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Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, December 2012
Modeling and Finite Element Analysis

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

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

PART – A

- 1 a. Using Rayleigh-Ritz method, derive an expression for maximum deflection of the simply supported beam with point load P at centre. Use trigonometric function. (08 Marks)
- b. Solve the following system of simultaneous equations by Gauss elimination method.

$$\begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 9 \\ x - 2y + 3z &= 8 \\ 2x + y - z &= 3 \end{aligned}$$
 (08 Marks)
- c. Explain the principle of minimum potential energy and principle of virtual work. (04 Marks)
- 2 a. Explain the basic steps involved in FEM. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the concepts of iso, sub and super parametric elements. (05 Marks)
- c. Define a shape function. What are the properties that the shape functions should satisfy? (05 Marks)
- 3 a. What are the convergence requirements? Discuss three conditions of convergence requirements. (05 Marks)
- b. What are the considerations for choosing the order of the polynomial functions? (05 Marks)
- c. Derive the shape functions for CST element. (10 Marks)
- 4 a. Derive the Hermite shape function for a 2-noded beam element. (10 Marks)
- b. Derive the shape functions for a four noded quadrilateral element in natural coordinates. (10 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Derive an expression for stiffness matrix for a 2-D truss element. (10 Marks)
- b. Derive the strain displacement matrix for 1-D linear element and show that $\sigma = E[B]\{u\}$ (10 Marks)
- 6 a. Discuss the various steps involved in the finite element analysis of a one dimensional heat transfer problem with reference to a straight uniform fin. (10 Marks)
- b. Derive the element matrices, using Galerkin for heat conduction in one dimensional element with heat generation Q. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. A bar is having uniform cross sectional area of 300 mm² and is subjected to a load P = 600kN as shown in Fig.Q7(a). Determine the displacement field, stress and support reaction in the bar. Consider two element and use elimination method to handle boundary conditions. Take E = 200 GPa. (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.

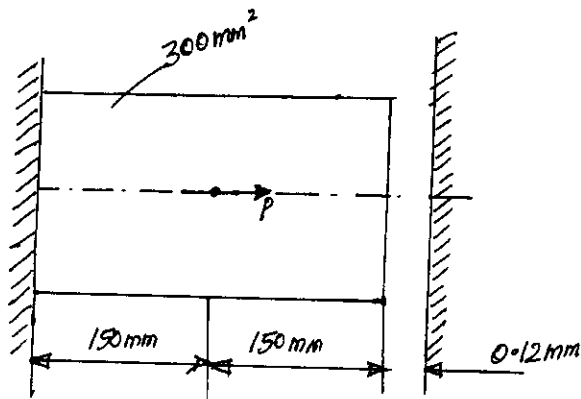


Fig.Q7(a)

- b. For the two bar truss shown in Fig.Q7(b), determine the nodal displacements and stress in each number. Also find the support reaction. Take $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$. (10 Marks)

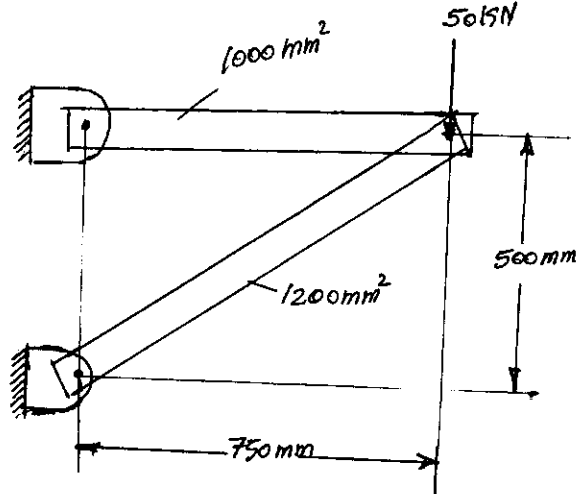


Fig.Q7(b)

- 8 a. For the beam shown in Fig.Q8(a), determine the end reaction and deflection at mid span. Take $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$, $I = 4 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$. (10 Marks)

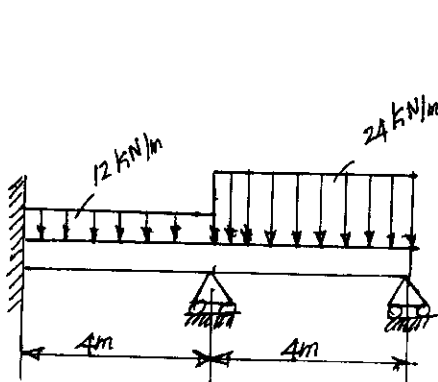


Fig.Q8(a)

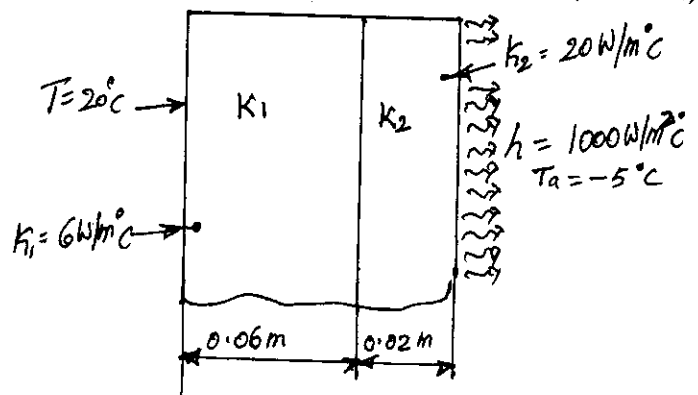


Fig.Q8(b)

- b. Determine the temperature distribution through the composite wall subjected to convection heat loss on the right side surface with convection heat transfer coefficient shown in Fig.Q8(b). The ambient temperature is -5°C . (10 Marks)
