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B.Tech IV Year II Semester (R07) Supplementary Examinations, March/April 2013

**TRIBOLOGY**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE questions  
All questions carry equal marks

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- 1 (a) Explain any three modes of lubrication.  
(b) Explain different types of additives used to improve the properties of lubricating oils.
- 2 (a) State the desirable properties of lubricating oil.  
(b) Explain kinematic viscosity, absolute viscosity, viscosity index and SUS.
- 3 (a) What are the factors that affect wear rate? Explain them in detail.  
(b) State and explain any three parameters to be considered in hydrodynamic journal bearing design.
- 4 Derive the two dimensional Reynold's equation for hydrodynamic lubrication. Also state the various assumptions made in it.
- 5 State various types of hydrodynamic thrust bearings. Explain in short tilting pad thrust bearing in detail.
- 6 Derive the equation for flow rate and pressure distribution in hydrostatic step bearing. What are the various assumptions made in it?
- 7 Explain in detail:
  - (a) Lubricant used in cold metal working.
  - (b) Lubricants used in hot metal working and gaskets.
- 8 (a) Explain in detail the techniques used for surface measurement.  
(b) Give the classification of surface engineering processes.  
(c) Explain Hertz theory of elasto hydro dynamic lubrication.

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