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**Term-End Examination**

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**BET-014 : APPLIED MECHANICS**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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

1. Choose the correct answer from the given four alternatives.  $7 \times 2 = 14$

(a) The resolved part along X of the 20 N force as shown in Figure 1 is

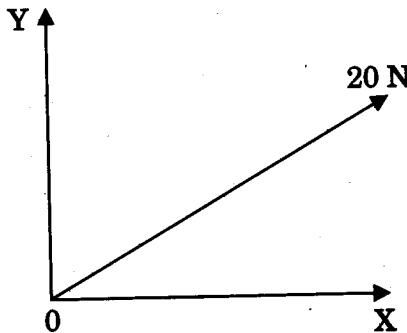


Figure 1

- (i) 10 N  
(ii) 15 N  
(iii) 14.14 N  
(iv) 17.32 N
- (b) If  $b$  is the base and  $h$  is the height of a triangle, then its centroid lies at a height of \_\_\_\_\_ from the base.
- (i)  $h/4$   
(ii)  $h/3$   
(iii)  $h/2$   
(iv)  $2h/3$
- (c) The M.I. of a square of side  $d$  about the centroidal  $XX$ -axis, as shown in Figure 2 is

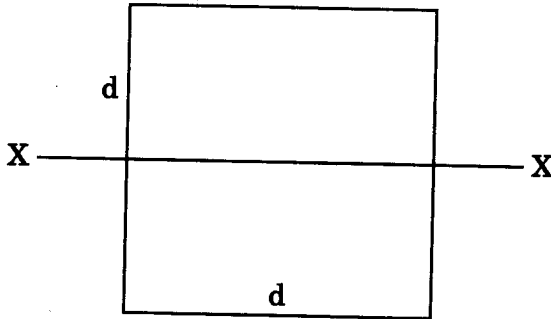


Figure 2

- (i)  $\frac{d^2}{12}$   
(ii)  $\frac{d^4}{12}$   
(iii)  $\frac{d^2}{24}$   
(iv)  $\frac{d^3}{24}$

(d) The opposing force which acts at the point of contact of two bodies which slide over one another is called

- (i) Rolling friction
- (ii) Sliding friction
- (iii) Static friction
- (iv) None of the above

(e) Newton's second law of motion gives a relation between force, mass and

- (i) acceleration
- (ii) velocity
- (iii) momentum
- (iv) moment

(f) When a lift of mass 'm' moves downwards with acceleration 'a', then tension in the string is

- (i)  $T = m(g - a)$
- (ii)  $T = m(g + a)$
- (iii)  $T = m(a - g)$
- (iv)  $T = m(a + g)$

(g) In S.H.M. a particle is moving with a uniform speed  $\omega$  rad/sec round a circular path of radius  $r$ . Then displacement  $x$  of the projection after time  $t$  is equal to

(i)  $\frac{\sin \omega t}{r}$

(ii)  $\frac{\cos \omega t}{r}$

(iii)  $r \cos \omega t$

(iv)  $r \sin \omega t$

2. (a) What is a couple of a force system ? Explain briefly. 7

(b) Two forces  $P$  and  $\sqrt{2}P$  act on a particle in directions inclined at an angle of  $135^\circ$  to each other. Find the magnitude and direction of the resultant. 7

3. (a) What do you understand by a Free Body Diagram ? Explain briefly. 7

(b) Four forces, 2N, 3N, 6N and 5N act along the sides AB, CB, CD and DA respectively, of a square ABCD of side 0.5 m. Find the sum of their moments about

(i) Centre of the square,

(ii) Point A. 7

4. (a) Explain Angle of Friction with a neat sketch. 7
- (b) A body, resting on a rough horizontal plane required a pull of 18 N inclined at an angle of  $30^\circ$  to the horizontal just to move it. It required a push of 22 N inclined at  $30^\circ$  to the plane to move it. Determine the weight of the body and coefficient of friction. 7
5. Figure 3 shows an unsymmetrical I-section, the size of upper flange is 60 mm  $\times$  7.5 mm and that of the lower flange is 120 mm  $\times$  10 mm. The overall depth is 160 mm. The thickness of metal web is 5 mm. Find the C.G. of the section. 14

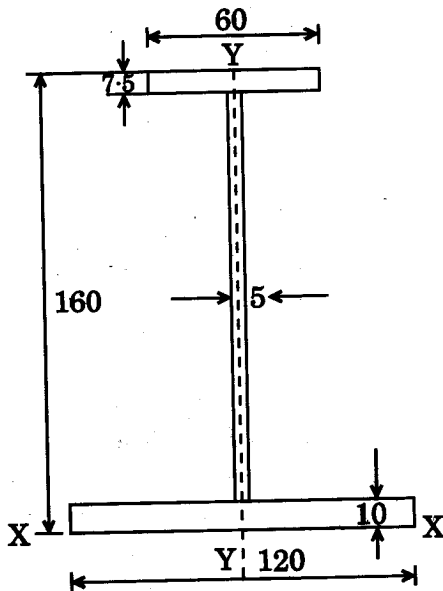


Figure 3

6. (a) Explain the working of a simple pulley in brief. 7
- (b) A body of mass 10 kg falls from a height of 8 m and penetrates into the ground. If the resistance to penetration is constant and equal to 4905 N, find the distance through which it penetrates. 7
7. (a) Discuss the concept of Relative Motion in brief. 7
- (b) A wheel rotating about a fixed axis at 20 rpm is uniformly accelerated for 70 secs. During this time it makes 50 revolutions. Determine angular velocity at the end of this interval. 7
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