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## Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2023 Finite Element Method

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

**Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.**

### Module-1

- 1 a. Explain plane stress and plane strain problems. (06 Marks)
- b. List the type of elements with neat sketch. (04 Marks)
- c. For the spring shown in Fig. Q1 (c), determine the nodal displacements using principle of minimum potential energy.

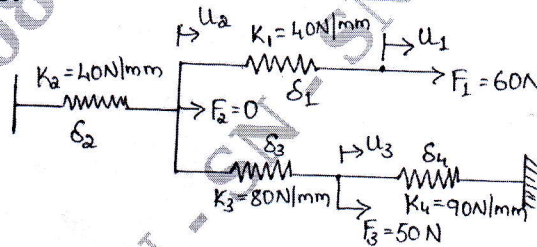


Fig. Q1 (c)

(10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the consideration to be taken in the discretisation process. (10 Marks)
- b. Use the Rayleigh-Ritz method to find the displacement at the mid point of the rod shown in Fig. Q2 (b).

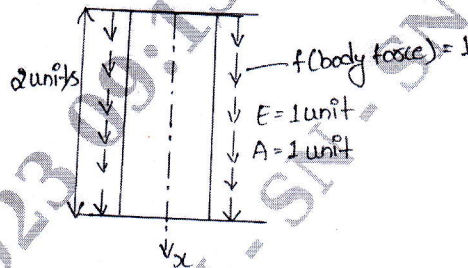


Fig. Q2 (b)

(10 Marks)

### Module-2

- 3 a. Derive shape function for 1-D bar element in global co-ordinate system. (10 Marks)
- b. Consider the four bar truss shown in Fig. Q3 (b). It is given that  $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$  and  $A_e = 100 \text{ mm}^2$  for all elements. Determine the nodal displacement and stress in each element.

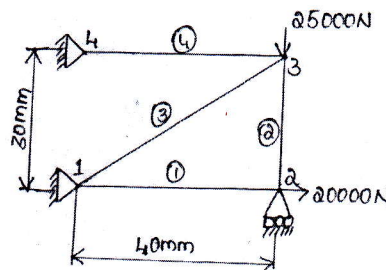


Fig. Q3 (b)

(10 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+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

OR

- 4 a. Derive the Hermite shape function for a beam element. (10 Marks)
- b. Consider the bar shown in Fig.Q4 (b). An axial load  $P = 200 \times 10^3$  N is applied as shown using penalty approach for handling boundary condition. Determine nodal displacement and stress in each element.
- Take  $A_1 = 2400 \text{ mm}^2$ ,  $E_1 = 70 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2$ ,  $A_2 = 600 \text{ mm}^2$ ,  $E_2 = 200 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2$

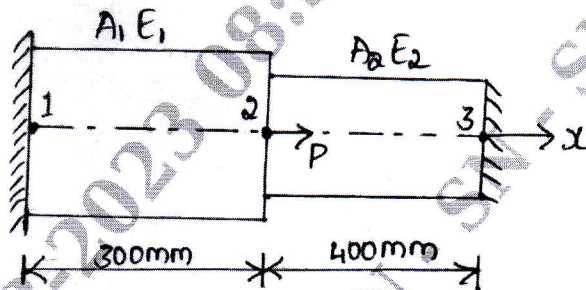


Fig. Q4 (b)

(10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Derive Shape function for constant strain triangular element in global co-ordinate system. (10 Marks)
- b. Derive shape function for a hexahedral element. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Derive shape function for Nine Node Rectangular element using Lagrange method. (10 Marks)
- b. With usual notations, obtain the shape function for tetrahedral element. (10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain the structure of computer program for FEM analysis. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain different phases in FEM. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Derive shape function for a Axisymmetric triangular element. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain subparametric, ISO parametric and super parametric elements. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Derive expression for mass matrix for bar element. (08 Marks)
- b. Find the distribution in the 1D fin shown in Fig. Q9 (b). Take two elements for FE idealization.

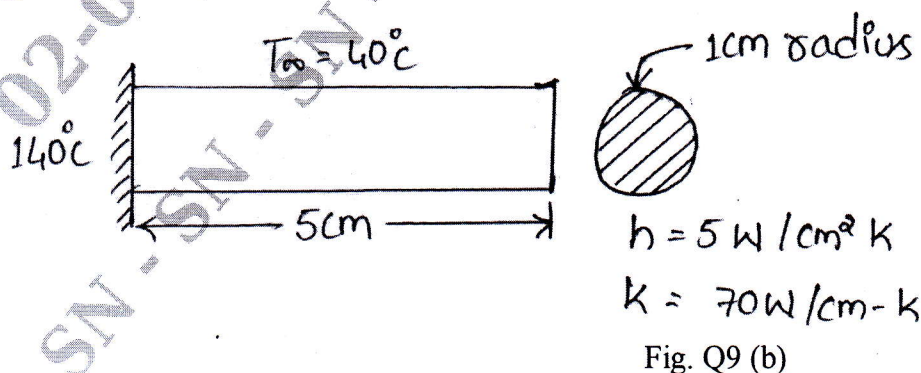


Fig. Q9 (b)

(12 Marks)

OR



- 10 a. Drive a differential equation for an 1-D heat conduction. (04 Marks)  
 b. Solve for temperature distribution in the composite wall as shown in Fig. Q10 (b), using 1-D heat elements, use penalty approach of handling boundary condition.

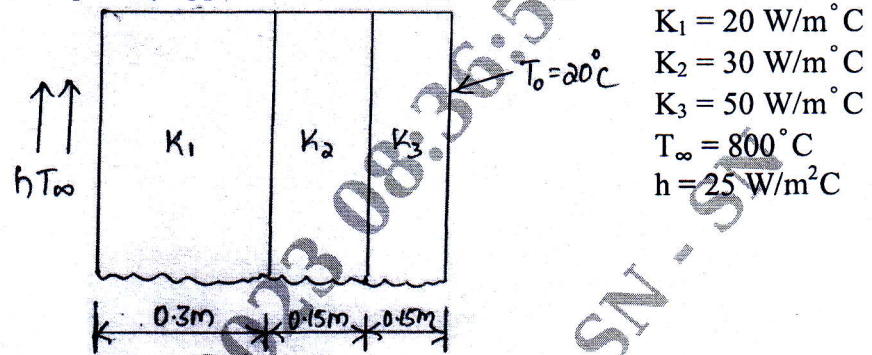


Fig. Q10 (b)

(16 Marks)

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