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Set No. 2

IV B.Tech I Semester Examinations, November 2010 FLIGHT VEHICLE DESIGN Aeronautical Engineering

Time: 3 hours

Code No: R05412102

Max Marks: 80

[16]

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Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks ****

- 1. (a) Draw a reference (trapezoidal) wing.
 - (b) Explain how an elliptic wing is superior to a trapezoidal wing.
 - (c) What are the advantages of selecting a trapezoidal wing over an elliptic wing?
 - (d) Explain the effect of taper of the wing on drag.
- 2. Define drag and describe the various components of drag of a subsonic aircraft. Explain how the profile drags for various components are estimated. 16
- 3. (a) Derive the expression for turn rate in level flight ($d\psi$ / dt) in terms of velocity and 'n', the load factor.
 - (b) Derive the expression for load factor, 'n', in terms of T/W (Thrust to weight ratio) and W/S (Wing loading). [8+8]
- 4. Describe, with sketches, the following components of a wing and describe how they affect the aerodynamic design of a civil jet aircraft:
 - (a) Fowler flaps
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 - (c) Slats and slots
 - (d) Krueger flaps.
- 5. (a) Explain what is meant by statistical analysis in the context of aircraft conceptual design?
 - (b) Assuming no analyses are available, what are the data you would collect. How do you proceed with the analyses? [8+8]
- 6. What are the different arrangements of tail surfaces used for airplane design? Discuss all the options available and the relative merits and demerits. Draw good sketches and show relevant graphs. 16
- 7. While evaluating the preliminary design of a passenger aircraft, what are the weights you would verify? How do you proceed to verify these? Explain in detail. [16]
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