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B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL / MAY 2025

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Civil Engineering

20CEPC702 - ADVANCED REINFORCED CONCRETE STRUCTURES

Regulations - 2020

( Use of IS 456-2000 , IS 3370 is permitted)

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

**PART - A (MCQ) (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

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| 1. Cantilever retaining walls can safely be used for a height not more than<br>(a) H (b) H/2 (c) H/3 (d) H/4   | 1     | K1        | CO1 |
| 2. All are the component of retaining wall except?<br>(a) Toe slab (b) heel slab (c) stem (d) surcharge  | 1     | K1        | CO1 |
| 3. According to IS : 3370 ( Part-2 ) permissible tensile stress in HYSD bars ?<br>(a) 140 (b) 120 (c) 130 (d) 150  | 1     | K1        | CO2 |
| 4. According to IS : 3370 ( Part-2 ) permissible direct tensile stress in M25 grade of concrete.<br>(a) 1.1 (b) 1.2 (c) 1.3 (d) 1.5  | 1     | K1        | CO2 |
| 5. The minimum width of a stair in residential buildings, is<br>(a) 55 (b) 75 (c) 85 (d) 100   | 1     | K1        | CO3 |
| 6. The vertical member fixed between steps and hand rail, are known<br>(a) balusters (b) strings (c) newel post (d) soffits  | 1     | K1        | CO3 |
| 7. Usually raft are designed as<br>(a) Reinforced slab (b) Reinforced concrete flat slab<br>(c) ordinary flat slab (d) invert flat slab                                    | 1     | K1        | CO4 |
| 8. The net pressure can be calculated for raft having width greater than<br>(a) 6m (b) 20cm (c) 30 cm (d) 4m   | 1     | K1        | CO4 |
| 9. Which method is considered totally safe from a design point of view?<br>(a) Virtual work method (b) Equilibrium method<br>(c) Lower bound method (d) Upper bound method | 1     | K1        | CO5 |
| 10. Which of the following is not a type of shear wall system?<br>(a) Coupled shear wall (b) Cantilever shear wall<br>(c) Diagonal shear wall (d) Planar shear wall        | 1     | K1        | CO6 |

**PART - B (12 × 2 = 24 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

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| 11. What are the forces acting on retaining wall?                                       | 2 | K1 | CO1 |
| 12. Describe what are the stability condition should be checked for the retaining wall. | 2 | K2 | CO1 |
| 13. Mention the reinforcement details that should be provided in water tank.            | 2 | K1 | CO2 |
| 14. What are the different types of RCC water tanks?                                    | 2 | K1 | CO2 |
| 15. Define flat slab.   | 2 | K1 | CO3 |
| 16. What are the types of stair cases? Explain its components.                          | 2 | K1 | CO3 |
| 17. Summarize the functions of a pier.  | 2 | K2 | CO4 |
| 18. What are the various types of IRC loading on bridges?                               | 2 | K1 | CO4 |
| 19. What is the direction of yield line in one way slab?                                | 2 | K1 | CO5 |
| 20. List the assumption of yield line theory.   | 2 | K1 | CO5 |
| 21. List out the codes for design of shear wall.  | 2 | K1 | CO6 |
| 22. Classify RC walls according to their behavior.                                      | 2 | K2 | CO6 |

**PART - C (6 × 11 = 66 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

23. a) Design the stem of Counter fort retaining wall to retain 6m of horizontal backfill. The Density of the soil is  $16 \text{ KN/m}^3$ . Safe Bearing Capacity of the Soil= $160 \text{ KN/m}^2$ . Angle of internal Friction of Soil= $33^\circ$ . Spacing of counter fort is 3m c/c. Use M20 concrete and Fe415 Steel. Check the stability. 11 K3 CO1
- OR**
- b) Design the stem of cantilever retaining wall to retain earth embankment 4.75m high above G.L. The density of earth is  $16 \text{ KN/m}^3$  and its angle of repose is 30 degrees. The embankment is horizontal at its top. The safe bearing capacity may be taken as  $180 \text{ KN/m}^2$  & the coefficient of friction between the soil and concrete is 0.45. Adopt M20 grade of concrete and Fe415 HYSD bars. Check the stability. 11 K3 CO1
24. a) Design a Rectangular RC water tank (resting on ground) with an open top for a capacity of 70000 liters. The inside dimension of the tank may be taken as 6 m X 4 m. Use M20 grade of concrete and Fe 250 grade I mild steel. Sketch the reinforcement details. 11 K3 CO2
- OR**
- b) Design a circular tank with flexible base for capacity of 4.5 lakh liters. The depth of water is to be 4.5 m, including a free board of 150 mm. Overall height of the tank is restricted to 4.8 m. Use M20 grade concrete and Fe415 grade steel. 11 K3 CO2
25. a) Design one of the flights of a dog legged stairs spanning between landing beams using the following data. Assume width of landing beam=300 mm, Number of flight=1, Riser = 150 mm, Thread = 250 mm. Assume relevant data. 11 K3 CO3
- OR**
- b) Calculate the reinforcement and design the interior panel of a flat slab for a live load of  $5 \text{ kN/m}^2$  and a column grid of 6 m x 6 m. Columns are of 600 mm diameter. Drops shall be provided. Show the reinforcement details in the flat slab. Use M20 concrete and Fe415 steel. 11 K3 CO3
26. a) Explain briefly about loads considered in the design of concrete road bridge with neat sketches. 11 K2 CO4
- OR**
- b) Explain in detail about the design principles of Mat foundation. 11 K2 CO4
27. a) A circular RCC roof slab is simply supported all around with an effective of 4.5m. live load on slab is  $2 \text{ KN/m}^2$ . Analyze the slab using yield line approach and design the slab. 11 K3 CO5
- OR**
- b) Design a triangular slab which is simply supported on 5m×5m side, the slab carries a live load of  $5 \text{ KN/m}^2$  and floor finish load  $1 \text{ KN/m}^2$ . Use M20 and Fe415 HYSD bars. Assume suitable data. 11 K3 CO5
28. a) A bar bell type shear wall with central part 3500 x 100 mm and two 300 x 300 mm strong bands at each end is supported on a footing 8m x 4m, which rests on soil whose modulus is  $25000 \text{ kN/m}^3$ . Determine the lateral stiffness of the wall. Assume  $f_{ck} = 20$  and height of the wall as 12m. 11 K3 CO6
- OR**
- b) Analyze the forces acting on shear walls and also explain two classification of shear wall with neat sketch. 11 K3 CO6