

**B.Tech. AEROSPACE ENGINEERING  
(BTAE)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2015**

**BAS-018 : AIRCRAFT SAFETY AND MAINTENANCE  
ENGINEERING**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** Answer any *ten* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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1. What is the purpose of a maintenance check list ? What are the precautions to be observed while undertaking towing of an aircraft ? 7
2. Enumerate the various precautions and preparations to be ready before emergency landing of an aircraft. 7
3. Explain the Structural Health Monitoring for an aircraft and also give the various kinds of NDT (Non-Destructive Testing) techniques used to ensure safety of an airplane. 7
4. What are the stages in a system life cycle of an aircraft ? Also explain the life cycle costing concept. 7

5. An aircraft engine consists of three parts having constant failure rates  $\lambda_1 = 0.004$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 0.002$  and  $\lambda_3 = 0.0025$  failures per operating hour. Calculate the probability that the engine will not fail in a 24 hours period. 7
  6. Describe the occurrence and prevention of fatigue failure in an aircraft component. 7
  7. Describe the role of flight crew in ensuring the safety of passengers. 7
  8. What are Air Safety circulars ? List down the various CAR publications. 7
  9. Explain the jacking and taxiing procedures of an aircraft. 7
  10. What are aircraft logs ? What are the guidelines for issuance of Airworthiness Certificates ? 7
  11. Discuss the need of maintaining Environmental Cleanliness in Aviation. 7
  12. How does cracking and corrosion occur on aircraft components ? 7
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