

2. CENTROID

1. C. G of a body is the point thorough which, in whatever position the body is placed, passes the line of action of the
 - a. Resultant of the forces exerted by the attraction of the earth upon its constituent parts
 - b. Resultant of the forces acting on it.
 - c. Both of the above.
 - d. None of the above
2. The centroid of a plane lamina will not be at its geometrical centre if it is a
 - a. Circle
 - b. Equilateral triangle
 - c. Square placed with one diagonal horizontal
 - d. Right angled triangle
3. Centroid of composite figure can be determined by
 - a. Analytical method
 - b. Graphical method
 - c. Both
 - d. None
4. Which of the following statement is correct?
 - a. An irregular body can have more than one C.G.
 - b. The C.G. of triangle lies at a point where any two medians meet each other.
 - c. The C.G. of triangle lies at a point where the bisectors of all three angles meet.
 - d. All of above
5. The centroid of an isosceles triangle with base 'a' and sides 'b' is _____ from its base.
 - a. $\left(\frac{1}{6}\sqrt{4b^2 - a^2}\right)$
 - b. $\left(\frac{1}{6}\sqrt{4a^2 - b^2}\right)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{a^2 - b^2}{4}\right)$
 - d. $\left(\frac{a^2 + b^2}{4}\right)$
6. The centroid of an equilateral triangle with each side a is _____ from any of the three sides.
 - a. $\left(\sqrt{\frac{3a}{2}}\right)$
 - b. $(2\sqrt{3}a)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{a}{2\sqrt{3}}\right)$
 - d. $(3\sqrt{2}a)$
7. A triangle of height 'r' and base '2r' is removed from a semicircular lamina of radius 'r'. Distance of centroid of remaining area from base is,
 - a. 0.5 r
 - b. 0.424 r
 - c. 0.584 r
 - d. 0.33 r
8. Circular hole of radius 'r' is cut out from a circular disc of radius '2r' in such a way that diameter of hole is radius of disc. The centroid lies at
 - a. Centre of disc
 - b. Centre of hole
 - c. Somewhere in the disc
 - d. Somewhere in the hole
9. The angle made by side of a square lamina with horizontal if suspended freely from a corner is,
 - a. 30°
 - b. 45°
 - c. 90°
 - d. Zero
10. The centroidal distance of a quarter circular area along its line of symmetry is
 - a. $\left(\frac{4r}{3\pi}\right)$
 - b. $\left(\frac{3r}{4\pi}\right)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{4\pi}{3r}\right)$
 - d. $\left(\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{4r}{3\pi}\right)$
11. The centroidal distance for the arc of a circle of radius 'r' and total angle '2 α ' from 'O' is
 - a. $\left(\frac{2r \sin \alpha}{3 \alpha}\right)$
 - b. $\left(\frac{r \sin \alpha}{\alpha}\right)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{4r \sin \alpha}{3 \alpha}\right)$
 - d. $\left(\frac{3r \sin \alpha}{4 \alpha}\right)$
12. The centroid of an equilateral triangle of side 'a' with one side parallel to x-axis is
 - a. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{\sqrt{6}}\right)$
 - b. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{\sqrt{12}}\right)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{\sqrt{24}}\right)$
 - d. $\left(\frac{a}{2}, \frac{a}{3}\right)$
13. Assuming a square of side 'a' to be made up of two right angle triangles, then the distance of centroid of each triangle with respect to diagonal is
 - a. $\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$
 - b. $\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$
 - c. $\left(\frac{\sqrt{2} a}{3}\right)$
 - d. $\left(\frac{a}{\sqrt{18}}\right)$
14. A rectangular plate of 4m x 3m is suspended from one of its corners. In suspended position the angle made by its longer side with vertical is,
 - a. 43.13°
 - b. 36.87°
 - c. 53.13°
 - d. 45°
15. C.G. of a thin hollow cone lies on the axis of symmetry at a height of
 - a. One half of the total height
 - b. One third of the total height
 - c. One fourth of the total height
 - d. None of these.
16. If 'r' is radius of a hemisphere then C.G. of solid hemisphere will lie on the line of symmetry at a distance of _____ from plane base

- a. $\left(\frac{3r}{4\pi}\right)$
 b. $\left(\frac{4r}{3\pi}\right)$
 c. $\left(\frac{3r}{8}\right)$
 d. $\left(\frac{5r}{8}\right)$
17. The C.G. of a solid cone from its apex on line of symmetry is
 a. $\left(\frac{3h}{4}\right)$
 b. $\left(\frac{4h}{3}\right)$
 c. $\left(\frac{2h}{3}\right)$
 d. $\left(\frac{h}{4}\right)$
18. The C.G. of hemisphere of radius 'r' from its base along its line of symmetry is
 a. $\left(\frac{r}{8}\right)$
 b. $\left(\frac{r}{2}\right)$
 c. $\left(\frac{3r}{8}\right)$
 d. $\left(\frac{4r}{3}\right)$
19. A semicircular plate is suspended from one of the ends of its diameter. The angle made by diameter with vertical in suspended position is,
 a. 45°
 b. 23°
 c. 67°
 d. 32.5°
20. A semicircular uniform rod is suspended from one of the ends. The angle made by diameter with horizontal in suspended position is :
 a. 45°
 b. 23°
 c. 57.5°
 d. 32.5°
21. Out of the following which are the examples of distributed forces?
 I) A load which is continuously along the length of a cable suspended between two supports
 II) Water pressure acting against the face of the dam
 III) self weight of a prismatic bar supported at its ends
 IV) The sand piled along the beam with variable depth
 a. only I is correct
 b. I and II are correct
 c. I, II and III are correct
 d. All are correct
22. For a plane figure having two axes of symmetry, the centroid lies on
 a. lies on horizontal axis
 b. lies on vertical axis
 c. lies on intersection point of two axes
 d. not on any axis
23. The centroid 'c' is a point which defines the _____ of an object
 a. Area
 b. Volume
 c. Geometric centre
 d. all of the above
24. A trapezoid having two parallel sides 'a' and 'b' and height 'h'. The Y centroidal distance from bottom side 'b' is,
 a. $\left(0.5h \frac{b+2a}{b+a}\right)$
 b. $\left(0.5h \frac{b-2a}{b+a}\right)$
 c. $\left(\frac{h(b+2a)}{3(b+a)}\right)$
 d. $\left(\frac{h(b-2a)}{3(b-a)}\right)$
25. A parabolic lamina of base 10 cm and height 5 cm is given by the equation $\left(y = \frac{hx^2}{a^2}\right)$. The y centroidal distance is
 a. 1.5 cm
 b. 1.67 cm
 c. 3.75 cm
 d. 6.67 cm
26. If a parabolic area of height 'h' is symmetric about y-axis, the centroidal x co-ordinate is
 a. $\left(\frac{3h}{10}\right)$
 b. zero
 c. $\left(\frac{3h}{5}\right)$
 d. $\left(\frac{3a}{8}\right)$
27. The centroidal distance of of an equilateral triangle with side 'a' from any of the three side is,
 a. $0.866 a$
 b. $0.471 a$
 c. $0.288 a$
 d. $0.235 a$
28. For a line of length 2.5 m passing through origin and inclination 60° with x-axis, centroid along x is
 a. 0.625
 b. 0.5
 c. 2.5
 d. 1
29. The y centroidal distance of an unequal I-section from its bottom having upper flange 15 cm x 5 cm, lower flange 10 cm x 5 cm and web 5 cm x 15 cm deep is
 a. 12.5 cm
 b. 13.75 cm
 c. 20 cm
 d. 15 cm
30. A triangular hole is cut from circular lamina of radius 10 cm such that the vertex of triangle is on y-axis and base coincides with horizontal diameter. If base of triangle is 20 cm and height is 10 cm. The C.G. of remaining lamina is,
 a. 2.22 cm
 b. -2.22 cm
 c. 1.55 cm
 d. -1.55 cm
31. The C.G. of an isosceles triangle with base 10 cm and sides 20 cm is _____ from its base.
 a. 6.455 cm
 b. 5 cm
 c. 7 cm
 d. 9 cm

Ans Key – Unit No:-1
1. Forces & Force System

Q. No.	Answer	Q. No.	Answer	Q. No.	Answer
1	a	51	d	101	d
2	b	52	c	102	a
3	c	53	c	103	d
4	d	54	c	104	b
5	d	55	a	105	c
6	b	56	a	106	c
7	c	57	b	107	a
8	c	58	a	108	c
9	b	59	b	109	a
10	d	60	d	110	b
11	a	61	b	111	b
12	b	62	a	112	c
13	c	63	c	113	a
14	b	64	c	114	c
15	d	65	b	115	a
16	a	66	d	116	b
17	d	67	a	117	c
18	b	68	b	118	b
19	b	69	a	119	d
20	b	70	b	120	c
21	a	71	c	121	a
22	a	72	c	122	c
23	b	73	b	123	a
24	b	74	c	124	c
25	a	75	d	125	c
26	a	76	b	126	a
27	a	77	a	127	c
28	b	78	b	128	b
29	c	79	a	129	a
30	b	80	c	130	b
31	b	81	a	131	b
32	c	82	a	132	a
33	b	83	c	133	b
34	b	84	a	134	c
35	b	85	c	135	a
36	c	86	b	136	b
37	b	87	c	137	c
38	a	88	c	138	d
39	b	89	a	139	b
40	b	90	b	140	d
41	c	91	b	141	a
42	d	92	d	142	c
43	d	93	d	143	a
44	b	94	a	144	b
45	c	95	a	145	a
46	d	96	c		
47	c	97	c		
48	b	98	d		
49	d	99	c		
50	c	100	d		

Ans Key – Unit No:-1
2. Centroid

Q. No.	Answer
1	a
2	d
3	c
4	b
5	a
6	c
7	c
8	c
9	b
10	d
11	b
12	b
13	d
14	c
15	b
16	b
17	a
18	c
19	b
20	c
21	d
22	c
23	c
24	c
25	a
26	b
27	c
28	a
29	b
30	d
31	a