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B.Tech. (CE) (Sem.-4th) (2011 Batch)**STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS-I**

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Max. Marks : 60

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :

1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students has to attempt any FOUR questions.
3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students has to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A**I. Answer briefly :**

- i) What is a conjugate beam? Discuss its utilities.
- ii) What are zero-force members? Why are they required?
- iii) Differentiate the statically determinate structures and statically indeterminate structures.
- iv) What is meant by absolute maximum bending moment in a beam?
- v) State Maxwell-Betti's theorem.
- vi) What is a linear arch?
- vii) Give a relation between actual beam and the conjugate beam when the former has a fixed end.
- viii) What is electric curve?

ix) Find the horizontal reaction for u

x) What are the failures criteria criteria of a dam section?

SECTION-B

2. A simply supported steel beam of span 6 m is subjected to a point load of 50 kN at 3 m from the left support. The beam has a rectangular cross-section with the diameter of 100 mm. The modulus of elasticity of steel is 200 GPa. Find the deflection at the free end using the theorem.
3. Define Muller-Breslau principle. Use it to draw the influence line for the moment at B of an overhang beam.

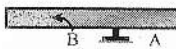


Fig. 1

4. A three-hinged arch of 80 m-span and 10 m-rise is subjected to a uniformly distributed load which varies uniformly from zero at the left support to 10 kN/m at the right support. Determine the equation of the normal thrust.
5. A cable is used to support six equal spans of 10 m each. The total length of the cable is 49 m. The central dip of the cable is 5 m. Find the length of the cable required if the maximum tensile stress is 157.4 N/mm².
6. A masonry dam 8 m high, 1.5 m wide at the top and 4 m wide at the base retains water to a depth of 7.5 m. Determine the stress intensities at the base. The weight of masonry is 22000 N/cum.

SECTION-C

7. Solve the continuous beam shown in Fig. 2 by Castigliano's theorem. Draw the SFD and BMD for the beam.

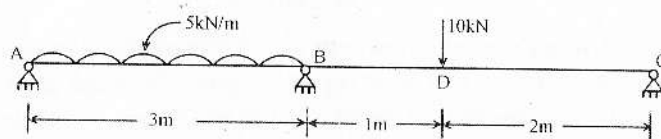


Fig. 2

8. Determine the force in each member of the truss shown in Fig. 3 by using the method of joints.

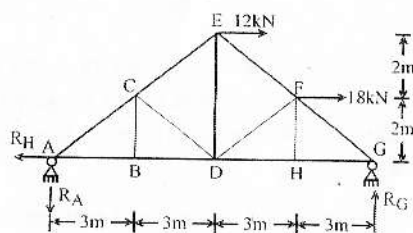


Fig. 3

9. A beam is simply supported over a span of 40 m and supports two point loads of 80 kN and 100 kN respectively and 10 m apart rolling over the span. Draw the influence lines for shear force and bending moment for a section 15 m from the left support and determine the maximum shear force and bending moment at that section.