

#### I B.TECH – EXAMINATIONS, JUNE - 2011 APPLIED MECHANICS (CIVIL ENGINEERING)

**Time: 3hours** 

## Answer any FIVE questions All questions carry equal marks

Max.Marks:80

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- b) 75 kW of power is transmitted by a belt at a speed of 15 meters/second. Find the difference in tension between the tight and slack sides. [8+8]
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  - b) A spherical bob of radius R and mass on b is attached to a slender rod of length 'l' and mass  $m_r$ . Calculate the moment of inertia of the assembly about the axis of rotation. [8+8]
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