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BE SEMESTER-VI • EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2015

Subject Code: 160602 Subject Name: APPLIED FLUID MECHANICS Time: 10.30AM-01.00PM Instructions: Date: 04/0 Total Material Control of the Cont			04/05/2015	
			: 70	
	2.	Attempt all questions. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary. Figures to the right indicate full marks.		
Q.1	(a) (b)	Obtain the Hagen-Poiseuille equation for viscous flow through a circular pipe. Explain boundary layer growth over a flat plate. Also explain causes of flow separation from a solid boundary.	07 07	
Q.2	(a)	Calculate (i) the discharge per meter width (ii) pressure difference between two points 5 m apart and (iii) velocity gradient and (iv) velocity at 2 mm from plate for oil of viscosity 18 poise flowing between two parallel plates kept 10mm	07	
	(b)	apart, consider that the maximum velocity at the centre of plate = 1.8 m/s. Draw the specific energy curve for constant discharge in an open channel. Explain the terms critical flow, sub critical and supercritical flow in terms of Froude number.	07	
		OR		
	(b)	Calculate the displacement thickness, momentum thickness and energy	07	
		thickness for the velocity distribution $\frac{u}{V} = \frac{y}{\delta}$ for a flat plate boundary.		
Q.3	(a)	Explain the drag and lift force component on a submerged object. What do you understand by Magnus effect?	07	
	(b)	Water flows in a rectangular channel having Manning roughness coefficient n = 0.017. The channel slope is 1 in 7000. If the bottom width is 5 m and depth of flow is 1.1 m, calculate the discharge in the channel. Also calculate the specific energy and critical depth.	07	
		OR		
Q.3	(a)	What is a hydraulic jump? Discuss the various types of jump based on Froude number.	07	
	(b)	Draw a neat sketch showing the elements of a hydroelectric plant. Discuss the components of Pelton turbine in detail.	07	
Q.4	(a)	A Pelton turbine develops 2500kW under a head of 200 m. Considering a speed ratio of 0.43, coefficient of velocity = 0.97 and specific speed of 17, calculate (i) the diameter of Pelton wheel and (ii) jet diameter. Take overall efficiency = 85%.	07	
	(b)	What is the function of a draft tube? Also sketch the different type of draft tubes.	07	
0.4	(a)	OR What is a backwater curve? Calculate the length of backwater curve.	07	
Q.4	(a)	What is a backwater curve? Calculate the length of backwater curve considering that the depth increases from 3 m to 5 m in a river having width of 85m. The roughness coefficient may be taken as 0.035 and channel bottom slope of 1 in 3000.	U/	
	(b)	Discuss the terms specific speed, unit speed, unit discharge and unit power for a turbine.	07	

Q.5 (a) What are the general requirements of a ventilation system? Differentiate

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	(b)	between natural and mechanical ventilation system. Explain the Buckingham's π - theorem in dimensional analysis.	07
		OR	
Q.5	(a)	Explain the terms geometric similarity, kinematic similarity and dynamic similarity for physical models.	07
	(b)	What do you understand by cavitation of a hydraulic machine? How can we prevent cavitation of hydraulic machines?	07
