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Faculty of Engineering
End Sem (Even) Examination May-2019
CE3CO14 Design of Steel Structures

Programme: B.Tech.

Branch/Specialisation: CE

Duration: 3 Hrs.**Maximum Marks: 60**

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory. Internal choices, if any, are indicated. Answers of Q.1 (MCQs) should be written in full instead of only a, b, c or d.

(b) Use of IS: 800- 2007, IS 875 and steel table is permitted.

(c) Assume suitable data if required.

- Q.1 i. Which of the following has zero eccentricity with respect to load line? **1**
 (a) Single cover butt joint (b) Double cover butt joint
 (c) Lap joint (d) None of these.
- ii. Prying action is associated with- **1**
 (a) Additional compressive force on bolts due to flexibility of connecting members
 (b) Reduction in flexural force on bolts
 (c) Additional shear force on rivets
 (d) Additional tensile force on bolts due to flexibility of connecting members
- iii. The problem of web crippling in beams is significant when- **1**
 (a) Web is weak under concentrated loads
 (b) There is too much flexural moment
 (c) Compression flange is weak
 (d) None of these
- iv. Economical depth of plate girder corresponding to- **1**
 (a) Minimum weight
 (b) Minimum depth
 (c) Minimum thickness of web
 (d) Maximum weight
- v. Battening is preferred when the- **1**
 (a) Column carries axial load
 (b) Column is eccentrically loaded
 (c) Space between the two main component is not large
 (d) Both (a) and (c)

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- vi. The block shear failure of tension member involves failure planes which are- **1**
 (a) Two mutually perpendicular tension planes
 (b) two mutually perpendicular shear plane
 (c) Tension on one plane and shear on other perpendicular plane
 (d) Tension on one plane and compression on another perpendicular plane
- vii. In the plastic method of base plate design the pressure from the concrete below is assumed to be equal to **1**
 (a) $0.55 f_{ck}$ (b) $0.45 f_{ck}$ (c) $0.6 f_{ck}$ (d) $0.65 f_{ck}$
- viii. Splice plates in columns are designed as **1**
 (a) Short column (b) Intermediate column
 (c) Long column (d) None of these
- ix. The maximum slenderness ratio limit for truss members under loads other than wind / earthquake load is **1**
 (a) 180 (b) 80 (c) 10 (d) 400
- x. In general, purlins are designed as- **1**
 (a) Continuous beams (b) Simply supported beams
 (c) Cantilever beams (d) None of these.
- Q.2 i. Specify different structural steel sections. **2**
 ii. Compare between welded and bolted / riveted joints. **3**
 iii. Two plates of thickness 16 mm and 14 mm are required to be joined by butt weld. The plates are subjected to a factored tensile load of 400 kN. The effective weld length is limited to 180 mm. Calculate that which type of weld out of single / double v butt weld is to be provided. **5**
- OR iv. Two plates 10 mm x 60 mm are connected in a lap joint with 5 M 16 bolts (arranged longitudinally in linear pattern) of grade 4.6 and 4 10 grade plates. calculate the strength of joint. **5**
- Q.3 i. Define plastic section modulus. **2**
 ii. Explain lateral stability of beams. What are the mechanisms through which it is ensured? **3**
 iii. A simply supported steel joist of 5 M span has to support a load of 60 kN / metre (inclusive of self wt.). The beam compression flange is restrained against buckling. **5**

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- (a) Design beam section using ISWB section and Fe 410 steel grade for flexure.
 (b) Check the section for shear. also specify the case of shear.
- OR iv. What are the different components of plate girder. Specify functions of components also. **5**
- Q.4 i. Based on area, how design of tension member is different than design of compression member? **2**
 ii. What are lug angles? When are they used? **3**
 iii. Illustrate the procedure for the design of tension member. **5**
- OR iv. Write the procedure for the design of laced / battened column. **5**
- Q.5 i. How beam columns are different than columns? **2**
 ii. Explain following types of column bases through labelled diagrams (a) Slab base (b) Gusseted base. **3**
 iii. Determine the size and thickness of simple base plate type slab base for an ISHB 300 @ 618 N / m. Column to carry a factored load of 1000 kN. Assume Fe 410 grade steel and M25 grade concrete. **5**
- OR iv. Write down the procedure for designing gusseted base type of column base. **5**
- Q.6 i. What are different types of trusses? **2**
 ii. Specify different loads and their combinations used in truss design. **3**
 iii. Design bottom chord member of truss for following details- (a) Length = 2.8 m (b) Compressive force 75 kN (c) Tensile force 95 kN. **5**
 Use two unequal angle sections with longer legs back to back as section.
- OR iv. Design basic purlin section for the truss for the following details- **5**
 (a) Span of purlins 6 m.
 (b) Spacing of purlins 1.25 m
 (c) Angle of truss 11.3°
 (c) live load $0.35 \text{ kN} / \text{m}^2$
 (e) Dead load $0.21 \text{ kN} / \text{m}^2$ including self-weight
 (f) Wind pressure $1.45 \text{ kN} / \text{m}^2$.
 Calculation for checks are not required.

Marking Scheme
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Q.1	i.	Which of the following has zero eccentricity with respect to load line?	1
		(b) Double cover butt joint	
	ii.	Prying action is associated with-	1
		(d) Additional tensile force on bolts due to flexibility of connecting members	
	iii.	The problem of web crippling in beams is significant when-	1
		(a) Web is weak under concentrated loads	
	iv.	Economical depth of plate girder corresponding to-	1
		(a) Minimum weight	
	v.	Battening is preferred when the-	1
		(d) Both (a) and (c)	
	vi.	The block shear failure of tension member involves failure planes which are-	1
		(c) Tension on one plane and shear on other perpendicular plane	
	vii.	In the plastic method of base plate design the pressure from the concrete below is assumed to be equal to	1
		(b) $0.45 f_{ck}$	
	viii.	Splice plates in columns are designed as	1
		(a) Short column	
	ix.	The maximum slenderness ratio limit for truss members under loads other than wind / earthquake load is	1
		(a) 180	
	x.	In general, purlins are designed as-	1
		(a) Continuous beams	
Q.2	i.	Structural steel sections.	2
		Four types 0.5 mark for each (0.5 mark * 4)	
	ii.	Compare b/w welded and bolted / riveted joints.	3
		Three points 1 mark for each (1 mark * 3)	
	iii.	Calculate that which type of weld out of single / double v butt weld is to be provided.	5
		For single v butt weld	
		For calculation of effective throat thickness	1 mark
		Strength of weld (315 kN)	1.5 mark
		For double v butt weld	
		For calculation of effective throat thickness	1 mark
OR	iv.	Calculate the strength of joint.	5

		For design shear strength of one bolt (29.72kN)	1 mark
		For design bearing strength of one bolt (64.28kN)	2 marks
		For design tensile strength of plate in yielding (136.36kN)	1 mark
		For design tensile strength of plate in rupture (123.98kN) and reporting this as answer	1 mark
Q.3	i.	Definition plastic section modulus.	2
	ii.	Lateral stability of beams	1.5 marks
		Mechanisms through which it is ensured	1.5 marks
	iii.	(a) Design beam section using ISWB section and Fe 410 steel grade for flexure.	5
		Calculation of factored udl (90kN)	0.5 mark
		Calculation of factored BM (281.25kNm)	0.5 mark
		Calculation of factored SF (225kN)	0.5 mark
		Calculation of plastic section modulus ($1237 \times 10^6 \text{mm}^3$)	0.5 mark
		Recommending ISWB400 (654 N/m)	0.5 mark
		(b) Check the section for shear. also specify the case of shear.	
OR		Calculation of design shear strength (451.38 kN)	1.5 marks
		Verifying and recommending case of low shear	1 mark
	iv.	Components of plate girder	2.5 marks
		Functions of components	2.5 marks
	Q.4	i.	Based on area, how design of tension member is different than design of compression member?
			Clear mention of net area and gross area basis
		ii.	Lug angles
			Uses
		iii.	Procedure for the design of tension member.
OR			1 mark for each step
	iv.	Procedure for the design of laced / battened column.	5
			1 mark for each step
	Q.5	i.	Beam columns are different than columns
		ii.	Types of column bases through labelled diagrams
			(a) Slab base
			(b) Gusseted base.
			1.5 marks
			1.5 marks

	iii.	Determine the size and thickness of simple base plate type slab base	5
		Area of base plate (88.89 x 103 Sq mm)	1 mark
		Actual bearing pressure (7.15 N/mm ²)	1 mark
		Thickness of base plate (11.75 mm)	2 marks
		Connection-required length of 8 mm fillet weld (1058 mm)	1 mark
OR	iv.	Procedure for designing gusseted base type of column base.	5
		1 mark for each step	(1 mark * 5)
Q.6	i.	Any four types of trusses	2
		0.5 mark for each type	(0.5 mark * 4)
	ii.	Different loads	3
		Their combinations used in truss design.	2 marks
	iii.	Design bottom chord member of truss for following details-	5
		Calculation of cross sectional area (1331.77 mm ²)	1 mark
		Selection of section (ISA 75x50x6)	1 mark
		Design compressive strength(188.3kN)	1 mark
		Check for tensile force (T _{dg} = 325.45 kN)	2 marks
OR	iv.	Design basic purlin section for the truss for the following details	5
		Normal to slope 1.27 kN/m ²)	
		Parallel to slope 0.041 kN/M ²	2 marks
		Load W _z = 0.7 kN/M, load W _y = 0.14 kN/M	1 mark
		M _z =3.78 kNm, M _y =0.756kNm Factored SF = 3.15 kN	1 mark
		Plastic section modulus required 16.632 x 10 ³ mm ³ and recommendation of section	1 mark
