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**R07****Set No. 2**

II B.Tech I Semester Examinations, November 2010

MECHANICS OF FLUIDS

Aeronautical Engineering

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions

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1. (a) What is a siphon? Where is it used?
- (b) Two pipes 1 and 2, each of 12 cm diameter branch off from a point A in a pipeline and rejoin at B. Pipe 1 is 480 m long and pipe 2 is 720 m long. So total head at A is 36 m. A short pipe 10 cm diameter is fitted at B and the flow is discharged into atmosphere through it. Assuming  $f = 0.018$  for both the pipes. Calculate:
  - i. Total discharge and
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  - i. Estimate the Mach number and flow velocity.
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3. (a) Differentiate between:
  - i. Stream line body and bluff body
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4. Explain the terms geometric similarity, kinematic similarity and dynamic similarity and discuss the difficulties faced in satisfying these three similarity laws in modeling studies. [16]
5. (a) Write down the continuity equation for a uni dimensional unsteady state in compressible flow.
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