

B.Tech. CIVIL ENGINEERING (BTCLEVI)

Term-End Examination

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**BICEE-013 : ELEMENTS OF SOIL DYNAMICS
AND MACHINE FOUNDATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Assume missing data, if any. Scientific calculator is allowed.

1. Discuss the dynamic analysis of foundation for a reciprocating machine by the two approaches.
 - (a) Linear spring-mass system 7
 - (b) Elastic half space theory 7

2. Discuss the general requirement of machine foundation. What are allowable soil pressure and permissible stress of concrete and steel for design of machine foundation ? 14

3. Describe the degree of freedom of a block foundation supporting reciprocating machine. Discuss the various modes of vibration of machine foundation. 14

4. Explain the seismic stability of slopes in the following slopes : 14
- (a) Natural and Man-made slope
 - (b) Infinite and Finite slope
5. Explain the reliability of slopes during the earthquake in case of earthen dam. 14
6. Describe the mass-spring-dashpot model and calculate the response magnification by using any suitable example. 14
7. What is elastic theory of velocity of wave ? How is it determined in a laboratory ? 14
8. Explain the following :
- (a) Effect of Rayleigh's surface wave in engineering structure. 7
 - (b) Compaction of soil under dynamic loads. 7
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