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Subject Name: Aircraft Structures I

Time: 10:30 AM to 01:00 PM

Total Marks: 70

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Instructions:

- 1. Attempt all questions.
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1	(a) (b)	A truss is considered as deficient or unstable truss if The total degree of freedom at each joint in case of plane truss is	01 01
	(c) (d) (e)	The external degree of redundancy of beams is given by Conjugate beam method is a modified form of The strain energy due to sudden load is times the strain energy due to gradual load.	01 01 01
	(f) (g)	The elastic energy stored due to shear loading is known as The effective length of a long column having one end fixed and other end free is	01 01
	(h)	The number of vibration cycles completed in one second is referred as	01
	(i)	In actual structure, if the support is fixed then it is modified to in conjugate beam.	01
	(j)	The ratio of effective length of column to radius of gyration is referred as	01
	(k)	For the statically determinate structure, the value of S.I. is always	01
	(l) (m)	The differential equation of the elastic curve is given by ——— The angle through which the cross-section rotates with respect to the original position is called as ————	01 01
	(n)	The axis of the loaded beam that bends in a curve is known as	01
Q.2	(a)	Differentiate: Simple Truss, Compound Truss and Complex Truss with suitable sketch.	03
	(b) (c)	State and Explain "Maxwell's Reciprocal Theorem" Analyse the plane truss shown in Figure-1 using Tension Coefficient Method.	04 07
		OR	
	(c)	Define the terms: Static Indeterminacy and Kinematic Indeterminacy. Find the S.I and K.I of a plane frame as shown in Figure-2.	07
Q.3	(a) (b)	State the Principle of Virtual Work. Define the term Effective Length of Column. Draw the probable sketch which represent the buckled shape of the column with different support conditions	03 04
	(c)	Determine the deflections under the position of loads for the beam shown in Figure-3. Take $E = 200$ GPa, $I = 160 \times 10^6$ mm ⁴ . Use any method.	07

Q.3	(a)	Explain the Principle of Super position with its statement.	03
	(b)	Enlist various methods to find slope and deflection. Mention the	04
		assumptions required for deriving the differential equation.	
	(c)	A beam AB of 4.0 m span is simply supported at the ends and is loaded	07
		as shown in Figure-4. Determine (i) Deflection at C, (ii) Maximum	
		deflection, and (iii) Slope at the end A. Take the value of	
		$E = 200 \text{ x } 10^6 \text{ kN/m}^2$, $I = 20 \text{ x } 10^{-6} \text{ m}^4$. Use Macaulay's Method.	
Q.4	(a)	Define: Time Period, Amplitude and Natural Frequency	03
	(b)	Differentiate between: Column and Strut	04
	(c)	A bar 54 mm in diameter is 4 m long. An axial load of 180 kN is	07
		suddenly applied to it. Find maximum instantaneous stress, maximum	
		instantaneous elongation and the work stored in the bar.	
		Take $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$.	
		OR	
Q.4	(a)	Explain Simple Harmonic Motion for the vibratory body.	03
	(b)	State the assumptions and limitations of Euler's Theory of Column	04
		Buckling.	
	(c)	A strut 2.5 m long is 60 mm in diameter. One end of the strut is fixed	07
		while its other end is hinged. Find the safe load for the member using	
		Euler's Theory, allowing Factor of Safety as 3.5.	
		Take $E = 2.1 \times 10^{5} \text{ N/mm}^{2}$.	
Q.5	(a)	Define: Crushing Load, Slenderness Ratio and Radius of Gyration.	03
	(b)	Derive the differential equation of deflected curve with neat sketch.	04
	(c)	An I-Section has 260 mm depth and 120 mm width. Thickness of flange	07
		and web is 10 mm. It is used as a column with one end fixed and other	
		hinged using Euler's Formula. Determine Safe Load using $FOS = 3$ and	
		length of column = 8.0 m. Take $E = 2 \times 10^{3} \text{ N/mm}^{2}$.	
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Q.5	(a)	Explain D Alembert's Principle.	03
	(D)	A nonow rectangular column naving outside dimensions 200 mm x 150	04

- mm and inside dimensions 150 mm x 100 mm. It's length is 6.0 m and both ends are fixed. Find the Euler's Load if $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$. A solid circular shaft is subjected to a bending moment of 30 kN-m and 07 (c) a torque of 15 kN-m. Design the diameter of the shaft according to
- maximum principle stress theory. Take stress at elastic limit as 200 N/mm^2 and Factor of safety as 2.



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Figure-2



Figure-3

Figure-4