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B. Tech.

(SEM. VIII) EXAMINATION, 2006-07

FINITE ELEMENT & FINITE DIFFERENCE METHOD

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 100

1 Attempt any **four** of the following : **5×4=20**

- (a) Derive the expressions for $\frac{du}{dx}$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ and $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$ using Backward difference method.
- (b) Derive the expressions for $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$, $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$ and $\frac{d^4y}{dx^4}$ using central difference method.
- (c) A beam of length 'L' supports a UDL of intensity 'w' kN/m. Calculate the maximum moment in the beam. Assume EI as constant. Use four sub-intervals.
- (d) A beam of span 'L' is fixed at both ends supports a UDL of 'w' kN/m. Estimate the deflections at quarter span intervals. using second order central difference.
- (e) Estimate the buckling load of a uniform pin ended column of length 'L' and flexural rigidity EI using three sub intervals.
- (f) Derive the fourth order expression to solve beam vibration problems.

2 Attempt any **two** of the following : **10×2=20**

- (a) A thin membrane is stretched with a constant tensile force 100 N/cm across a square frame, the length of the sides being 600 mm. The uniform lateral load on the membrane is 1N/cm^2 . Find the deflection at various grid points at 100 mm intervals. Also determine maximum slope in the membrane.
- (b) What is membrane analogy ? Derive the expression required to solve torsion problems using membrane analogy.
- (c) Determine the maximum deflections of a uniformly loaded square plate of side length 600 mm. Plate is clamped at all four sides. Adopt a grid spacing of '150 mm' The intensity of loading is 8 kN/m^2 .

3 Attempt any **two** of the following : **10×2=20**

- (a) Derive the expression for natural co-ordinates for a two noded element in terms of
 - (i) L_1 and L_2 when range is 0 to 1
 - (2) ξ when range is - 1 to 1.
- (b) What is shape function? Using polynomial functions (generalized co-ordinate) determine shape for a two noded bar element.
- (c) Explain how we discretize structures to apply finite element method.

4 Attempt any **two** of the following **10×2=20**

- (a) Explain what you understand by plane stress and plane strain problems.
- (b) Determine the expression of the bar shown in figure due to self weight and a concentrated load of 400 N applied at its end. Given

$b_1 = 150 \text{ mm.}, b_2 = 75 \text{ mm}, t = 20 \text{ mm},$
 $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2, \rho = 0.8 \times 10^{-4} \text{ N mm}^3.$

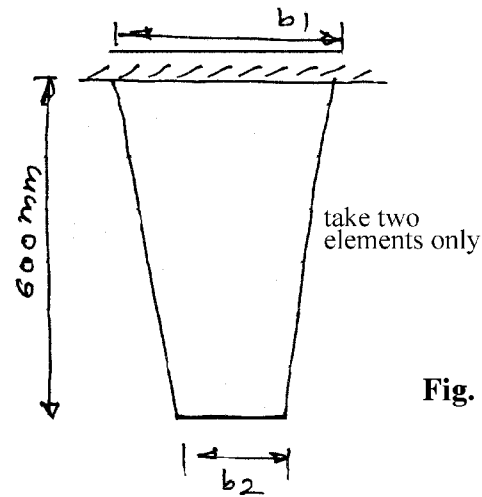


Fig.

- (c) Generate the overall stiffness matrix and consistent load vector for the beam shown in figure

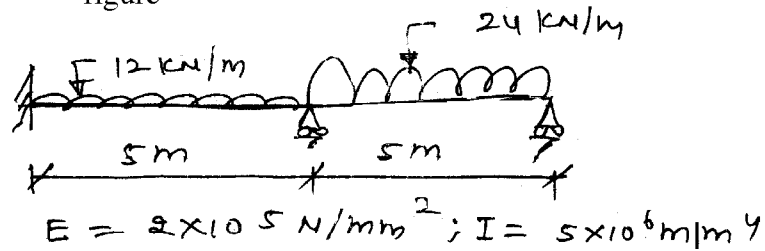


Fig.

5 Attempt any **two** of the following : **10×2=20**

(a) Explain the Gauss-Seidel iteration method to solve linear system of equations.

(b) Solve the following equations by Gaussian eliminations method :

$$3x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 4$$

$$x_1 + 4x_2 - x_3 = -5$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 6x_3 = -12$$

(c) Solve the following set of simultaneous equation by matrix inverse method :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} 2 \\ 12 \\ 10 \end{Bmatrix}$$
