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M. Tech. I Semester Regular/Supple Examinations, Jan/Feb-2018

THEORY OF ELASTICITY

(Common to Structural Engineering (87), Structural Design (85)
and Computer Aided Structural Engineering (35))

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

Answer any FIVE Questions
All Questions Carry Equal Marks

1. Show that the line elements at the point x, y that have the maximum and minimum rotation are those in the two perpendicular directions θ determined by

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{\partial v / \partial y - \partial u / \partial x}{\partial v / \partial x + \partial u / \partial y}$$
12
2. a Derive expressions for compatibility for a two dimensional problems. 6
 b Derive expressions for strain at a point in terms of stress components. 6
3. Show that $\phi = -\frac{F}{d} 3xy^2(3d - 2y)$ 12
 Applied to the region included in $y = 0, y = d, x = 0$, on the side x positive.
4. a Explain Saint-Venant's principle. 4
 b Determine the stress components and sketch their variation in a region included in $Z=0, Z=d, x=0$ on the side x positive for the problem if plane stress satisfied by the stress function 8

$$\phi = -\frac{3F}{4d} \left[xz - \frac{xz^3}{3d^2} \right] + \frac{pz^2}{2}$$
5. Derive general equations in polar coordinates. 12
6. Show that 12
 $\epsilon_x = k(x^2 + y^2), \quad \epsilon_y = k(y^2 + z^2), \quad \gamma_{xy} = k'xyz, \quad \epsilon_z = \gamma_{xz} = \gamma_{yz} = 0$
 Where k, k' are small constants, is not a possible state of strain.
7. The stresses in a rotating disk (of unit thickness) can be regarded as due to centrifugal force as body force in a stationary disk. Show that this body force is derivable from the potential $v = -1/2 p \omega^2 (x^2 + y^2)$, where p is the density and ω the angular velocity of rotation (about the origin) 12
8. Write short notes on following 4
 - i Homogenous deformations. 4
 - ii Stress invariants. 4
 - iii Reciprocal theorem 4
