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BE - SEMESTER-VII • EXAMINATION - WINTER 2013

Subject Code: 170101 Date: 26-11-2013 Subject Name: Aircraft Design-I Time: 10.30 AM - 01.00 PM **Total Marks: 70 Instructions:** 1. Attempt all questions. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary. 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks. (a) Define-Payload, Maximum Take-Off Weight, Maximum Landing Weight, **Q.1** 07 Trapped fuel, Reserved Fuel, Maximum Ramp Weight, Maximum Zero Fuel Weight. **(b)** Explain the procedure to design conventional tail. 07 **Q.2** Explain method to design geometrical parameters of aircraft fuselage of public 07 transport aircraft. (b) Explain importance of V, Inverted V, H, T, Cruciform, Conventional Tail and 07 canards. OR What considerations will you take to design a military transport aircraft? 07 0.3 Discuss effect of wing loading on landing performance. 07 **(b)** What considerations will you take to design all primary control surfaces? 07 OR 0.3 Explain principles of aerodynamic and mass balancing of primary control (a) **07** surfaces. 07 **(b)** Explain factors affecting weight of horizontal and vertical stabilizers. 0.4 Explain the procedure to estimate T_{max}/W_o and W_o/S_w . 07 (a) With vector diagrams and neat sketches explain cyclic and collective pitch **07 (b)** control mechanism of main rotor. **Q.4** Discuss required engine location and engine selection for jet aircrafts. 07 **(b)** Discuss considerations to locate fuel tanks for fighters and commercial jet 07 airliners. **Q.5** What are interring relationship among stalling speed, approach speed, take-off **07** (a) speed, cruising speed and Maximum cruising speed? (b) What are general considerations to design configurations of personal utility **07** aircraft? OR **Q.5** What are general considerations to design configurations of gliders or 07 (a) sailplanes? **(b)** Discuss necessary six parameters to start aircraft conceptual design. 07
