

**B.Tech. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING  
(BTMEVI)****Term-End Examination      00361  
December, 2012****BIMEE-008 : MECHANICAL VIBRATION***Time : 3 hours**Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** Answer *any seven* questions. All questions carry *equal* marks. Use of scientific calculator is *permitted*.

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1. A body oscillates with a simple harmonic motion      10  
along  $x$ -axis. Its displacement varies with time  
according to

$$x = 8 \cos\left(\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right),$$

Where  $x$  is in metre,  $t$  is in seconds, and angle is in radians.

- (a) Determine amplitude, frequency, and period of motion.
- (b) Calculate velocity and acceleration of the body at any time 't'.
- (c) Using the results of (b), determine the position, velocity and acceleration of the body at  $t=1$  second.

- (d) Determine maximum speed and acceleration.
- (e) Find the displacement of the body between  $t=0$  to  $t=1$  second.

2. A mass 0.5 kg is connected to a light spring of stiffness 20 N/m, oscillates on a horizontal frictionless track. 10

Calculate :

- (a) Total energy of the system and the maximum speed of the mass if the amplitude of motion is 3 cm.
  - (b) The velocity of the mass when the displacement is equal to 2 cm.
  - (c) Compute kinetic and potential energies of the system when the displacement is equal to 2 cm.
3. A diesel engine generator of mass 1000 kg is mounted on springs with total stiffness 400 kN/m. If the period of oscillation is 0.32 sec, determine the damping coefficient  $C$  and damping factor  $\rho$ . 10

4. A weight attached to a spring of stiffness 530 N/m undergoes viscous damping and the weight was displaced and released as shown in figure 1. 10

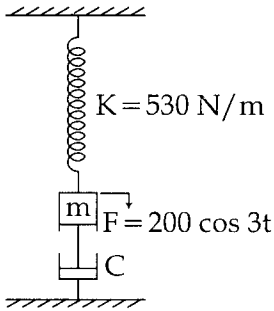


Figure - 1

The period of vibration was found to be 1.8 seconds. The ratio of consecutive amplitude was found to be 4.2.

Determine the amplitude and phase angle when a force (N) of  $F = 200 \cos 3t$  acts on the system.

5. A machine part having a mass of 2.5 kg vibrates in a viscous medium. A harmonic exciting force of 30 N acts on the part and causes a resonant amplitude of 14 mm with a period of 0.22 second. Find the damping coefficient. If the frequency of the exciting force is changed to 4 Hz, also determine the increase in the amplitude of the forced vibration upon the removal of the damper. 10

6. A vertical shaft 100 mm in diameter and 1 m in length has its upper end fixed to the ceiling. At the other end it carries a disc of weight 5000 N having a radius of gyration of 450 mm. The modulus of rigidity for the material of the shaft is  $0.8 \times 10^5$  N/mm<sup>2</sup>. Determine the frequency of torsional vibrations. **10**
7. Find the damping factor of a vibrating system which consists of a mass of 7 kg, a spring of stiffness 5 N/mm and a damper of damping co-efficient of 0.036 N/mm/s. Also find the logarithmic decrement and the ratio of any two consecutive amplitudes. **10**
8. The guns are designed so that on firing, the barrel recoils against a spring. A dashpot is engaged that allows the barrel to return to its position at the end of each recoil. A gun barrel has a mass of 500 kg and a recoil spring constant of 300 N/mm. The barrel recoils 1 m on firing. **10**
- Determine :
- (a) the initial recoil velocity of the gun barrel and
  - (b) the critical damping co-efficient of the dashpot engaged at the end of the recoil stroke.

9. A vertical shaft 100 mm in diameter and 1 m in length has its upper end fixed at the top. At the other end it carries a disc of weight 20 kN. The young's modulus of the material of the shaft is  $2 \times 10^5$  N/mm<sup>2</sup>. Neglecting the weight of the shaft, determine the frequency of longitudinal vibrations and transverse vibrations. **10**
10. A shaft of length 1.5 m is 0.095 m in diameter for the first 0.6 m of its length, 0.06 m in diameter for the next 0.5 m of the length and 0.05 m in diameter for the remaining 0.4 m of its length. The shaft carries two rotors at two ends. The mass moment of inertia of the first rotor is 650 kg m<sup>2</sup> where as of the second is 212 kgm<sup>2</sup>. Determine the natural frequency of free torsional vibration of the system. The modulus of rigidity of shaft material may be taken as 80 GN/m<sup>2</sup>. **10**
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