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II B. Tech I Semester Supplementary Examinations, May/June - 2017 FLUID MECHANICS AND HYDRALICS MACHINES

(Com. to EEE, ME, MM)

Time: 3 hours Max. Marks: 75

Answer any **FIVE** Questions All Questions carry **Equal** Marks

- 1. a) Distinguish between a micro manometer and a differential manometer (6M)
 - b) The two limbs of a U tube differential manometer are connected to horizontal (9M) pipes. A and B carrying water. A is 1 m above B. If the level of mercury connected to A is higher than that connected to B by 10 cm, find the difference in pressure head between water in pipes A and B.
- 2. a) State and derive Bernoulli's theorem, mentioning clearly the assumptions (6M) underlying it.
 - b) A 30 cm diameter horizontal pipe terminates in a nozzle with the exit diameter (9M) of 7.5 cm. If the water flows through the pipe at the rate of 0.15m³/s. What force will be exerted by the fluid on the nozzle?
- 3. a) Explain how the following flow problems are analyzed. (7M)
 - i) Series pipe connection
 - ii) parallel pipe connection and
 - iii) Equivalent pipe connection.
 - b) The rate of flow of water through a horizontal pipe is 0.25 m³/s. The diameter of (8M) the pipe which is 200 mm is suddenly enlarged to 400 mm. The pressure intensity in the smaller pipe is 11.772 N/cm². Determine: i) loss of head due to sudden enlargement, ii) pressure intensity in the large pipe, iii) power lost due to enlargement.

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- 4. a) Draw and explain velocity triangles at inlet and outlet for different cases in which a jet of water striking the flat and curved vanes.
 - b) A jet of water, having a velocity of 30 m/s impinges on a series of vanes with a velocity of 15 m/s. The jet makes an angle of 30⁰ to the direction of motion of vanes when entering and leaves at an angle of 120⁰. Sketch velocity triangles at entrance and exit, and determine the vane angles, so that the water enters and leaves without shock.
- 5. a) Draw a typical layout of a hydro power plant and discuss different elements. (8M)
 - b) What are power canals? How these are different from irrigations canal (7M)
- 6. a) Draw a neat diagram of Kaplan turbine and explain its working. State important (8M) equations.
 - b) Explain in detail, how you find the efficiency of draft tube. (7M)
- 7. a) Distinguish between specific speed and unit speed of a turbine. (8M)
 - b) Why is governing of turbine required? Discuss how the turbines are governed (7M) with neat sketches.
- 8. a) Discuss the concept of multistage pumps in detail. (8M)
 - b) A centrifugal pump has three stages discharging 120 lit/s, working against a head (7M) of 45 m, running at 1400 rpm. Calculate the specific speed of the pump.