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SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
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B.Tech II Year I Semester Supplementary Examinations November-2020

FLUID MECHANICS & HYDRAULIC MACHINERY

(Common to ME & AGE)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

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

UNIT-I

- 1 a** Explain the phenomenon of capillarity. Obtain an expression for capillary rise of a liquid. **6M**
- b** The pressure outside the droplet of water of diameter 0.04 mm is 10.32 N/cm². Calculate the pressure within the droplet if surface tension is given as 0.0725 N/m of water. **6M**

OR

- 2 a** Explain how you would find the resultant pressure on a curved surface immersed in the liquid. **6M**
- b** A rectangular plane surface 3 m wide and 4 m deep lies in water in such a way that its plane makes an angle of 30° with the free surface of water. Determine the total pressure force and position of center of pressure, when the upper edge is 2 m below the free surface. **6M**

UNIT-II

- 3 a** Define the terms: Stream line, streak line, path line, stream tube and control volume. **8M**
- b** Explain different types of flow. **4M**

OR

- 4 a** Explain about energy correction factor, momentum correction factor and total gradient line. **7M**
- b** A 30 cm diameter pipe, conveying water, branches into two pipes of diameters 20 cm and 15 cm respectively. If the average velocity in the 30 cm diameter pipe is 2.5 m/s. Find the discharge in the pipe. Also determine the velocity in 15 cm pipe if the average velocity in 20 cm diameter pipe. **5M**

UNIT-III

- 5 a** Write short notes on: i) Moody's chart ii) Reynolds Experiment. **6M**
- b** An orifice meter with orifice diameter 10 cm is inserted in a pipe of 20 cm diameter. The pressure gauges fitted upstream and downstream of the orifice meter gives readings of 19.62 N/cm² and 9.81 N/cm² respectively. Co-efficient of discharge for the orifice meter is given as 0.6. Find the discharge of water through pipe. **6M**

OR

- 6** Derive an expression for the loss of head in pipes due to friction by using Darcy - Weisbach equation. **12M**

UNIT-IV

- 7 **a** Describe Buckingham's pi- theorem. **6M**
b The time period (t) of a pendulum depends upon the length (l) of the pendulum and Acceleration due to gravity (g). Derive expression for time period. **6M**

OR

- 8 **a** Explain about dimensional analysis. **6M**
b The pressure drop in an aeroplane model of size 1/ 10 of its prototype is 180 N/ cm² . The model is tested in water find the corresponding pressure drop in the prototype. Take density of air =1.24 kg / m³ . The viscosity of water is 0.01 poise, while the viscosity of air is 0.00018 poise **6M**

UNIT-V

- 9 **a** Derive the expression for specific speed. **6M**
b Write a note on minimum starting speed. **6M**

OR

- 10 Describe briefly definitions of heads and efficiencies of a turbine **12M**

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