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B.Tech II Year II Semester (R09) Supplementary Examinations December/January 2015/2016 **AEROSPACE VEHICLE STRUCTURES - I**

(Aeronautical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Answer any FIVE questions All questions carry equal marks

1 A propped cantilever beam of length "L" supports a UDL of intensity "Q". Analyze this beam by second order differential equation of deflection curve. Determine shear force, bending moment, slope and deflection of the beam.



- (a) What do you mean by beams on elastic foundation? 2
 - Derive differential equation for the elastic line of a beam resisting on an elastic foundation. (b)
- 3 A simply supported beam of length 4 meters is subjected to a uniformly distributed load of 30 kN/m over the span and deflects 15 mm at the center. Determine the crippling loads when this beam is used as a column with following conditions:
 - (i) One end fixed and other end hinged.
 - (ii) Both ends pin jointed.
 - (ii) Doth ends pin jointed.
 (iii) One end fixed and other end free.
 (iv) Both ends fixed.
 Define following:
 Compatibility.
 Plane stress.
 Plane strain.
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 - (a)
 - (b) Plane stress.
 - (c)
 - (d) Body force.
- 5 A body is subjected to direct stress in two mutually perpendicular directions when the stress is unequal and alike; determine stress on oblique section with help of graphical method.
- (a) Explain strain energy. 6
 - State and derive the Castigliano's theorem I & II. (b)
- 7 Explain Rayleigh - Ritz method and compare this method with any other two methods determining displacement.
- 8 Derive Bredt – Batho formula for a single cell thin walled closed section beams subjected to torsion.