

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****M. E. I<sup>ST</sup> Semester–Remedial Examination – July- 2011****Subject code: 712001N****Subject Name: Advanced Structural Analysis****Date: 07/07/2011****Time: 10:30 am – 01:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

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

- Q.1** (a) Write the flowchart OR subprogramme for solving simultaneous equations. **07**
- (b) Differentiate between stiffness matrix and flexibility matrix methods giving their merits and demerits. **07**

- Q.2** (a) Discuss how shear deformations can be included in analysis of the structures. In which structures one should include the shear deformations for better analysis? **07**
- (b) Derive the stiffness matrix for a beam element when the shear deformations are to be included. **07**

**OR**

- (b) What is nonlinearity? How the structure can be analyzed for elastic nonlinearity? **07**

- Q.3** (a) For the structure as shown in the figure.1 create the flexibility matrix assuming the moment at A and reaction at B as unknown. The flexural rigidity of all the members is  $20000\text{kN-m}^2$  and support B settles by 0.02m. **07**
- (b) For the above structure derive the nodal displacement vector and hence analyze the structure and draw the final bending moment diagram. **07**

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) For the structure as shown in the figure.2 create the flexibility matrix assuming reactions at D as unknown. Assume that all the members have equal flexural rigidity. **07**
- (b) For the above structure derive the nodal displacement vector and hence analyze the structure and draw the final bending moment diagram. **07**

- Q.4** (a) For the structure as shown in the figure.1 create the stiffness matrix. The flexural rigidity of all the members is  $20000\text{kN-m}^2$  and support B settles by 0.02m. **07**
- (b) For the above structure derive the load vector and hence analyze the structure and draw the final bending moment diagram. **07**

**OR**

- Q.4** (a) For the structure as shown in the figure.3 create the stiffness matrix. Assume that all the members are having same flexural rigidity. **07**

- (b) For the above structure derive the load vector and hence analyze the structure and draw the final bending moment diagram. 07

**Q.5 (a)** Analyze the structure as shown in figure.4 by flexibility matrix method assuming that all the members have equal area and tabulate the forces in all the members. 07

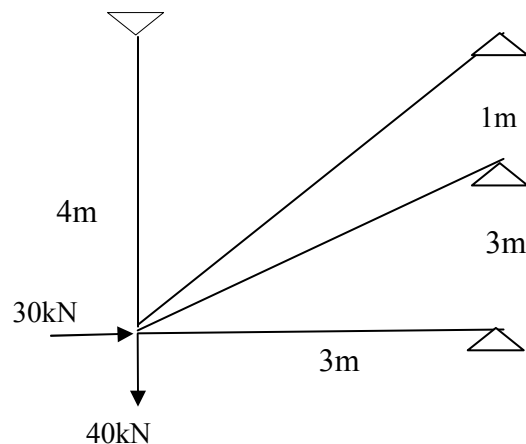
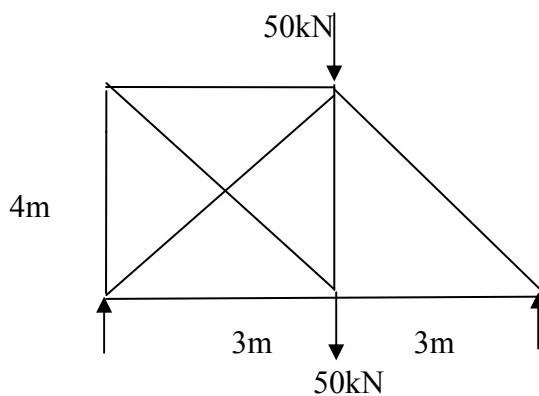
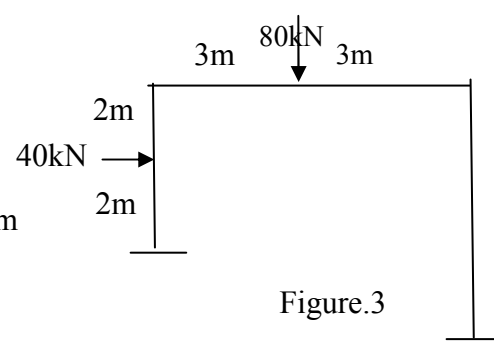
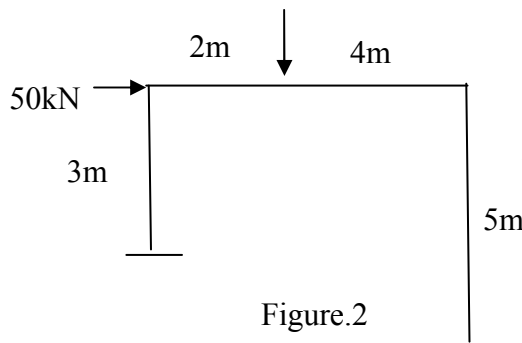
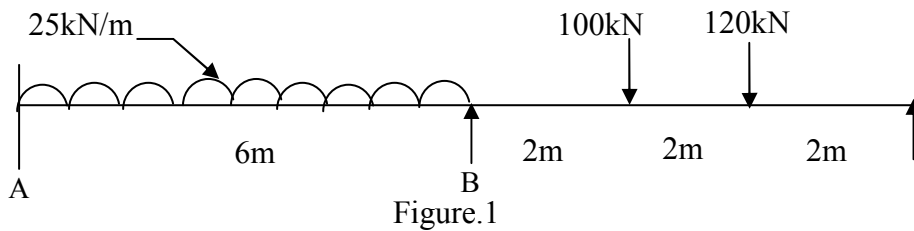
- (b) Derive the flexibility matrix for the structure shown in the figure.2 if the axial deformation is to be included. Assume the values of  $E=2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $b=200 \text{ mm}$  and  $d=300 \text{ mm}$ . 07

**OR**

**Q.5 (a)** Analyze the structure shown in the figure.5 by stiffness matrix method and tabulate the forces in the members. 07

- (b) Derive the final stiffness matrix for the structure shown in the figure.3 if the axial deformation is to be included. Assume the values of  $E=2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $b=200 \text{ mm}$  and  $d=300 \text{ mm}$ . 07

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