

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

Term-End Examination

June, 2018

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BAS-025 : SPACE DYNAMICS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Attempt any *seven* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Discuss the space environment peculiarities.
(b) Explain the different layers of Earth's atmosphere. 10
2. Describe Cowell's method and Encke's method in detail. 10
3. Derive an expression for the escape velocity of a satellite from Earth. 10
4. Discuss the effect of space environment on the selection of materials of spacecraft. 10
5. Explain the difference between chemical rocket propulsion and electrical rocket propulsion system used for spacecraft flights. 10

6. Describe the general aspects of satellite injection. 10
7. Explain the following in brief : 10
- (a) Time of flight
 - (b) Flight path angle
8. (a) Derive and explain the significance of the Jacobi integral.
- (b) How does one estimate the orientation of trajectory plane for a ballistic missile ? 5+5
9. What is optimal flight for a ballistic missile ? How can it be estimated using graphical technique ? 10
10. Explain Hohmann trajectory for interplanetary transfer. 10
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