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**THIRD SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) DEGREE EXAMINATION  
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**Civil Engineering**

**CE09 303/PTCE 09.302—MECHANICS OF SOLIDS**

**(2009 Admissions)**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

**Part A**

*Answer all questions.*

- I. (a) Define Young's modulus and Modulus of rigidity.
- (b) Define Modular ratio.
- (c) Write the relationship between (i) Shear force and Load intensity ; (ii) Bending moment and Shear force.
- (d) What is meant by section moduli ?
- (e) What is hoop stress ?

**(5 × 2 = 10 marks)**

**Part B**

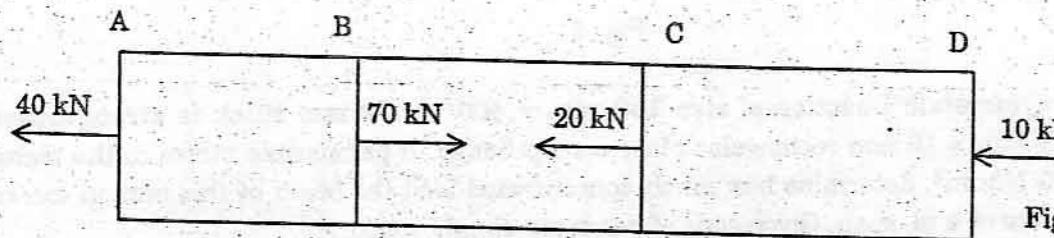
*Answer any four questions.*

- II. (a) What is the procedure to find the thermal stresses in a composite bar ?
- (b) Draw SFD and BMD for a simply supported beam carrying a point load at the centre.
- (c) Explain the shear centre of thin walled open section.
- (d) Derive an expression using Macaulay's method for fixed beam.
- (e) Derive the Euler's formula for a column with both end fixed.
- (f) Compare the thin cylinder and thick cylinder in terms of stresses induced.

**(4 × 5 = 20 marks)**

**Part C**

- III. (a) A brass bar, having cross-section area of  $900 \text{ mm}^2$ , is subjected to axial forces as shown in Fig.1, in which AB = 0.6 m, BC = 0.8 m, and CD = 1.0 m. Find the total elongation of the bar. Take  $E = 1 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .



*Or*

**Fig. 1**

**Turn over**

- (b) A member ABCD is subjected to point loads  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$ ,  $P_3$  and  $P_4$  as shown in Fig. 2. Calculate the force  $P_3$  necessary for equilibrium if  $P_1 = 120 \text{ kN}$ ,  $P_2 = 220 \text{ kN}$  and  $P_4 = 160 \text{ kN}$ . Determine also the net change in the length of the member. Take  $E = 200 \text{ GN/m}^2$ .

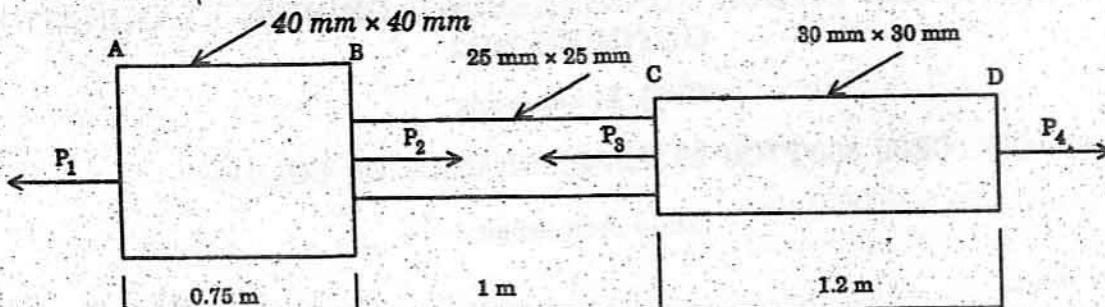


Fig. 2

- IV. (a) Draw SFD and BMD for the beam shown in Fig. 3. Indicate the position and the magnitude of maximum bending moment.

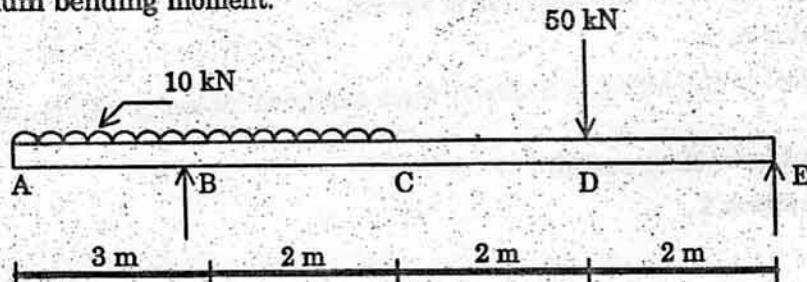


Fig. 3

*Or*

- (b) Draw SFD and BMD for the beam shown in Fig. 4. Indicate the position and the magnitude of maximum bending moment.

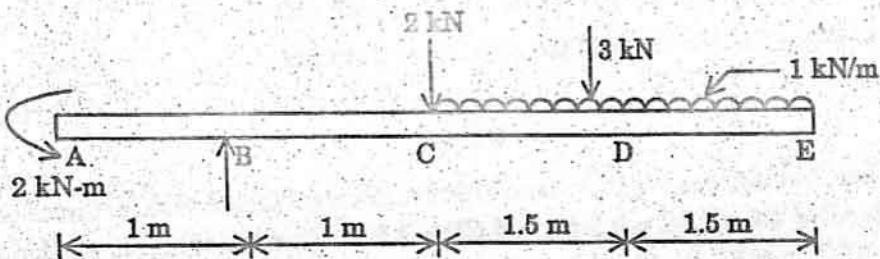


Fig. 4

- V. (a) A symmetric I-section of size 180 mm × 400 mm, 8 mm thick is strengthened with 240 mm × 10 mm rectangular plate on top flange. If permissible stress in the materials is 150 N/mm<sup>2</sup>, determine how much concentrated load the beam of this section can carry at centre of 4 m. span. Given ends of beam are simply supported.

*Or*

- (b) Fig. 4 shows the cross-section of a cantilever beam of 2.5 m span. Material used is steel for which maximum permissible stress is  $150 \text{ N/mm}^2$ . What is the maximum uniformly distributed load this beam can carry?

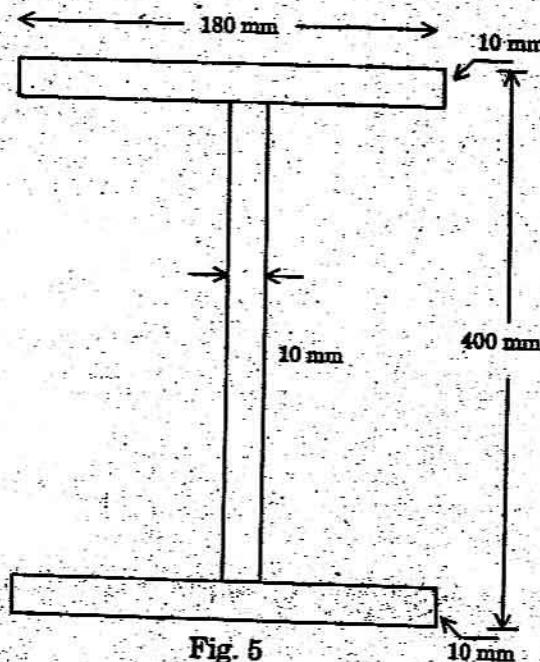


Fig. 5

- (a) A cylindrical shell 900 mm long, 150 mm internal diameter, having thickness of metal as 8 mm. is filled with a fluid at atmospheric pressure. If an additional  $20000 \text{ mm}^3$  of fluid is pumped into the cylinder, find (i) pressure exerted by the fluid on the cylinder ; (ii) hoop stress induced.

*Or*

- (b) A 1.5 mm long column has a circular cross-section 50 mm diameter. Both ends of the column are fixed. Taking factor of safety of 2, calculate the safe load using Rankine's formula and Euler's formula. Take  $E = 11800$ ,  $f_c = 560 \text{ N/mm}^2$ , and  $L = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .

( $4 \times 10 = 40$  marks)