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Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2013/Jan.2014
Aerodynamics – I

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART – A

- 1 a. State the law of conservation of mass. Derive an expression for one-dimensional form of continuity equation. (06 Marks)
- b. Define and explain the compressibility. (04 Marks)
- c. Define mach number. Explain the classification of the flow regimes based on mach number with a neat sketch. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. Obtain the relation between stream function and velocity potential stating its inference. (04 Marks)
- b. Define the following:
 (i) Path line (ii) Stream line (iii) Streak line. (06 Marks)
- c. Derive the integral form of momentum equation for a control volume fixed in space. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. With a neat sketch, explain in detail the airfoil nomenclature. (06 Marks)
- b. Derive an expression for axial force co-efficient (C_a) and normal force co-efficient (C_n) of an airfoil. (10 Marks)
- c. Consider an airfoil at 12° angle of attack. The normal and axial force coefficients are 1.2 and 0.03 respectively. Calculate the lift and drag coefficients. (04 Marks)
- 4 a. Derive the Euler's equation of motion. Hence deduce the Bernoulli's equation. Discuss its applications. (12 Marks)
- b. If for a 2-dimensional flow, the stream function is given by, $\psi = 2xy$, calculate the velocity at the point (3, 6). Show that the velocity potential ' ϕ ' exist for this case and deduce it. (08 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Obtain an expression for the following for a lifting flow over cylinder:
 (i) Stream function (ψ) (ii) Location of stagnation points
 (iii) Pressure co-efficient
 Also explain with a neat sketch, the location of stagnation points for different values of Γ . (12 Marks)
- b. What is Kutta-Joukowski theorem? Obtain an expression for the same and explain with neat sketch. (08 Marks)

Important Note: 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg. 42 x 8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

- 6 a. Write short notes on the following:
 (i) Kutta condition. (ii) Kelvin's circulation theorem. (10 Marks)
- b. Consider a NACA 230/2 airfoil. The mean camber line for the airfoil is given by,

$$\frac{Z}{C} = 2.6595 \left[\left(\frac{x}{C} \right)^3 - 0.6075 \left(\frac{x}{C} \right)^2 + 0.1147 \left(\frac{x}{C} \right) \right] \text{ for } 0 \leq \frac{x}{C} \leq 0.2025 \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{Z}{C} = 0.02208 \left[1 - \frac{x}{C} \right] \text{ for } 0.2025 \leq \frac{x}{C} \leq 1$$
- Calculate (i) The angle of attack at zero lift.
 (ii) The lift co-efficient when $\alpha = 4^\circ$ (10 Marks)
- 7 a. Write down the Navier-Stokes equation. (06 Marks)
 b. Define and obtain the expressions for,
 (i) Boundary layer thickness.
 (ii) Displacement thickness. (09 Marks)
 (iii) Momentum thickness. (05 Marks)
- c. Explain the boundary layer separation of an airfoil. (05 Marks)
- 8 a. With a neat sketch, explain the operation of open and closed circuit low speed wind tunnel. (10 Marks)
 b. Explain in detail the smoke and tuft flow visualization techniques. (10 Marks)
