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M.E. (Civil Structures) (Semester - II)
MECHANICS OF MODERN MATERIALS
(2008 Pattern) (Elective - IV (b))

Time : 4 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer any two questions from each section.*
- 2) Answers to the two sections should be written in separate answer books.*
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) Figures to the right side indicate full marks.*
- 5) Use of nonprogrammable pocket calculator is allowed.*
- 6) Assume suitable data if necessary.*

SECTION - I

- Q1)** a) Explain in detail the various types of fibers used for FRPC and give brief information about the matrix of FRPC. **[10]**
- b) What are the different types and classification of composite materials? **[8]**
- c) What are advantages of composite materials over the conventional materials? **[7]**
- Q2)** a) Explain in detail the longitudinal and transverse elastic properties of composite lamina. **[10]**
- b) Explain two dimensional stress-strain relations for a thin composite lamina. **[8]**
- c) Write in detail about piezoelectric materials and piezoelectric strain matrix for Quartz. **[7]**
- Q3)** a) Explain energy based interaction theory (Tsai-Hill) for failure of composite lamina. **[13]**
- b) Write the comparison between the various failure theories for composite lamina. **[12]**

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SECTION - II

- Q4)** a) Obtain Naviers equation for orthotropic laminate with two opposite side fixed. [9]
- b) Explain and sketch [16]
- i) Orthotropic, Anisotropic laminate.
- ii) Symmetric, balanced laminate.
- iii) Antisymmetric and cross ply laminate.
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- Q5)** a) Explain laboratory tests to determine mechanical properties of composite laminate. [10]
- b) Find coefficient of thermal expansion for a 90 degree orthotropic laminate.
- $E_1 = 62 \text{ Gpa}, \quad E_2 = 15 \text{ Gpa}, \quad E_3 = 16 \text{ Gpa}$
- $\mu_{12} = 0.29 = \mu_{21}$
- $\alpha_1 = 0.95 \times 10^{-6} / ^\circ\text{C}, \quad \alpha_2 = 27 \times 10^{-6} / ^\circ\text{C}.$ [15]
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- Q6)** a) Explain manufacturing process of composite. Sketch important details. [8]
- b) Explain in details one experimental tests carried out for determination of properties of composite. [9]
- c) What are high performance of composites, State its future as emerging material. [8]

