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B.Tech. (Automation & Robotics) (2012 & Onward) (Sem.-3)
STRENGTH OF MACHINE ELEMENTS

Subject Code : BTAR-304 M.Code : 63004

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTIONS 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

Answer briefly :

- (a) Define ultimate tensile strength.
- (b) Distinguish between ductile and brittle materials.
- (c) Define coefficient of thermal expansion.
- (d) What is the significance of point of contraflexure?
- (e) What do you mean by pure bending in beams?
- (f) Write the assumptions in derivation of torsion equation.
- (g) Discuss the significance of section modulus.
- (h) What do you understand by the terms 'column' and 'strut'?
- (i) Write the relationship between moment, slope and deflection.
- (j) What is factor of safety? Discuss its significance.

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SECTION-B

- Describe ellipse of stress with suitable example.
- 3. A timber beam 16 cm wide and 20 cm deep is to be reinforced by bolting on two steel flitches each 16 cm × 1 cm in section. Find the moment of resistance when: (a) the flitches are attached symmetrically at the top and bottom and (b) the flitches are attached symmetrically at the sides. Allowable stress in timber is 6 MN/m². What is the maximum stress in steel in each case? Take E_{Steel} = 20 E_{Wood}.
- Explain any two theories of failure.
- 5. A bar of length 4 m when used as a simply supported beam and subjected to uniformly distributed load of 30 kN/m over the whole span, deflects 15 mm at the centre. Determine the crippling load when it is used as a column with following end conditions:
 - (a) both ends pin-jointed, and (b) one end fixed and other end hinged.
- A beam of length 1 is simply supported and a point load W is acting at its mid span. Use double integration method to find slope and deflection at end points and mid point.

SECTION-C

- A point is subjected to perpendicular stresses of 50 MN/m², both tensile. Using analytical
 method calculate the normal, tangential and resultant stresses and its obliquity on a plane
 making an angle of 30 degrees with the axis of second stress. Verify results with Mohr's
 circle of stress method also.
- A hollow circular shaft 20 mm thick transmits 294 kW at 200 rpm. Determine the diameters of the shaft if shear strain due to torsion is not to exceed 8.6 × 10⁻⁴. Take modulus of rigidity as 80 GN/m².
- An overhanging beam ABC is simply supported at A and B over a span of 6 m and BC overhangs by 3 m. If the supported span AB carries central concentrated load of 8 kN and overhanging span BC carries uniformly distributed load of 2 kN/m. Drawn shearing force and bending moment diagrams indicating salient points.

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