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**VII SEMESTER B.TECH (ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING)**  
**MAKE-UP EXAMINATIONS, DECEMBER 2017**

**SUBJECT: BUILDING AUTOMATION SYSTEMS [ELE 4016]**

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Date: 30 December 2017**

**Max. Marks: 50**

**Instructions to Candidates:**

- ❖ Answer **ALL** the questions.
- ❖ Missing data may be suitably assumed.
- ❖ Psychrometric Chart is available on the back side of this question paper

- 1A. What are the implementation issues of integrator term in the controller? How to address them? (06)
- 1B. What are the different techniques used for computing controller settings? (04)
- 2A. What is relative humidity? What is its importance? How does dry bulb temperature and wet bulb temperature indicate relative humidity? (04)
- 2B. Explain the working of transit time ultrasonic flowmeter. What are its disadvantages? (03)
- 2C. Write a short note on thermal comfort indices (03)
- 3A. Draw the block diagram of chiller and explain vapour compression refrigeration system (06)
- 3B. Solve the following psychrometric numerical
  - i. Outdoor air at 34°C DB and 24°C WB is to be mixed with return air at 24°C and 50% RH. Find the percentage of outdoor air that must be used if the resulting mixture is to be at 21°C WB.
  - ii. Heated air at 50°C and 10% relative humidity is used to dry rice in a bin dryer. The air exits the bin under saturated conditions. Determine the amount of water removed per kg of dry air. (04)
- 4A. What are the factors that affect 'daylight factor' in a space? (04)
- 4B. How does cooling tower aid the vapour compression refrigeration cycle? (02)
- 4C. What are the different HVAC components? Mention one objective of each component (04)
- 5A. Draw the architecture of building management system (02)
- 5B. What is direct digital control? How can DDC be beneficial over analog control? (04)
- 5C. Write a short note on exterior shading and control devices used for daylighting (04)

ASHRAE PSYCHROMETRIC CHART NO. 1

NORMAL TEMPERATURE SEA LEVEL

BAROMETRIC PRESSURE  
101.325 kPa.

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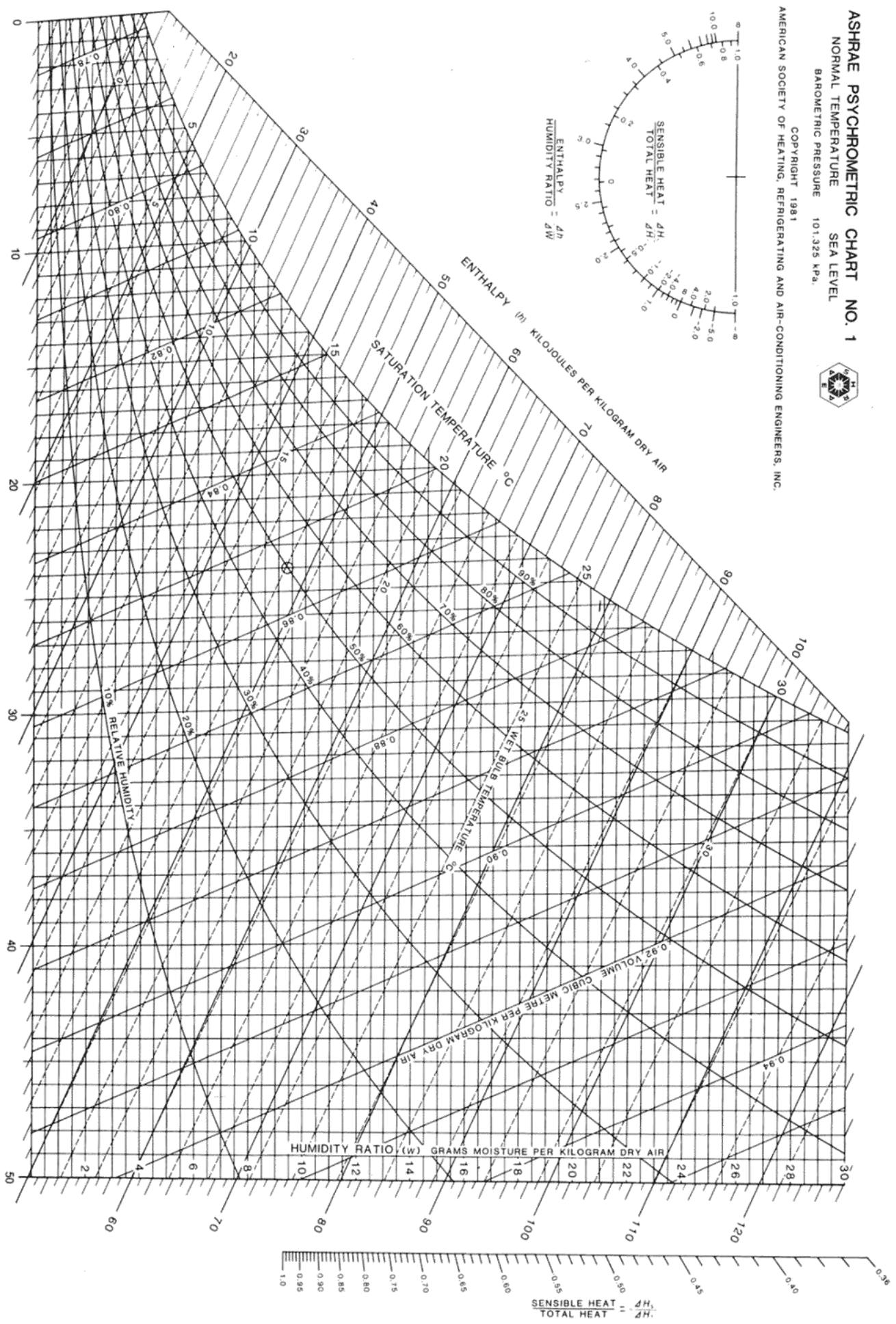


Chart 1b