

**EIGHTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) DEGREE EXAMINATION
JUNE 2010**

CE 04 804 (A)—ADVANCED STRUCTURAL DESIGN—II

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

(IS : 2210—1990 ; IS : 1343 codes and SP 16 are permitted inside the examination hall.)

1. (a) Write briefly about the membrane theory.
- (b) Classify the various types of shell structures according to its shape.
- (c) Name the various components of a cylindrical shell roof.
- (d) What do you understand by the term plate action and slab action ?
- (e) What are the assumptions made in folded plates ?
- (f) Distinguish between unpropped and propped construction in composite construction.
- (g) Draw the various types of folded plates.
- (h) What are the main forces acting on the anchorage zone, explain those forces showing in a neat sketch ?

(8 × 5 = 40 marks)

- II. (a) A reinforced concrete shell having semi circular directrix is freely supported at the ends.

Radius of shell = 9.5 m.

Length of the shell (2 L) = 40 m.

Thickness of shell (t) = 75 mm.

Calculate the membrane forces at $X = 0, 10, 20$ m and $\phi = 0, 30^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$ under its own weight.

Or

- (b) A reinforced concrete shell of circular in cross-section has the following particulars :—

Radius = 6 m.

Span (2L) = 30 m.

Semicentral angle = $\phi = 60^\circ$.

Thickness (t) = 75 mm.

Calculate the maximum stress due to self weight only in the shell by beam theory and compare the values with the result of the membrane theory.

(20 marks)

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- III. (a) Explain in detail on :
- (i) Coupled shear walls.
 - ~~(ii) Cantilevered shear walls.~~
 - (iii) Design of shear walls.

Or

- (b) Analyse the folded plate ABCDEF. The plates AB and EF are vertical, while the plate CD is horizontal. The plate BC and DE are inclined at 45° to the horizontal. All the plates are 12 cm thick and their widths are as follows :

AB and EF	= 1.5 m.
BC and DE	= 4 m.
CD	= 3.2 m.
Live load	= 0.75 kN/m^2 of covered area
Distance between the transverse	= 12.5 m.

Draw the stress distribution diagram for the plates.

(20 marks)

- IV. (a) A precast beam of size 175×350 mm. and prestressed to have an effective stress of 12.5 N/mm^2 at top and zero at bottom. The beam is erected over a simple span of 8 m and a slab of size 350×80 mm is cast over it by propping. If the grade of concrete is same, obtain the resultant stresses. The live load on the slab is 585 kPa.

Or

- (b) A prestressed concrete beam $100 \text{ mm} \times 300 \text{ mm}$ in section is prestressed with a straight cable at an eccentricity of 50 mm. The effective prestressing force is 75 kN. The span of the beam is 6 m. and the total load on the beam including the self weight is 2.4 kN/m . Determine the pressure line at quarter span and midspan sections.

(20 marks)