

**BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE (B.Arch.)**

**Term-End Examination**

00252

**December, 2017**

**BAR-024 : THEORY OF STRUCTURES – III**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** *Question no. 1 is compulsory. Attempt any four questions from the remaining ones. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. Choose the most appropriate option in questions (a) to (g) given below :  $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) The degree of static indeterminacy of a propped cantilever beam is
- (i) 1
  - (ii) 2
  - (iii) 3
  - (iv) 4
- (b) In pin-jointed trusses, members are subjected to
- (i) axial forces
  - (ii) shear forces
  - (iii) moments
  - (iv) axial and shear forces

(c) Out of the following, the most ductile material is

- (i) Brick
- (ii) Stone
- (iii) Concrete
- (iv) Steel

(d) The shape of bending moment diagram for a simply supported beam which is subjected to a point load at its centre is

- (i) rectangular
- (ii) triangular
- (iii) circular
- (iv) parabolic

(e) Buckling may be expected in

- (i) short columns
- (ii) long columns
- (iii) both the above depending on material of the column
- (iv) circular columns

- (f) Which is *not* an assumption taken in the theory of pure bending ?
- Material is homogeneous
  - Material is isotropic
  - Plane sections remain plane
  - Plane sections are subjected to warping
- (g) An internal hinge in a beam may transfer
- shear force
  - bending moment
  - shear force and axial force
  - shear force and bending moment

2. (a) Briefly discuss how load carrying capacity of a column may be enhanced. 7

(b) What is a Funicular Polygon ? Explain briefly. 7

3. Draw the SFD and BMD for the beam shown in Figure 1. It is a cantilever subjected to a downward load  $P$  at the free end  $B$  and an upward force  $P$  at point  $C$ . 14

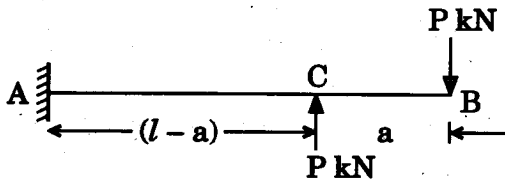


Figure 1

4. (a) Find the CG of the lamina shown in Figure 2. 7

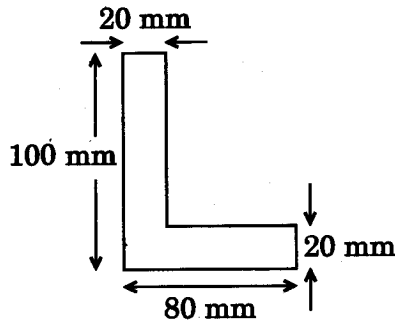


Figure 2

- (b) Explain a method of analysis of a simple pin-jointed plane truss. 7
5. (a) Write the parallel axis theorem for moment of inertia. 7
- (b) Determine moment of inertia of a rectangular lamina shown in Figure 3, about an axis x-x which passes through its CG. 7

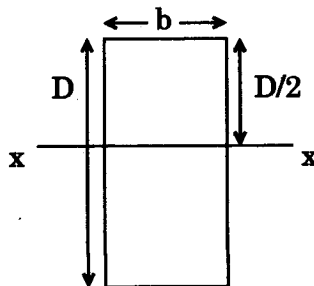


Figure 3

6. (a) What do you understand by equations of static equilibrium ? Explain briefly. 7
- (b) Draw the deflected shape of the beam shown in Figure 4. 7

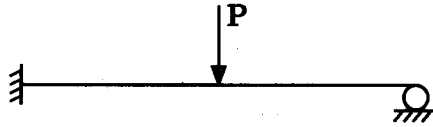


Figure 4

7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following topics :  $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) Composite Sections
  - (b) Graphical Method of Analysis of a Truss
  - (c) Resultant of Coplanar Forces
  - (d) Effect of Flexural Stiffness of a Beam on its Deflection