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B.E. (Civil Engineering)

FERROCEMENT TECHNOLOGY

(2008 Pattern) (Elective - IV)

Time: 3 Hours] [Max. Marks: 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer Q.1 or Q.2, Q.3 or Q.4, Q.5 or Q.6, Q.7 or Q.8, Q.9 or Q.10, Q.11 or Q.12.
- 2) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 3) Figures to the right side indicate full marks.
- 4) Assume suitable data if necessary.
- 5) Use of calculator is allowed.
- 6) Answers to each section to be written in separate answer sheets.

SECTION-I

- **Q1)** a) What is ferrocement? Give the detailed classification of ferrocement and their typical characteristics along with their applications. [8]
 - b) Write a note on "Forming of Ferrocement structures. [5]
 - c) Merits and Demerits of ferrocement over RCC. [5]

OR

- Q2) a) Write a note on job requirements of required skills and also the tools & plants used for ferrocement technology. [5]
 - b) What are different properties and specifications of raw materials used for Ferrocement Technology? [5]
 - c) What are different properties and specifications of raw materials used for Ferrocement Technology? Also write a note on proportioning of cement mortar. [8]
- **Q3)** a) Enlist the various construction methods of ferrocement. Explain the skeleton armature method with advantages and disadvantages. [8]
 - b) Explain the effect of creep and shrinkage on ferrocement structures and also the protective surface treatment given to the same. [8]

OR

- **Q4)** a) Explain in detail process of constructing ferrocement structures in respect of: [10]
 - i) Planning the work.
 - ii) Fabricating skeleton.
 - iii) Tying of wire meshes.
 - iv) Mortaring.
 - v) Curing.
 - b) Explain in detail specific surface method and crack control method.

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- Q5) a) Draw the neat sketches of various structural forms & Also give the comparative study of behavior forms in respect of strength and design parameters with ferrocement technology. [10]
 - b) What are the special design considerations for ferrocement and typical features of ferrocement affecting design. [6]

OR

- Q6) a) Draw the neat sketches of various structural forms like 'T', 'U', '+', 'L'
 & Also give the comparative study of behavior forms in respect of strength and design parameters with ferrocement technology. [10]
 - b) Enlist and explain properties of ferrocement structures under static and dynamic loading conditions. [6]

SECTION-II

- Q7) a) Explain the role of ferrocement in building construction of following building accessories: [10]
 - i) Foundations.
 - ii) Walls.
 - iii) Floors.
 - iv) Roofs.
 - b) Enlist and explain factors governing cost and value of ferrocement in building constructions. Also compare cost of ferrocement structures with conventional structures. [8]

OR

- (28) a) Explain in detail the ferrocement building component you seen with reference to following: [10]
 material of construction, analysis and design principles, process of construction, quality control and maintenance.
 - b) Explain the special characteristics of ferrocement to resist shock affected during earthquakes. [8]
- **Q9)** a) Compare all parameters of ferrocement counter forth retaining wall with reference to conventional counter forth retaining wall. [8]
 - b) What is ferrocement? What are its different applications with hydraulic structures. Explain in detail any one. [8]

OR

- **Q10)** a) Explain design & method of fabrication and casting of counter forth retaining wall. [8]
 - b) Compare ferrocement container with conventional container for storage of granular materials. [8]
- Q11) a) Write a note on:

[6]

Ferrocement precast walling and flooring panels.

- b) Explain in detail the industrial precast ferrocement concrete elements you seen with: [6]
 - i) Raw materials of construction.
 - ii) Analysis and design principles.
 - iii) Manufacturing process.
- c) Give the testing methodology and quality control for ferrocreate materials.

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OR

- Q12) a) Explain role of ferrocement technology in construction of large size special purpose structures like shell and domes.[8]
 - b) Why ferrocement is use for pre-casting? Give the different methods of ferrocement pre-casting and explain any one in detail. [8]

