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**SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY::PUTTUR
(AUTONOMOUS)**

M.Tech I year II Semester Supplementary Examinations Dec 2019

**FEM IN STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING
(STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING)**

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units 5×12=60 Marks)

UNIT I

- 1 a Explain nodes at discontinuities. **4M**
b Explain the different steps involved in FEM. **8M**

OR

- 2 a What are the merits, demerits and limitations of Finite Element Methods? **6M**
b Explain in detail finite element method procedure with an example. **6M**

UNIT II

- 3 What is static condensation? Explain procedure of static condensation. **12M**

OR

- 4 Derive the shape function, strain displacement matrix element stiffness matrix for a two noded 1-D Element. **12M**

UNIT III

- 5 Explain about, Geometric invariance, Convergent and compatibility requirements. **12M**

OR

- 6 Derive the strain-displacement matrix for CST element. **12M**

UNIT IV

- 7 Explain the isoperimetric concept in finite element analysis. **12M**

OR

- 8 Derive the strain-displacement matrix for 4-Noded isoperimetric quadrilateral element. **12M**

UNIT V

- 9 Explain the basic theory of plate bending. **12M**

OR

- 10 Explain about Hexahedral Isoperimetric elements. **12M**

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