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B.Tech. CIVIL ENGINEERING (BTCLEVI)

Term-End Examination

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BICEE-022 : ADVANCED DESIGN OF FOUNDATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. Assume suitable data, if required.

- 1. Discuss with the help of neat sketch contact pressure distribution under rigid and flexible footings.
- Determine the coefficient of elastic uniform compression, if a vibration test on a concrete block of 1.2 m cube gave a resonant frequency of 40 Hz in vertical vibration. The weight of the oscillator used was 600 N.
- **3.** (a) What are the functions of anchored bulkhead?
 - (b) Explain how the principle of active and passive earth pressure helps in reducing the deflection of sheet pile.

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- (c) Differentiate between the free earth support and fixed earth support methods of design of sheet piles.
- 4. Name the different models which are used in the analysis of soil structure interaction. Describe the Winklers model in detail.
- 5. What is a coffer dam ? Name the different types of coffer dams with sketches and discuss their advantages and disadvantages.
- What is shell foundation ? Explain the method of design of foundation for a steel chimney. 14
- 7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following: $2 \times 7=14$
 - (a) Two parameter models for soil structure interaction
 - (b) Assumptions of Coulomb's Wedge Theory for determination of earth pressure
 - (c) Resonance of machine foundation

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