Energy saving opportunities in cooling tower</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Follow manufacturer's recommended clearances around cooling towers and relocate or modify structures that interfere with the air intake or exhaust</li></ul>		<p>½ mark each for any eight</p>	<p>4</p>	



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optimize cooling tower fan blade angle on a seasonal and/or load basis</li> <li>• Correct excessive and/or uneven fan blade tip clearance and poor fan balance</li> <li>• In old counter-flow cooling towers, replace old spray type nozzles with new square spray nozzles that do not clog</li> <li>• Replace splash bars with self-extinguishing PVC cellular film fill</li> <li>• Install nozzles that spray in a more uniform water pattern</li> <li>• Clean plugged cooling tower distribution nozzles regularly</li> <li>• Balance flow to cooling tower hot water basins</li> <li>• Cover hot water basins to minimize algae growth that contributes to fouling</li> <li>• Optimize the blow down flow rate, taking into account the cycles of concentration (COC)</li> <li>• limit</li> <li>• Replace slat type drift eliminators with low-pressure drop, self-extinguishing PVC cellular units</li> </ul> <p>Restrict flows through large loads to design values</p>											
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	3	Capital investment is more but fuel cost zero for power generation	Capital investment is less but fuel cost is more for power generation		
	4	e.g Solar, Wind, Biomass, Hydro	e.g Coal, crude oil, Gas		
c)	<b>Three T`s of combustion:</b> Combustion efficiency can be explained in terms of 3 T`s Time, temperature and turbulence. Simply stated , thermal oxidation is the effective employment of the process which provide through mixing of an organic substance with sufficient oxygen at a high enough temp. for a sufficient time to cause the organic to oxidize to the desire degree of completion . To achieve successful thermal oxidation , the thermal oxidizer must include : a) Turbulence – through mixing b) Temperature- oxidizing temperature (1200 – 1650 F) c) Time- combustion chamber residence time(0.5 – 2 secs.) The level of turbulence , the reaction temperature and the amount of time is depends on the fuel characteristics.			4	4
d)	<b>Energy generated from tide and ocean:</b> <b>Tidal:</b> The technology required to convert tidal energy into electricity is comparable to technology used in traditional hydroelectric power plant. The first requirement is a dam across the tidal bay. Best sites are those where a bay has a narrow openings, thus reducing the length of dam required.Gates and turbines are installed. When there is a adequate difference in the level of the water on the different sides of the dam ,			2	4





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	<p><b>For 20 kg steam</b></p> $Q = m[\lambda + (C_p \Delta T)] = 20[200 + (4.187 \times 20)] = 5674.8 \text{ kJ}$		
b)	<p><b>Benchmarking</b></p> <p>Benchmarking is the process of comparing one's business processes and performance metrics to industry bests or best practices from other companies.</p> <p><b>Gross production related:</b></p> <p>kWh/MT clinker or cement produced (cement plant)</p> <p>kWh/kg yarn produced (textile unit)</p> <p>kWh/MT , kcal/kg, paper produced (paper plant)</p> <p>kcal/kWh power produced (heat rate of power plant)</p> <p>million cal/MT urea or ammonia (fertilizer plant)</p> <p>kWh/MT of liquid metal output (in a foundry)</p> <p><b>utility related :</b></p> <p>kW/ ton of refrigeration (on air conditioning plant)</p> <p>% thermal efficiency of a boiler plant</p> <p>% cooling tower effectiveness in a cooling tower</p> <p>kWh/Nm<sup>3</sup> of compressed air generated</p> <p>kWh/liter in a diesel power generation plant</p>	2	6
<b>Q 5</b>	<p><b>Attempt any two</b></p>		<b>16</b>
a)	<p><b>Efficiency of pump</b></p> <p><i>Hydraulic power (liquid H.P.)</i></p> <p>H.P. = Q x (h<sub>d</sub> – h<sub>s</sub>) x density of the fluid</p> <p>Suction head (h<sub>s</sub>)</p> <p>Discharge head (h<sub>d</sub>)</p> <p><i>Pump shaft power</i></p> <p>P<sub>s</sub> = Rated power of motor x efficiency of motor</p> <p><i>Pump efficiency</i></p>	2	8



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	<p>Pump efficiency = H.P / Pump shaft power</p> <p><b>Running pump operating parameters at full speed [N]</b></p> <p><math>Q_1 = 38 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}</math> , <math>H_1 = 65 \text{ m}</math> , <math>P_1 = 12.5 \text{ kW}</math></p> <p>Power consumption at reduced speed (80 % of full speed)</p> <p><math>P_2 = P_1 \times (N_2/N_1)^3</math></p> <p><math>P_2 = 12.5 \times (0.80 N_1/N_1)^3</math> [ here <math>N_2 = 0.80 N_1</math> ]</p> <p><math>= 12.5 \times 0.512</math></p> <p><math>= 6.4 \text{ kW}</math></p> <p>Reduction in power = <math>12.5 - 6.4 = 6.1 \text{ kW}</math></p>	6	
b)	<p><b>Types of energy audit:</b></p> <p>i) preliminary audit</p> <p>ii) detailed audit</p> <p>i) preliminary energy audit:</p> <p>identify the quantity and the cost of energy forms and in the plant.</p> <p>Energy consumption in various equipment/sections , process level.</p> <p>Relates energy inputs to production and highlights the wastage of energy in equipment / process areas.</p> <p>Recommendation for low cost energy conservation measures.</p> <p>Identify of major areas/ equipments require indepth study / analysis</p> <p>ii)detailed energy audit:</p> <p>a comprehensive audit provides a detailed project implementation plan for a facility , since it evaluate all major energy using systems.</p> <p>This type of audit offers the most accurate estimate of energy savings and cost.it considers the interactive effects of all projects, accounts for the energy use of all major equipments , and include detailed energy cost saving calculation and project cost.</p>	4	8





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<p>Detailed audit is carried out in three phases: Phase I : pre audit phase Phase II : audit phase Phase III : post audit phase</p> <p><b>Contents of energy audit report</b></p> <p>Introduction General requirements Engineering calculation methods Scope of report Energy Audit Report outline Key contacts information Table of contents Executive summary</p> <p>Introduction Energy consumption Baseline period energy consumption System, process or equipment description Energy efficiency upgrades Economic analysis Conclusions and recommendations Appendix</p> <p><b>Energy cost</b></p> <p>Understanding energy cost is vital factor for awareness creation and saving calculation. In many industries sufficient meters may not be available to measure all the energy used. In such cases, invoices for fuels and electricity will be useful. The annual company balance sheet is the other sources where fuel cost and power are given with production related information.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>2</p>	
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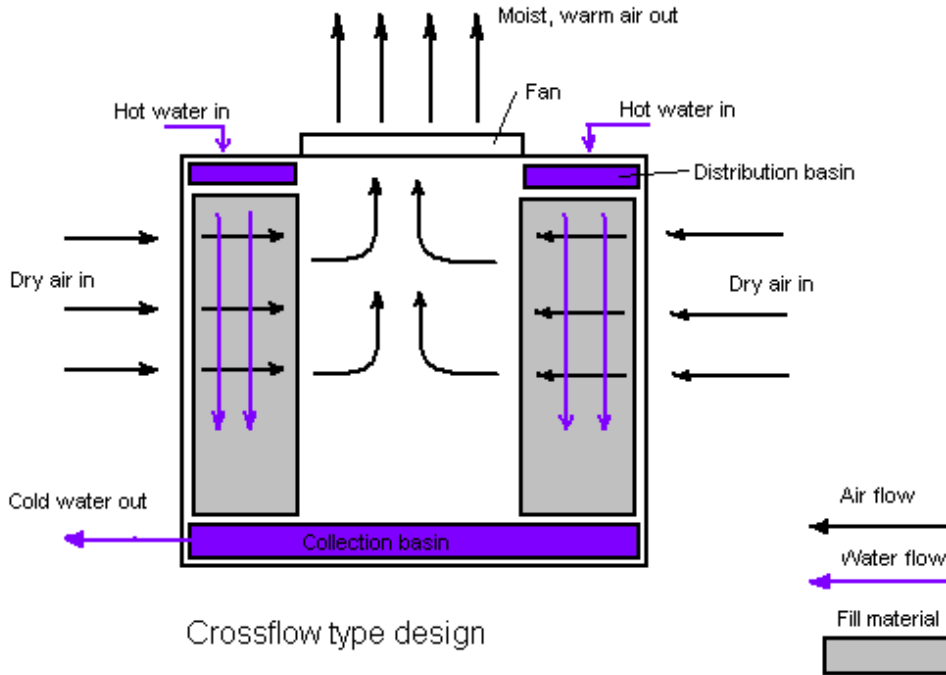


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	<p>Energy invoices can be used for the following purposes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• It provide a record of energy purchased in a given year, which gives a base-line for future reference</li><li>• Energy invoices may indicate the potential for savings when related to production requirements or to air conditioning requirements/space heating etc.</li><li>• When electricity is purchased on the basis of maximum demand tariff It can suggest where savings are most likely to be made.</li><li>• In later years invoices can be used to quantify the energy and cost savings made through energy conservation measures</li></ul>		
c)	<p><b>Cross flow type of cooling tower:</b></p> <p>Cross flow is a design in which the air flow is directed perpendicular to the water flow as shown in figure. Air flow enters one or more vertical faces of the cooling tower to meet the fill material. Water flows perpendicular to air through the fill by gravity. The air continuous through the fill and thus past the water flow into an open plenum area. A distribution or hot water basin consisting of a deep pan with holes or nozzles in the bottom is utilized in a cross flow tower. Gravity distributes the water through the nozzles uniformly across the fill material</p>	<p>Any one type of cooling tower-4 marks</p>	8



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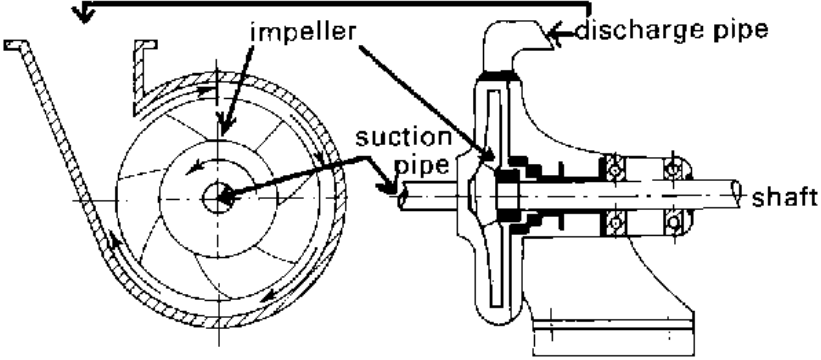
**The factors affecting the cooling of water in a cooling tower:**

- Wet bulb temperature
- Dry bulb temperature of air
- Cooling tower inlet water temperature
- Cooling tower outlet water temperature
- Exhaust air temperature
- Electrical readings of pump and fan motors
- Water flow rate
- Air flow rate

<b>Q6</b>	<b>Attempt any two</b>		<b>16</b>
a)	<p><b>Parts of centrifugal pump</b></p> <p>Seal : Centrifugal pump can be provided with packing rings or mechanical seal which helps prevent the leakage of the pumped liquid into the atmosphere.</p>	4	8



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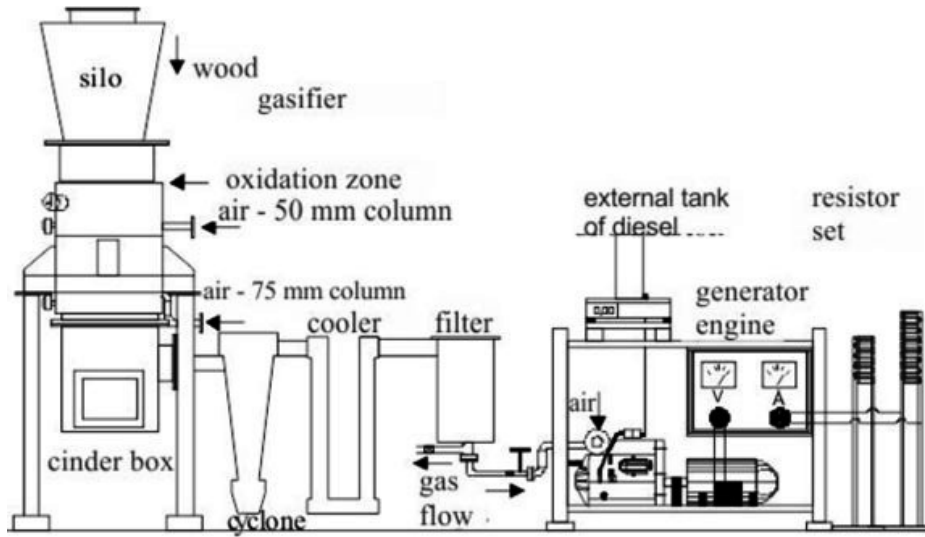
	<p>Shaft :The main function of the shaft in a centrifugal pump is to transmit the input power from the driver into the impeller.</p> <p>Casing: The casing contains the liquid and acts as a pressure containment vessel that directs the flow of liquid in and out of the centrifugal pump.</p> <p>Impeller :Centrifugal pumps use impeller as the primary source for their pumping action. Its function is to increase the pressure of the liquid.</p> <p>Bearing :The function of the bearing is to support the weight of the shaft (rotor) assembly, to carry the hydraulic loads acting on the shaft, and to keep the pump shaft aligned to the shaft of the driver.</p> <p>Suction and discharge nozzles: These are inlet and outlet for pump.</p> 	4	
b)	<p><b>Gasification</b> is a process that converts organic or fossil fuel based carbonaceous materials into carbon monoxide, hydrogen and carbon dioxide. This is achieved by reacting the material at high temperatures (<math>&gt;700\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}</math>), without combustion, with a controlled amount of oxygen and/or steam.</p> <p>A gasifier is a reactor that converts biomass into clean gaseous fuel called producer gas (having calorific value of the order of 1000–1200 kilocalories per normalized cubic metre). Biomass gasifier system optimally utilizes wood for power generation. It consists of a downdraft gasifier, a gas-cleaning train, and an engine. The technological innovation provided users with the option of dual-fuel operation. The existing diesel genset could run on both diesel and</p>	4	8

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producer gas, instead of running only on diesel. The producer gas is fed into the diesel engine to let the engine operate in a dual-fuel mode, thereby reducing diesel consumption by more than 70%

The resulting gas mixture is called syngas (from synthesis gas or synthetic gas) or producer gas and is itself a fuel.

Syngas produced from gasifier is send to generator as afuel. Generator is used to produce power. The power derived from gasification and combustion of the resultant gas is considered to be a source of renewable energy if the gasified compounds were obtained from biomass.



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c)

**Performance assessment of H.E.:**

Step A:

Monitoring and reading of steady state parameters of the H.E. under evaluation are tabulated as below:

parameters	units	inlet	Outlet
Hot fluid flow	Kg/h		
Cold fluid	Kg/h		

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flow			
Hot fluid temp.	Deg. C		
Cold fluid temp.	Deg. C		
Hot fluid P	Bar g		
Cold fluid P	Bar g		

Step B:physical properties of stream can be tabulated as:

parameters	unit	Inlet	outlet
Hot fluid density	Kg/h		
Cold fluid density	Kg/h		
Hot fluid viscosity	MPas		
cold fluid viscosity	MPas		
Hot fluid ther. conductivity	kW/(mK)		
Cold fluid ther. conductivity	kW/(mK)		
Hot fluid heat capacity	KJ/Kg.K		
Cold fluid heat capacity	KJ/Kg.K		

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Step c:



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Calculate the thermal parameters of H.E. & compare with the design data:

parameters	Unit	Test date	Design data
Heat duty	kW		
Hot fluid side P drop	Bar		
Cold fluid side P drop	Bar		
Temp. Range hot fluid	Deg. C		
Temp. Range cold fluid	Deg. C		
Capacity ratio , R	-		
Effectiveness , S	-		
Corrected LMTD	Deg. C		
H.T.Coeff. , U	KW/(m <sup>2</sup> .K)		

Step D:

1) heat duty ,  $Q = Q_s + Q_l$

$Q_s$  = sensible heat ,  $Q_l$  = latent heat

For sensible heat

$Q_s = (m \times C_p \times dT)_{hf}$

$Q_s = (m \times C_p \times dT)_{cf}$

For latent heat



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<p> <math>Ql = (m \times \text{latent heat})_{hf}</math>  <math>Ql = (m \times \text{latent heat})_{cf}</math>            2) Hot fluid side P drop , <math>(dP)_{hf} = P_i - P_o</math>            3) Cold fluid side P drop , <math>(dP)_{cf} = P_i - P_o</math>            4) Temp. Range hot fluid , <math>dT = T_i - T_o</math>            5) Temp. Range cold fluid , <math>dt = t_i - t_o</math>            6) Capacity ratio , <math>R = (T_i - T_o) / (t_o - t_i)</math>            7) Effectiveness , <math>S = (t_o - t_i) / (T_i - t_i)</math>            8) LMTD:            LMTD for counter current flow            LMTD for co-current flow            Correction factor for LMTD,  <math display="block">(R + 1)^{1/2} \times \ln [ (1 - S R) / (1 - S) ]</math>  <math display="block">F = \frac{(R + 1)^{1/2} \times \ln [ (1 - S R) / (1 - S) ]}{(1 - R) \times \ln \{ 2 - S [R + 1 - (R + 1)^{1/2}] / 2 - S [R + 1 + (R + 1)^{1/2}] \}}</math>            9) Corrected LMTD = F x LMTD            10) Overall heat transfer coeff. , <math>U = Q / (A \times \text{Corrected LMTD})</math> </p>	2	
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