

# TURBOMACHINES

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## PART - A

### Unit - 1

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**Introduction:** Definition of a Turbomachine; parts of a Turbomachine; Comparison with positive displacement machine; Classification: Application of First and Second Laws to Turbomachines, Efficiencies. Dimensionless parameters and their physical significance; Effect of Reynolds number; Specific speed; Illustrative examples on dimensional analysis and model studies.

**6 Hours**

**Unit - 2**

**Energy Transfer in Turbo Machine:** Euler Turbine equation; Alternate form of Euler turbine equation – components of energy transfer; Degree of action; General analysis of a Turbo machine – effect of blade discharge angle on energy transfer and degree of reaction; General analysis of centrifugal pumps and compressors – Effect of blade discharge angle on performance; Theoretical head – capacity relationship;

**6 Hours**

**Unit - 3**

**General Analysis of Turbo Machines:** Axial flow compressors and pumps – general expression for degree of reaction; velocity triangles for different values of degree of reaction; General analysis of axial and radial flow turbines – Utilization factor; Vane efficiency; Relation between utilization factor and degree of reaction; condition for maximum utilization factor – optimum blade speed ratio for different types of turbines

**7 Hours**

**Unit - 4**

**Thermodynamics of Fluid Flow and Thermodynamic Analysis of Compression and Expansion Processes:** Sonic velocity and Mach number; Classification of fluid flow based on Mach number; Stagnation and static properties and their relations; Compression process – Overall isentropic efficiency of compression; Stage efficiency; Comparison and relation between overall efficiency and stage efficiency; Polytropic efficiency; Preheat factor; Expansion Process – Overall isentropic efficiency for a turbine; Stage efficiency for a turbine; Comparison and relation between stage efficiency and overall efficiency for expansion process; polytropic efficiency of expansion; Reheat factor for expansion process.

**7 Hours**

## **PART - B**

### **Unit - 5**

**Centrifugal Compressors:** Classification; Expression for overall pressure ratio developed; Blade angles at impeller eye root and eye tip; Slip factor and power input factor; width of the impeller channel; Compressibility effect – need for pre-whirl vanes ;

Diffuser design: Flow in the vaneless space, determination of diffuser inlet vane angle, width and length of the diffuser passages; Surging of centrifugal compressors;

**Axial Flow Compressors:** Classification; Expression for Pressure ratio developed per stage – work done factor, radial equilibrium conditions.

**6 Hours**



## 7 Hours

### Text Books:

1. **An Introduction to energy conversion**, Volume III – Turbo machinery, V. Kadambi and Manohar Prasad, New Age International Publishers (P) Ltd.
2. **“Turbines, Compressors & Fans”**, S. M. Yahya, Tata-McGraw Hill Co., 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition (2002).

### Reference Books:

1. **“Principles of Turbo Machinery”**, D. G. Shepherd, The Macmillan Company (1964)
2. **Fundamentals of Turbomachinery**: William W Perg, John Wiley & Sons, Inc. 2008.
3. **A Text book of Turbomechanics-** M.S.Govindgouda & A.M.Nagaraj-M.M.Publications-IV Edition-2008
4. **“Turbo Machineries”** B. K. Venkanna, PHI.