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End Semester Examination – November/December 2010

Subject Title:REINFORCED CONCRETE STRUCTURES - IITime: 3 hoursSubject Code:CE250Maximum Marks: 100

(Use of 16456-2000, IRC codes, IS 3370, IS 1893-2002 and Design Aids (SP 16) permitted) (Use M20 concrete and Fe415 steel unless otherwise specified) <u>Answer ALL questions</u> <u>PART – A (10 x 1 = 10 MARKS)</u>

- 1. The additional dead or live loads on earth embankments behind retaining wall is called
- 2. How is riser and tread proportioned in a stairway?
- 3. When is the wall of an RC water tank provided with two layers of reinforcements?
- 4. For a rectangular RC water tank with walls subjected to bending moment and tension, the *l*/b ratio of walls is _____.
- 5. Where is IRC class B loading used?
- 6. List the methods of finding the distribution of loading in bridges.
- 7. What is a substitute frame?
- 8. List the method of analysis of building frames subjected to lateral forces.
- 9. Write the generalized expression for finding the moment capacity if rectangular slab by yield line theory.
- 10. What is an orthotropic slab?

$\underline{PART - B (5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ MARKS})}$

- 11. With suitable diagram, specify how you can find the earth pressure on a sloping backfill.
- 12. In what ways, circular water tank is preferred over rectangular water tanks?
- 13. Specify the conditions under which, Courbon's method is applicable for design of bridges.
- 14. In what ways, the analysis of continuous beam differs from that of building frames?
- 15. What are the characteristic features of yield line?

<u>PART – C (5 x 15 = 75 MARKS)</u>

16. Design a dog legged stair for an office building in a room measuring $2.8 \text{m} \times 5.8 \text{m}$ clear. Floor to floor height is 3.6 m; width of flight is 1.25 m; Live load = 3kN/m^2 ; use M20and fe 415.

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- 17. Suggest suitable dimensions and draw the pressure distribution diagram for a counterfort retaining wall of height 6m above GL. Also design the stem portion. The soil is having SBC 160kN/m² with internal friction angle 30°; Density of soil is 16kN/m³. Spacing of counterfort is 3m c/c.
- 18. Design the side walls of rectangular RCC water tank of plan size 6m x 2m having maximum depth of 2.5m.

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19. Design an RCC circular water tank resting on ground with flexible base for storing 5 lakh liter of water; Depth of storage is 4m; free board is 200mm.

20. Design a RCC tee beam glider bridge for a roadway of 7.5m, span 16m subjected to IRC class AA tracked vehicle using M25 and Fe 415.

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- 21. The slab panel of an RCC T beam and slab deck is 2.5 m wide between main beam and 4m long between cross gliders. Design the RCC slab for IRC class A loading, using M20 and Fe 415.
- 22. Analyse a two storey frame of floor height 3.5m each with 3 lays of length $L_1 = 7m$; $L_2 = 3.5m$ and $L_3 = 5m$. The frame is subjected to lateral load of 120 kN at top storey and 180 kN at bottom storey.

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- 23. Portal frames were provided for hall10m x 20m, spaced at 4m c/c. The portal frames were subjected to a total load of 125200 N and bending moment of 44.8 kNm. Design suitable foundations for the portal frame assuming suitable data.
- 24. A reinforced concrete slab 5m x 5m is simply supported along four edges and is reinforced with 10mm diameter Fe415 grade bars at 150mm c/c bothways. The average effective depth of slab is 100mm and overall depth is 130mm. The slab carries a flooring of 50mm thick having a unit weight of 22kN/m². Determine the maximum permissible live load on the slab.

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25. Calculate the collapse load for an orthotropically reinforced circular slab, fixed abound.