

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

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2016**

00408

**BAR-004 : THEORY OF STRUCTURES – I**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

*Note : Question no. 1 is compulsory. Answer any four questions from the remaining questions.*

1. Choose the correct answer from the given four alternatives.

7×2=14

(a) Which of the following supports is provided to take care of effects due to temperature variation ?

- (i) Fixed support
- (ii) Roller support
- (iii) Hinged support
- (iv) None of the above

- (b) In a plane structure, a fixed support has a number of reactions equal to
- (i) 3
  - (ii) 2
  - (iii) 6
  - (iv) 4
- (c) Deflection caused by unit force is defined as
- (i) Strain
  - (ii) Flexibility
  - (iii) Unit deflection
  - (iv) Stiffness
- (d) Determination of internal action in structures is considered in
- (i) Design
  - (ii) Drafting
  - (iii) Analysis
  - (iv) None of the above
- (e) Dead loads
- (i) change their positions frequently
  - (ii) are normally taken as live loads
  - (iii) do not change their positions
  - (iv) None of the above

- (f) The necessary condition for equilibrium of a body is
- (i)  $\Sigma H = 0$
  - (ii)  $\Sigma V = 0$
  - (iii)  $\Sigma M = 0$
  - (iv) All of the above
- (g) Structures should have
- (i) Stability
  - (ii) Stiffness
  - (iii) Strength
  - (iv) All of the above
2. (a) What do you understand by live loads ? Discuss briefly their occurrence in a structure. 7
- (b) Explain the relation between stress and strain. Discuss the procedure to obtain this relation. 7
3. (a) Define roller support. Discuss its importance in a structure. 7
- (b) Discuss why adequate strength is needed for a structure. 7
4. (a) Define factor of safety. Explain its role in the analysis of a structure. 7
- (b) Explain wind loads. Discuss briefly the nature of wind loads. 7

5. (a) Explain briefly the general functions of a structure. 7
- (b) Define bending stresses. Discuss their occurrence in a structure. 7
6. (a) Discuss the importance of good foundation for a structure. 7
- (b) Explain Uniformly Distributed Load. Discuss its occurrence in a structure. 7
7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) Ductility property of mild steel
- (b) Effects of temperature in structures
- (c) Use of models for the study of behaviour of structures
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