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**B.Tech. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
(BTMEVI)****Term-End Examination
December, 2011****BIME-031 : KINEMATICS AND DYNAMICS OF
MACHINES***Time : 3 hours**Maximum Marks : 70*

Note: Attempt *any seven* questions. All the questions are to be answered in English Language only. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

1. For a flat belt, prove that $\frac{T_1}{T_2} = e^{\mu\theta}$, 10

Where T_1 = Tension in the tight side of the belt,

T_2 = Tension in the slack side of the belt,

μ = Coefficient of friction between the belt and the pulley, and

θ = Angle of contact between the belt and pulley (in radians).

2. An effort of 1500N is required to just move a certain body up an inclined plane of angle 12° , force acting parallel to the plane. If the angle of inclination is increased to 15° , then the effort required is 1720 N. Find the weight of the body and the coefficient of friction of the surface. 10

3. Show that, in a band and block brake, the ratio of the maximum and minimum tensions in the brake straps is : 10

$$\frac{T_o}{T_n} = \left[\frac{1 + \mu \tan \theta}{1 - \mu \tan \theta} \right]^n$$

Where, T_o = Maximum tension

T_n = Minimum tension

μ = Coefficient of friction between the blocks and drum.

θ = Angle subtended by each block at the centre of the drum.

4. A bicycle and rider of mass 100 kg are travelling at the rate of 16 km/h on a road. A brake is applied to the rear wheel which is 0.9 m in diameter and this is the only resistance acting. How far will the bicycle travel and how many turns will it make before it comes to rest ? The pressure applied on the brake is 100 N and $\mu = 0.05$. 10
5. Explain with sketches the different types of cams and followers. 10
6. Draw the displacement, velocity and acceleration diagrams for a follower when it moves with simple harmonic motion. Derive the expression for velocity and acceleration during outstroke and return stroke of the follower. 10

7. Derive an expression for the length of the arc of contact in a pair of meshed spur gears. 10
8. Differentiate simple, compound, and epicyclic gear trains. What are the special advantages of epicyclic gear trains over simple gear trains ? 10
9. Explain the effect of the gyroscopic couple on the reaction of the four wheels of a vehicle negotiating a curve. 10
10. Write short notes on the followings : 2x5=10
- (a) Journal bearing
 - (b) V-belt drive.
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