

ADVANCED GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING
(2008 Pattern) (Semester - I) (Elective - I)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks :100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer 3 questions from section I and 3 questions from section II.
- 2) Answers to the two sections should be written in separate books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Your answers will be valued as a whole.
- 5) Use of electronic pocket calculator is allowed & is codes are not allowed.
- 6) Assume suitable data, if necessary.

SECTION-I

Q1) a) Explain ‘clay minerals’. [8]
b) Explain ‘A - line chart’. [8]

Q2) Discuss in detail ‘soil classification’. [16]

Q3) a) Explain AEP, PEP & EP at nest. [9]
b) Explain ‘Modified culman’s method’. [8]

Q4) a) Derive the expression for KO, Ka & KP. [8]
b) Explain the steps for ‘Anihared sheet pile design. [9]

Q5) a) Explain ‘Soil Nailing’ & Roch Bothing. [9]
b) Discuss ‘geosynthetics’. [8]

Q6) a) Explain ‘geosynthetics in geoenvironment’. [9]
b) Discuss ‘Prinquet & Lee’ theory. [8]

SECTION-II

Q7) a) Discuss different ‘Vibrations’. [8]

b) Explain ‘Basken’s method’. [8]

Q8) a) Explain ‘Paul’s Analysis’. [8]

b) Explain ‘Block vibration Test’. [8]

Q9) a) Discuss different ‘Soil stabilization techniques’. [9]

b) Explain Vibro-floatation.. [8]

Q10)a) Explain stages in inserting reinforcement for vibro-expanded pile. [8]

b) Discuss ‘Double-underreamed pile’. [9]

Q11)Discuss ‘Rheology’ & ‘Rheological models’. [17]

Q12)Explain. [17]

a) Creep

b) Secondary consolidation

c) Pring-ham model

d) Kelvin model.

