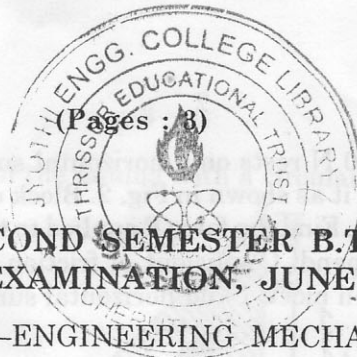


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**COMBINED FIRST AND SECOND SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING)
DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2010**

EN 2K 107 (A)—ENGINEERING MECHANICS (A)

Common to AI, CH, CE, CS, EE, EC, IT, IC and AR

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer all questions.

Part A

Each question carries 5 marks.

- I. 1 State (i) Principle of transmissibility and (ii) Varignon's theorem.
- 2 State Coloumb's laws of friction.
- 3 State the direction of support reactions in the case of (a) Simply supported ; (b) Hinged end ; and (c) Roller supported end.
- 4 A force F has the components $F_x = 200$ N, $F_y = -300$ N, $F_z = 600$ N. Determine its magnitude F and the angle θ_x , θ_y , and θ_z it makes with the axes of co-ordinates.
- 5 Find the centroid of a concentric path of 120 mm. outer radius and 70 mm. inner radius with respect to diametral axis.
- 6 What are principal axes and principal moments of inertia ?
- 7 Derive an expression for finding the work energy equation for a body of mass m Kg. moving at an acceleration a m./sec.² for a distance of S m.
- 8 Explain the following (i) Free vibration ; (ii) Torsional vibration.

(8 × 5 = 40 marks)

Part B

Each question carries 15 marks.

- II. (a) Determine the magnitude of a horizontal force P applied at the center C of a roller of weight 1000 N and radius 100 mm. to pull it over a 60 mm. curb. Also calculate the magnitude and direction of the least force applied at C that will life the roller over the curb (Fig. 1)

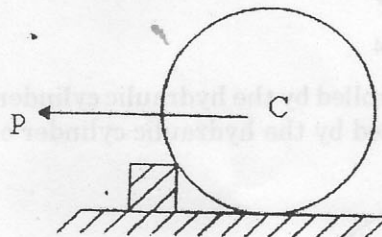


Figure 1

Or

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- (b) A block of weight $W_1 = 1290 \text{ N}$ rests on a horizontal surface and supports another block of weight $W_2 = 570 \text{ N}$ on top of it as shown in Fig. 2. Block of weight W_2 is attached to a vertical wall by an inclined string AB. Find the force P applied to the lower block, that will be necessary to cause the slipping to impend. Coefficient of friction between blocks 1 and 2 = 0.25 and coefficient of friction between block 1 and horizontal surface = 0.40.

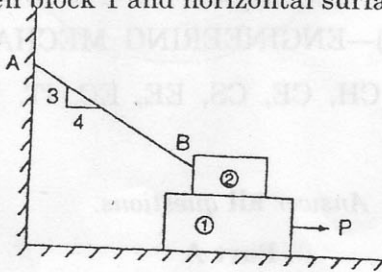


Figure 2

- III. (a) Find the forces in the various members of the frame shown in Fig. 3.

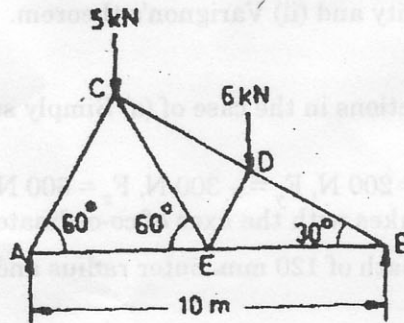


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- (b) A 163 kg. crate is applied by three cables as shown in Fig. 4. Determine the tension in each cable.

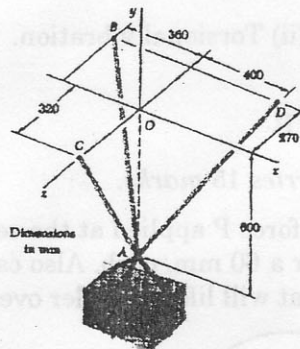


Figure 4

- IV. (a) The position of member ABC is controlled by the hydraulic cylinder CD. For the loading shown in Fig. 5. Determine the force exerted by the hydraulic cylinder on pin C when $\theta = 55^\circ$.

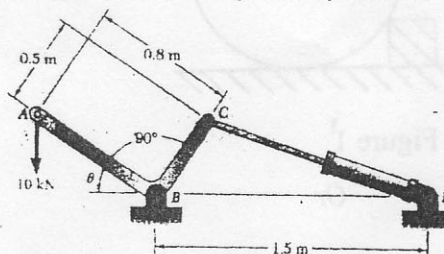


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- (b) Find the moment of inertia of the lamina with a circular hole of 30 mm. diameter about the axis AB as shown in Fig. 6.

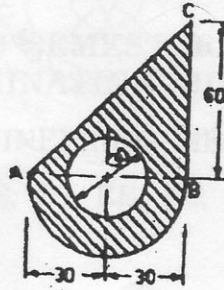
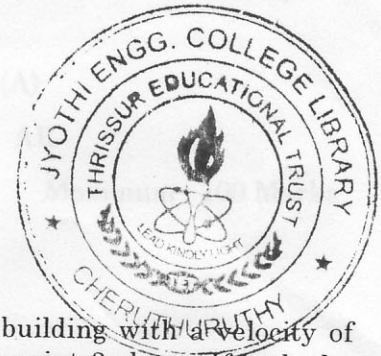


Figure 6



- V. (a) (i) A stone is projected vertically upwards from the roof of a building with a velocity of 19.6 m/s and another is dropped downwards from the same point 3s later. If both the stones reaches the ground at the same time determine the height of the building.
- (ii) The acceleration of a body starting from rest is given by $a = 15 - 2s$ where a is in m/s^2 and s in metres. Determine (1) the velocity of the body when it has travelled 4 m. ; (2) Distance travelled when the body is again at rest.

Or

- (b) A car of mass 1,000 kg. travelling at the rate of 35 m/s clashes into the rear of a truck of mass 8,000 kg. travelling in the same direction but with a velocity of 5 m/s. After the collision, the speed of the truck increases to 9 m/sec. Find the velocity of the car after collision. What is the value of the coefficient of restitution ?

(4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Part B

Each question carries 10 marks.

- (a) Determine the magnitude of a horizontal force P applied at the center C of a roller of weight 1000 N and radius 100 mm to pull it over a 60 mm. curb. Also calculate the magnitude and direction of the least force applied at C that will lift the roller over the curb (Fig. 1)

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