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**CS/B.TECH(CE)/SEM-8/CE-802/5/2012**

**2012**

**STRUCTURAL DYNAMICS & EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING**

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words  
as far as practicable.*

**GROUP – A**

**( Multiple Choice Type Questions )**

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any *ten* of the following :

10 × 1 = 10

- i) The maximum displacement of a linear elastic system for a constant force applied suddenly is
- a)  $2 y_{st}$                                       b)  $y_{st}$
- c)  $3 y_{st}$                                       d)  $0.5 y_{st}$
- ii) Consider a beam has two lumped mass and the corresponding mass points translate in vertical direction and rotational displacement. The number of Dynamic Degrees of Freedom (DOF) is
- a) 2    b) 12
- c) 4    d) 8.



iii) A mass 2 kg is attached to the end of a spring with stiffness 0.8 kN/mm. The critical damping constant is

- a) 74.92 Ns/m                      b) 80 Ns/m  
c) 40.7 Ns/m                      d) 70 Ns/m.

iv) Logarithmic decrement (  $\delta$  ) is defined as where  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are the two consecutive peaks

- a)  $\delta = \log \left( \frac{Y_1}{Y_2} \right)$  in free vibration  
b)  $\delta = \ln \left( \frac{Y_2}{Y_1} \right)$  in forced vibration  
c)  $\delta = \ln \left( \frac{Y_1}{Y_2} \right)$  in free vibration  
d)  $\delta = \ln \left( \frac{Y_2}{Y_1} \right)$  in free vibration.

v) The dynamic magnification factor is defined as the

- a)  $\frac{Y_{st}}{Y}$                                       b)  $Y \times Y_{st}$   
c)  $\frac{Y}{Y_{st}}$                                       d)  $\sqrt{\frac{Y}{Y_{st}}}$

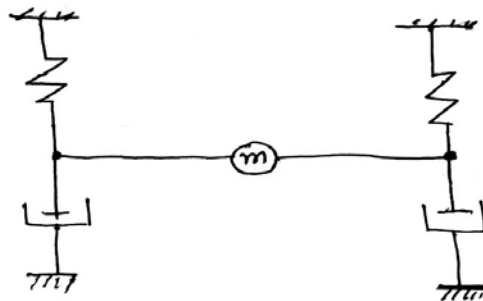
where,  $Y_{st}$  and  $Y$  are the static deflection and steady state amplitude.

vi) A vibrating system consisting of a weight of  $W = 15$  N and a spring with stiffness  $k = 2$  N/m. The angular natural frequency of the system is

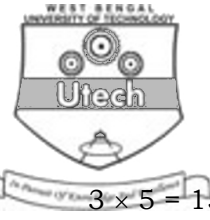
- a) 4.4                                      b) 5.7  
c) 3.5                                      d) 5.0.



- vii) Seismic waves can be classified as
- only body wave
  - Rayleigh light waves & surface waves
  - only surface wave
  - surface wave & body wave.
- viii) During any fault it is associated with
- gaining of strain energy
  - release of strain energy
  - gaining and release of strain energy
  - none of these.
- ix) A mass on a structure deforms in three dimensional space. Then the D.O.F. will be
- 1
  - 3
  - 6
  - 9.
- x) A damping force is chosen as
- opposite to the direction of velocity of motion
  - opposite to the direction of frictional force
  - both (a) and (b)
  - none of these.
- xi) The following system is associated with



- vertical excitation
- torsional excitation
- horizontal excitation
- none of these.

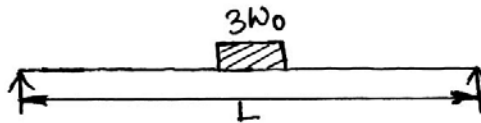


**GROUP – B**  
**( Short Answer Type Questions )**

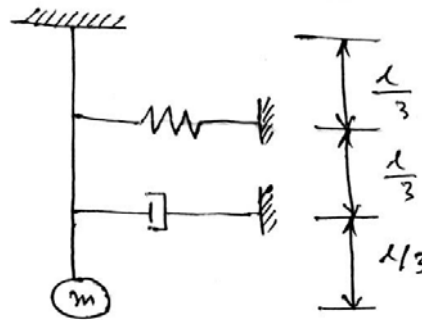
Answer any *three* of the following.

3 × 5 = 15

2. State d'Alembert's principle. Explain the fundamental differences between static and dynamic problems.
3. At  $t = 0$  one-third of the weight is suddenly removed. What will be the equation of deflection of curve at any instant ? The figure is shown below :



4. Derive equation of motion for an undamped harmonic excitation.
5. A mass is attached to a rigid mass-less bar of length  $l$ . A spring of stiffness,  $k$  and a damping coefficient,  $c$  is attached to the bar as shown in figure below. Derive the equation of motion of the system.



6. Determine the value of horizontal seismic coefficient for a community centre situated in Kolkata. The geotechnical exploration carried out at the site indicated soft clay up to 10 m depth and therefore needing pile foundation for the structure. Take natural time period as 0.4 sec with damping ratio of 5%. Use response spectrum method. (Use IS:1893-2002)



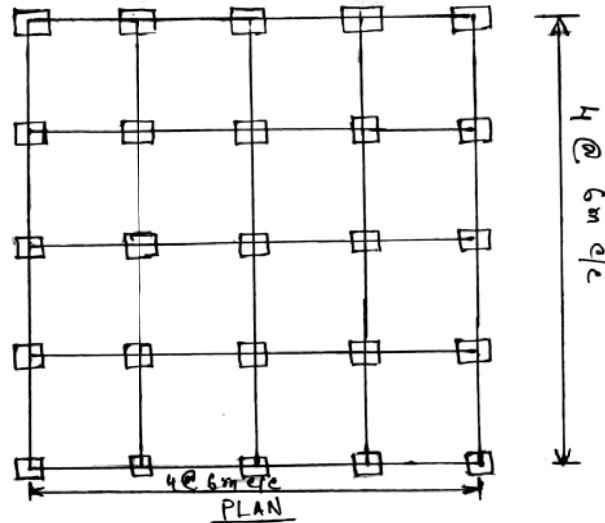
**GROUP - C**

**( Long Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.

3 × 15 = 45

7. a) A G+4 OMRF building has plan dimension as shown below :



Numerical Data :

Size of column — 300 mm × 450 mm

Size of beam — 250 mm × 300 mm

Depth of slab — 125 mm

Floor height — 3.3 m

Infill wall — 250 mm thick including plaster in exterior and 125 mm in interior

Imposed load — 3 kN/m<sup>2</sup> in floor level and roof level is 1.5 kN/m<sup>2</sup>.

The soil below the foundation is medium and the building is located in Kolkata. Determine the seismic forces and shears at different floor levels by using IS 1893 (Part 1):2002.

- b) Sketch the reinforcements at the junction of a beam and column as per IS 13920:1993. 10 + 5



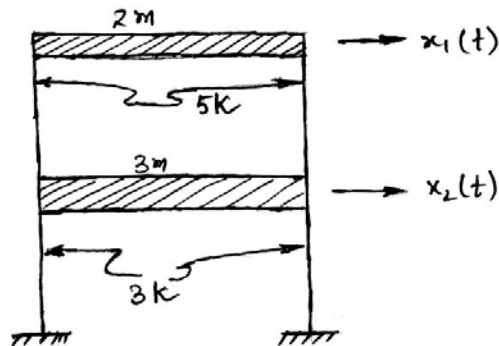
8. a) Derive expressions for the response of a single degree of freedom structure to a constant force.
- b) A square pulse of time duration  $T$  is acting on an undamped system given below :

$$F(t) = F_0 \quad \text{for } 0 \leq t \leq t_d$$

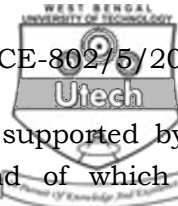
$$= 0 \quad \text{for } t > t_d$$

Derive an expression for the response of an SDOF structure to this loading, starting from 'at rest' conditions. Determine the maximum amplitude during the impulse and the magnification factor. 5 + 10

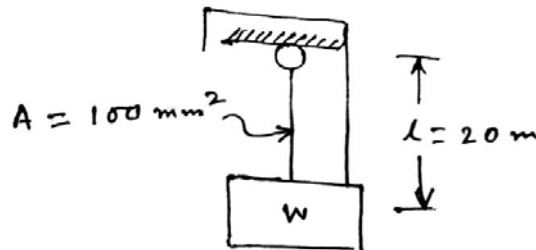
9. Consider the two storey building shown in the figure :



- a) Derive the mass and stiffness matrices for the building showing all the considerations in detail, and write down the governing equation for free vibration.
- b) Calculate its natural periods and mode shapes. Show a rough plot for each of the mode.



10. An elevator cage of weight,  $W = 50 \text{ kN}$  is supported by a flexible twisted steel cable, the upper end of which is unwinding from a rotating drum as shown below. As the cage is being lowered with uniform velocity of  $1 \text{ m/sec}$ , the drum suddenly stops when unwound length of cable is,  $l = 20 \text{ m}$ . Determine amplitude of vibration & maximum tensile stress induced in the cable. Take  $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .



11. Write short notes on the following :

- Elastic rebound theory
- Plate tectonic theory
- S-wave and P-wave
- Resonance
- Response Spectrum.

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