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SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
(AUTONOMOUS)**M.Tech I Year II Semester (R16) Regular Examinations May 2017****STABILITY OF STRUCTURES**

(Structural Engineering)

(For Students admitted in 2016 only)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units 5 X 12 =60 Marks)

UNIT-I

- 1 Derive the differential equation for maximum deflection and maximum bending moment in case of beam column with central load? 12M

OR

- 2 a. Derive differential equation for beam column? 6M
b. What are the approximate methods used in the stability analysis and discuss their merits. 6M

UNIT-II

- 3 a. Explain buckling of bars with varying in cross section with a suitable example? 6M
b. Explain elastic buckling of straight columns with neat sketch? 6M

OR

- 4 Derive expression for critical load in case of buckling of bars with intermediate compressive forces 12M

UNIT-III

- 5 a. Briefly discuss buckling of straight bar column. 6M
b. Differentiate between elastic buckling & inelastic buckling. 6M

OR

- 6 Explain reduced modulus theory and its assumptions and also derive critical load of double modulus theory. 12M

UNIT-IV

- 7 Derive the expression for pure torsion of thin walled bars of open cross section. 12M

OR

- 8 a. Explain torsional buckling 6M
b. Explain thin walled bars of open cross section by pure torsion 6M

UNIT-V

- 9 Derive the crippling load for simply supported beam of narrow rectangular cross section subjected to pure bending. 12M

OR

- 10 Write short notes on
- (i) Difference between lateral & longitudinal buckling.
 - (ii) Write expression for one direction of buckling of simply supported plate.
 - (iii) Write expression for two direction of buckling of simply supported plate. 12M

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