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A typical Fe_3C alloy containing greater than 0.8% C is known as:-

- Hyper-Eutectoid steel
- Mild steel
- Eutectoid steel
- Hypo-Eutectoid steel

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The maximum theoretical work obtainable, when a system interacts to equilibrium with a reference environment, is called:-

- exergy
- entropy
- energy
- anergy

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If the Poisson's ratio of an elastic material is 0.4, the ratio of modulus of rigidity to Young's modulus is:-

- 0.3
- 0.4
- 0.35
- 0.25

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A two dimensional fluid element rotates like a rigid body. At a point within the element, the pressure is 1 unit. Radius of the Mohr's circle, characterizing the state at that point, is:-

- 2 unit
- 1 unit
- 0 unit
- 0.5 unit

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The longitudinal joint in a boiler shell is usually:-

- butt joint
- butt joint with single cover plate

- lap joint
- butt joint with two cover plates

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The key that transmits power through frictional resistance is:-

- saddle key
- barth key
- tangent key
- Kennedy key

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The fatigue life of a part can be improved by:-

- electroplating
- coating
- polishing
- shot-peening

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Coriolis's component acts:-

- along sliding surfaces
- perpendicular to sliding surfaces
- somewhere in between above two
- unpredictable

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A body of weight 100 N falls freely a vertical distance of 50 m. The atmospheric drag force is 0.5N. The work interaction (in J) is:-

- +25
- +5000
- 25
- 5000

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The natural frequency of a spring mass system on earth is ω_n . The natural frequency of this system on the moon ($g_{\text{moon}} = g_{\text{earth}}/6$) is:-

- $0.408 \omega_n$

- 0.204 ωn
- ωn
- 0.167 ωn

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A gas turbine cycle with infinitely large number of stages during compression and expansion leads to:-

- Atkinson cycle
- Ericsson cycle
- Stirling cycle
- Brayton cycle

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The load taken by a laminated spring to make it flat is called:-

- Maximum safe load
- bending load
- Proof load
- ultimate load

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The parameters which determines the friction factor for turbulent flow in a rough pipe are air temperature of IC engine increases, efficiency will:-

- Mach number and relative roughness
- Froude number and relative roughness
- Froude number and Mach number
- Reynolds number and relative roughness

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The dimension of surface tension is:-

- W/m
- N/m²
- J/m
- J/m²

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If x is the distance measured from the leading edge of a flat plate, then laminar boundary layer thickness varies as:-

- $x^{1/2}$
- $x^{4/5}$
- x^2
- $1/x$

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The function, $y = x^2 + (250/x)$ at $x = 5$ attains:-

- maximum
- 1
- minimum
- none of the above

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What is the derivative of $f(x) = |x|$ at $x=0$?

- 1
- 0
- 1
- does not exist

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A steel ball of mass 1 kg and specific heat 0.4 kJ/kg is at a temperature of 60°C. It is drop into 1 kg of water at 20°C. The final steady state temperature of water (in °C) is:-

- 40
- 30
- 35
- 23.5

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Navier-Stokes equation represent the conservation of:-

- Pressure
- Energy
- Momentum
- Mass

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At the triple point of a pure substance, the number of degrees of freedom is:-

- 3
- 2
- 0
- 1

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A thin gas cylinder with an internal radius of 100 mm is subject to an internal pressure of 10 MPa. The maximum permissible working stress is restricted to 100 Mpa. The minimum cylinder wall thickness (in mm) for safe design must be:-

- 8
- 10
- 8.5
- 10.5

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A cycle consisting of two reversible isothermal processes and two reversible isobaric processes is known as:-

- Brayton cycle
- Erricson cycle
- Atkinson cycle
- Stirling cycle

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1 kg of water at room temperature is brought into contact with a high temperature thermal reservoir. The entropy change of the universe is:-

- equal to zero
- always positive
- equal to entropy change of water
- equal to entropy change of the reservoir

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The brake commonly used on train boggies is:-

- band and block brake
- internal expanding
- band brake

- shoe brake

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Area bounded by the parabola $2y = x^2$ and the line $x = y - 4$ is equal to:-

- 18
- 24
- 6
- none of the above

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The predominant forces acting on an element of fluid in the boundary layer over a flat plate in a uniform, parallel stream are:-

- viscous and body forces
- viscous and pressure forces
- viscous and inertia forces
- inertia and pressure forces

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If the radius of wire stretched by a load is doubled, then its Young's modulus will:-

- become four times
- be halved
- be doubled
- remain unaffected

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The number of independent elastic constants required to define the stress-strain relationship for an isotropic elastic solid is:-

- 3
- 1
- 2
- 4

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LMTD in case of counter flow heat exchanger compared to parallel flow will be:-

- more
- less

- same
- depending on other factors

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The Bifilar suspension method is used to determine:-

- MOI of irregular geometries
- position of balancing weights
- MOI of regular geometries
- natural frequency of vibration

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Loss of head due to friction in a pipe of uniform diameter with viscous flow is equal to:-

- $4/Re$
- $1/Re$
- Re
- $16/Re$

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The hardness testing method which does not involve resistance to plastic deformation is:-

- Shore scleroscope
- Brinell
- Vickers
- Rockwell

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Effect of the force on a body depends upon:-

- magnitude
- direction
- position or Line of action
- all of the above

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Kinematic viscosity of air at 20°C is given to be $1.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$. its kinematic viscosity (in m^2/s) at 70°C will be varying approximately:-

- 3.2×10^{-5}

- 1.2×10^{-5}
- 1.6×10^{-5}
- 2.2×10^{-5}

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Practically the sensitiveness of Watt and Porter governor are:-

- Same
- double
- 4 times
- half

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A solid circular shaft of 60 mm diameter transmits a torque of 1600 N-m. The value of maximum shear (in MPa) developed is:-

- 47.72
- 67.72
- 57.72
- 37.72

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Which of the following is not a vector quantity?

- acceleration
- moment
- velocity
- weight

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American standard thread have the angle equal to:-

- 55°
- 58°
- 60°
- 29°

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A steam turbine receives steam steadily at 10 bar with an enthalpy of 3000 kJ/kg and discharges at 1 bar with an enthalpy of 2700 kJ/kg. The work output is 250 kJ/kg. Neglect the kinetic and potential energy changes. The heat transfer (in kJ/kg) from the turbine casing to the surrounding is equal to:-

- 0
- 50
- 150
- 250

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In the Rankine cycle, when superheated steam is used:-

- thermal efficiency increases
- steam consumption decreases
- steam dryness after expansion increases
- all of the above

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Thickness of strap for double strap joint in terms of thickness of plate t is equal to:-

- 0.3t to 0.5t
- 1.3t to 2t
- 0.6t to t
- 1.2t

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A Carnot cycle is having an efficiency of 0.75. If the temperature of the high temperature reservoir is 727°C, what is the temperature (in °C) of low temperature reservoir?

- 23
- 0
- 250
- 23

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Resonance occurs in a vibrating system when the natural frequency is forced frequency.

- lesser than
- greater than
- equal to
- greater than or equal to

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For a given set of operating pressure limits in a Rankine cycle, the highest thermal efficiency occurs for:-

- saturated cycle
- reheat cycle
- superheated cycle
- regenerative cycle

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For a simply supporting beam on two end supports the bending moment is maximum:-

- where there is no shear force
- at maximum deflection point
- usually on the supports
- always at mid span

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Existence of velocity potential implies that:-

- fluid is in continuum
- fluid is ideal
- fluid is compressible
- fluid is irrotational

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A gas is stored in a cylindrical tank of inner radius 7 m and wall thickness 50 mm. The gage pressure of the gas is 2 MPa. The maximum shear stress (in MPa) in the wall is:-

- 280
- 70
- 35
- 140

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The difference in pressure (in N/mm^2) across an air bubble of diameter 0.001 m immersed in water (surface tension = 0.072 N/m) is:-

- 140
- 728
- 288

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A solar energy based heat engine which receives 80 kJ of heat at 100°C and rejects 70 kJ of heat to the ambient at 30°C is to be designed. The thermal efficiency (in %) of heat engine is:-

- 70
- 28.2
- 12.5
- 18.8

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A single-acting two stage compressor with complete intercooling delivers air at 16 bar. Assuming an intake state of 1 bar at 15°C, the pressure ratio per stage is:-

- 16
- 4
- 2
- 8

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Matrix $B = A^T$, where A is any matrix is:-

- skew symmetric
- another general matrix
- symmetric about secondary diagonal
- always symmetric

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If a suspended body is struck at the centre of percussion, then the pressure on the axis passing through the point of suspension will be:-

- infinity
- zero
- minimum
- maximum

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For a long slender column of uniform cross section, the ratio of critical buckling load for the case with both ends clamped to the case with both ends hinged is:-

- 4

- 3
- 1
- 2

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A pump handling a liquid raises its pressure from 1 bar to 30 bar. Take the density of liquid as 990 kg/m^3 . The isentropic specific work done by the pump (in kJ/kg) is:-

- 0.1
- 0.3
- 2.5
- 2.93

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A typewriter mechanism has 7 numbers of binary joints, six links and none of higher pairs. The mechanism is:-

- not at all formed
- not sound
- kinematically sound
- none of the above

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Thermosetting plastics are joined by:-

- adhesive welding
- ultrasonic welding
- friction welding
- hot air welding

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When a heat is transferred by molecular collision, it is referred to as heat transfer by:-

- radiation
- convection
- conduction
- both conduction and radiation

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For fluid element in a 2D flow field (x-y plane) it will undergo:-

- deformation only fuel
- translation and rotation
- translation and deformation
- translation only

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Heat transfer takes place as per:-

- zeroth law of thermodynamics
- second law of thermodynamics
- first law of thermodynamics
- third law of thermodynamics

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A condenser of a refrigeration system rejects heat at a rate of 120 kW, while its compressor consumes a power of 30 kW. The COP of the system would be:-

- 4
- 1/4
- 1/3
- 3

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A dummy activity is used in PERT network to describe:-

- resource restriction
- resource idleness
- precedence relationship
- necessary time delay

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All bodies above absolute zero temperature emit radiation. This statement is:-

- Planck's law
- Wein's law
- Prevost theory
- Stefan's law

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For steady heat transfer with constant value of thermal conductivity, the temperature distribution in a plane wall will be:-

- hyperbolic
- linear
- parabolic
- cubic

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Angle made by the face of tool on the plain parallel to the base of the cutting tool is called:-

- lip angle
- clearance angle
- rake angle
- cutting angle

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In the relation for cutting tool life $VT^n = C$, the numerical value of n for high speed steel tools vary in the range:-

- 0.25 to 0.4
- 0.4 to 0.55
- 0.2 to 0.25
- 0.1 to 0.15

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Consumable electrode are used in the process:-

- MIG
- TIG
- laser
- thermit

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In chemical milling process, chemical etching reagent is used. The chemical reagent for aluminium work piece is:-

- caustic soda
- sodium sulphate
- nitric acid
- sodium chloride

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CPM is:-

- time oriented technique
- activity oriented technique
- work oriented technique
- event oriented technique

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In deep drawing of sheets, the values of limiting draw ratio depends on:-

- thickness of sheet
- yield strength of sheet metal
- type of press used materials
- % elongation of sheet metal

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In ECM, the material removal is due to:-

- ion displacement
- fusion
- corrosion
- erosion

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In simplex method, when all the basic variables are greater than zero (>0), the solution is called as:-

- a) non-degenerate
- b) degenerate
- c) basic solution
- d) both (a) and (c)

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Emissivity of a body is equal to absorptivity if the body is:-

- in thermal equilibrium
- at low temperature
- at high temperature
- independent of temperature

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Two cutters are mounted on the arbour so that two faces are machined simultaneously in:-

- straddle milling
- pendulum milling
- gang milling
- profile milling

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The mathematical technique for finding the best use of limited resources in an optimum manner is called:-

- queuing theory
- operation research
- linear programming
- network analysis

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Cutting ratio is the ratio of:-

- chip thickness to depth of cut
- depth of cut to chip thickness
- cutting velocity to chip velocity
- chip velocity to cutting velocity

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A hole '1 mm' is to be drilled in glass. It could best be done by:-

- electro-beam drilling
- plasma arc drilling
- ultrasonic drilling
- laser drilling

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The thickness of thermal and hydrodynamic boundary layer is equal if (Pr = Prandtl number; Nu = Nusselt number):-

- $Pr = Nu$
- $Pr > 1$
- $Pr < 1$

- Pr = 1

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The word KANBAN is most appropriately associated with:-

- just-in-time production
 economic order quantity
 capacity planning
 product design

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Continuous chips are formed during machining of:-

- cast iron
 mild steel
 aluminium
 wrought iron

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Critical thickness of insulation for sphere is given by:-

- k/h
 $2k/h$
 $h/2k$
 $k/4\pi h$

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In an atom, the mass of electron in comparison to neutron is:-

- 1/152
 1/1839
 1/12645
 same

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Ozone layer depletion indicates the impairment of:-

- ionosphere
 troposphere
 stratosphere

- lithosphere

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The sub cooling in a refrigeration cycle:-

- increases work of compression
- increases COP
- reduces condenser size
- reduce cooling

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The working substance that is not enlisted as cryogenic fluid is :-

- helium
- hydrogen
- oxygen
- ammonia

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The engine that is mostly preferred when the overhead clearance is less is:-

- V-type
- horizontal
- in-line radial
- vertical

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Steam exhaust from high pressure turbine is reheated in:-

- economizer
- a separate coil
- boiler drum
- super heater tubes

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If a refrigerant having low specific heat, then COP will be:-

- same
- independent of specific heat
- higher

- lower

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A room contains 35 kg of dry air and 0.5 g of water vapour. The total pressure and temperature of air in the room are 100 kPa and 25°C respectively. Given that the saturation pressure for water at 25°C is 3.17 kPa, the relative humidity of the air in the room is:-

- 83%
- 71%
- 67%
- 55%

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The refrigerant that has comparatively higher GWP is:-

- carbon dioxide
- R152a
- R134a
- R32

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The enthalpy drop in a convergent-divergent nozzle is 420 kJ/kg. The velocity at the exit of the nozzle at ideal conditions will be around:-

- 916 m/s
- 335 m/s
- 659 m/s
- 1165 m/s

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In a four-wheeler automobile vehicle, the mechanical power from the gear box to rear axle is transmitted through:-

- clutch
- propeller shaft
- chain drive
- universal joint

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The brake mean effective pressure of an IC engine with increasing speed will:-

- decrease

- increase
- fluctuate according to engine speed
- remain unaffected

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A Ljungstrom turbine is:-

- an outward radial flow turbine
- pressure compounded turbine
- an inward radial flow turbine
- velocity compounded turbine

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For unsaturated air, the dew point temperature as compared to wet bulb temperature is :-

- less
- more
- unpredictable
- equal

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Use of petrol in a diesel engine causes:-

- incomplete combustion
- higher knocking
- production of black smoke
- lower thermal efficiency

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The pressure in the gland steam header for sealing the glands of low pressure steam turbine is maintained at:-

- atmospheric pressure
- 2 - 5 bar
- around 710 - 760 water column
- around 100 - 200 water column

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The boiler in which the steam generated has a temperature and pressure of 700°C and 310 bar respectively is known as:-

- critical boiler
- ultra super-critical boiler
- super-critical boiler
- sub-critical boiler

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Sensible heat factor is defined as the ratio of:-

- latent heat to sensible heat
- latent heat to total heat
- sensible heat to total heat
- sensible heat to latent heat

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The function of a distributor in a multi-cylinder engine of an automobile is to:-

- distribute fuel equally to all cylinder
- time the spark
- regulate power
- inject fuel at appropriate time

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The delay period in petrol engine is of the order of:-

- 0.002 s
- 0.05 s
- 0.001 s
- 0.01 s