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B.Tech.(CE) (2011 Onwards) (Sem.-6) FOUNDATION ENGINEERING

Subject Code : BTCE-603 M.Code : 71084

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

Q1) Answer briefly:

- a) What do you understand by significant depth of soil exploration?
- b) List down factors affecting bearing capacity for soils.
- Define safe bearing capacity
- d) Define Floating foundation:
- e) Discuss briefly utility of batter piles.
- List down effects of negative skin friction.
- g) List out the various methods of site exploration.
- Define allowable bearing capacity.
- Calculate the active earth pressure give that C = 20kN/m² and unit weight of the soil being 20kN/m³ for a vertical cut of depth 3 m. The soil is cohesion- less soil.
- Write assumptions of coulomb's theory.



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SECTION-B

- Q2) Write short note on bore log report with neat sketch.
- Q3) Write the essential features and applications of Rotary sampler.
- Q4) A circular foundation is 2.4 m diameter. If the depth of foundation is 1 m, determine the net allowable load. Take c = 30 kN/m² and unit wt. = 19.0 kN/m³ = 15° and factor of φ and safety as 3.0. Use Terzaghi's equation and assume local shear failure. Take value of Nc, Nq and Ny as 12.9, 4.4 and 2.5 respectively.
- Q5) Explain the parts of a Pneumatic caisson with figure.
- Q6) Give comparison of Rankine's and Coulomb's theory.

SECTION-C

- Q7) Derive bosussinesq equation for a point load.
- Q8) Define pile foundation. Discuss about the types of pile and their functions.
- Q9) What are the different methods of soil stabilization? Explain with neat sketches.

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