

B.Tech. AEROSPACE

Term-End Examination

June, 2014

BASE-003 : HIGH SPEED AERODYNAMICS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

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

1. Explain in detail 'Transonic area rule'. 10
2. Assuming the laminar flow at sea level conditions, calculate the momentum thickness for the flow of air over a flat plate, if the boundary layer thickness is 1.21×10^{-2} m. 10
3. Explain in detail the properties of Hypersonic flow with neat sketches. 10
4. Explain the effect of pressure distribution on 3D - shock wave/boundary layer with neat sketches. Compare theoretical aspects with experimental results. 10
5. What is Mach Number independence principle ? Prove that Hypersonic flows are Mach Number independent. 10
6. Explain in detail the Reference Temperature Method and Entropy Layer effects on Aerodynamic Heating. 10

7. (a) List down the salient features of linearized supersonic flow theory. 7
(b) Define Upper Critical Mach No., Power Critical Mach No., and Super Critical Aerofoil. 3
8. Explain in detail about "Linearised two dimensional subsonic flow theory". 10
9. Define the following : 5x2=10
(a) Fanno flow
(b) Momentum
(c) Swept wing
(d) Hypersonic tunnels
(e) Lift
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