

**Diploma in Civil Engineering**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2007**

**BCE-041 : THEORY OF STRUCTURES II**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

**Note :** Attempt Question No. 1 which is **compulsory** and any other **three** questions. Assume suitable data wherever necessary and mention it clearly.

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1. Choose the most appropriate answer from the given alternatives : 5×2=10

- (i) Maximum depth of neutral axis ( $X_{u\max}$ ) for RCC flexural member in limit state design method for Fe 415 grade of steel is
- (a) 0.43 d
- (b) 0.53 d
- (c) 0.48 d
- (d) 0.46 d
- (ii) Basic values of span to depth (upto span 10 m) to control deflection of RCC flexural members in Limit State Method for the case of simply supported beam is

- (a) 20
  - (b) 7
  - (c) 10
  - (d) 26
- (iii) The minimum distance between two parallel reinforcement bars in a RCC member shall be
- (a) Diameter of largest bar
  - (b) 5 mm more than nominal maximum size of coarse aggregate
  - (c) Greater of (a) and (b)
  - (d) Smaller of (a) and (b)
- (iv) Maximum tension reinforcement in a beam as a percentage of the gross-section area shall be
- (a) 2
  - (b) 4
  - (c) 5
  - (d) 6
- (v) Maximum spacing of shear reinforcement for vertical stirrups in a beam shall be
- (a) 300 mm
  - (b)  $0.75 \times$  effective depth of the beam
  - (c) Greater of (a) and (b)
  - (d) Smaller of (a) and (b)

2. A rectangular beam of clear span of 6 m is simply supported on 300 mm wide supports. This beam has to carry uniformly distributed load of 15 kN/m excluding its self weight. Design the beam using M-20 grade of concrete, Fe 415 grade of steel for both tension and shear reinforcement. 20
3. An RC beam of 4.5 m effective span and section of 300 mm and 500 mm (overall depth) is reinforced with 2 bars of 16 mm  $\phi$  and 1 bar of 12 mm  $\phi$ . Check whether beam is under reinforced or over reinforced assuming permissible stress in steel ( $\sigma_{st}$ ) as 230 N/mm<sup>2</sup> and that in concrete ( $\sigma_{cbc}$ ) as 7 N/mm<sup>2</sup> and effective concrete cover of 50 mm. Also determine the permissible U.D.L. inclusive of its self weight, if beam is simply supported. 20
4. Design longitudinal and transverse reinforcement for a rectangular beam of 300 mm and 450 mm (effective depth). This beam is to resist a factored bending moment of 110 kN-m, factored torsional moment 10 kN-m and factored shear force 110 kN. Adopt M-20 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel. 20
5. Design the reinforcement for a column of size 400 mm  $\times$  600 mm subjected to an axial load of 1800 kN. The column has un-supported length of 3.5 m and its both ends are effectively held in position and restrained against rotation. Adopt M-20 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel. 20
6. Write short notes on any **four** of the following : 4 $\times$ 5=20

- (a) Various types of staircases
  - (b) Design of underground circular tank
  - (c) Two way shear in RCC footing
  - (d) Limit state of serviceability
  - (e) Development length
  - (f) Effective flange width of 'T' beam
7. Determine the permissible U.D.L. inclusive of its self weight for 'T' beam section (Figure 1). This beam has effective span of 7.5 m and is simply supported on both ends. Adopt M-25 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel.

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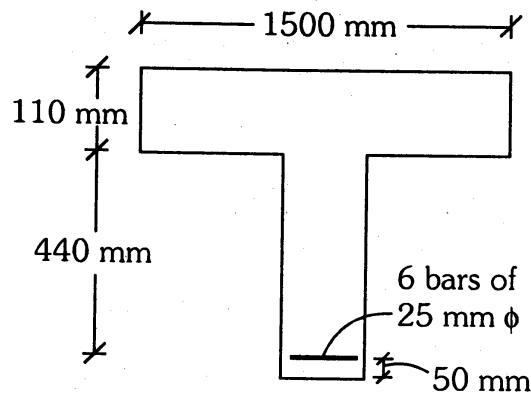


Figure 1

8. Design a slab for a residential floor of clear size 4.5 m × 5.5 m. This slab is simply supported on all sides on masonry walls of 300 mm thickness. Imposed load on the slab is 2 kN/m<sup>2</sup> and the corners are prevented from lifting. Adopt M-20 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel. 20

Type of panel Four edges discontinued		Short span coefficients $\alpha_x$ Values of $l_y/l_x$							Long span coeff. $\alpha_y$ for all values of $l_y/l_x$
Positive moments at mid span	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.75	2.0	0.056
	0.056	0.064	0.072	0.079	0.085	0.089	0.100	0.107	

**Note :** The following design data may be used wherever required.

- A. Design Shear Strength of Concrete  $\tau_c$ , N/mm<sup>2</sup>  
(Limit – State Method).

100 $A_{st} / bd$	Concrete M-20	Concrete M-25
0.15	0.28	0.29
0.25	0.36	0.36
0.50	0.48	0.49
0.75	0.56	0.57
1.00	0.62	0.64
1.25	0.67	0.70
1.50	0.72	0.74
1.75	0.75	0.78
2.00	0.79	0.82
2.25	0.81	0.85
2.50	0.82	0.88
2.75	0.82	0.90

- B. Design Bond stress  $\tau_{bd}$  N/mm<sup>2</sup>  
(Limit – State Method) for bars in tension.

	Steel Fe 250	Steel Fe 415
Concrete M-20	1.20	1.92
Concrete M-25	1.40	2.24

- C. Design Shear Strength of Concrete  $\tau_{c \text{ max.}}$  N/mm<sup>2</sup>  
(Limit – State Method)

Concrete M-20 2.8

Concrete M-25 3.1

- D. For solid slabs, design shear strength of concrete shall be taken as  $K \tau_c$ . The values of K are as below :

Overall depth of slab (mm)	K
300 or more	1.00
275	1.05
250	1.10
225	1.15
200	1.20
175	1.25
150 or less	1.30

- E. Modification factor  $K_2$  for different percentages of tension reinforcement  $A_{st}$  in flexural RCC members for stress in steel at service loads,  $f_s = 240 \text{ N/mm}^2$ , may be taken as below :

$100 A_{st} / bd$	$K_2$
0.2	1.7
0.4	1.32
0.6	1.15
0.8	1.05
1.0	1.0
1.2	0.95
1.4	0.90
1.6	0.88
1.8	0.86
2.0	0.84
2.2	0.82
2.4	0.88
2.6	0.79
2.8	0.78