

# IA ANSWERS

**Engineering Tripos Part IA, June 2001, Paper 1 : Answers (Section A)**

- 1 a) 0.0785 kgs<sup>-1</sup>, ( $\rho = 1.570 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )  
 b) 65.94 kW, 1303.3 K  
 c) 3.57 kW, 1258.3 K  
 d) 1.131 bar  
 e) 50.82 kW, ( $\rho = 1.210 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )

- 2 a) Parallel Streamlines  
 b) -  
 c)  $F_{nozzle} = \frac{1}{2} A \rho v_2^2 (1 - \alpha)^2$   
 d)  $5_{VAR} - 3_{DIM} = 2$  or more N-D groups  
 $\frac{F_{NOZZLE}}{A \rho v_2^2}$  depends on  $\{\alpha\}$

- 3 d)  $X = L \frac{(\frac{1}{2}D - \frac{1}{3}L \sin \theta)}{(D - \frac{1}{2}L \sin \theta)}$   
 e)  $D \geq \frac{M \cos \theta}{\rho L} + \frac{2}{3}L \sin \theta$

- 4 a) 129% Excess Air  
 b) 10.8% Wet, 13.0% Dry  
 c) 159.2 kg/kmol H<sub>2</sub>  
 d) 755 m/s

- 5 a) System:  $Q - W = \Delta E$   
 c.v.  $\dot{Q} - \dot{W}_x = \dot{m} \Delta \left( h + \frac{1}{2} V^2 + gZ \right)$   
 b) 9800 kJ, 2800 kJ  
 c) (i) 13.7 kg,  $W = 4100 \text{ kJ}$   
 (ii)  $W_{DISP} = 1900 \text{ kJ}$   
 $W_x = 2200 \text{ kJ}$   
 d) None

**Section B: Mechanics and Vibrations**

6. (b)  $\omega_{AB} = \frac{\omega R \cos \theta}{L}$ ;  $v_{\text{sliding}} = \omega R \sin \theta$

(c)  $F_{(i)} = \frac{T}{R \sin \theta}$ ;  $F_{(ii)} = \frac{T + Q}{R \sin \theta}$

7. (a)  $J_X = \frac{3}{2} m R^2$

(b)(ii)  $\mu \geq \frac{1}{3}$

8. (b) Height =  $3.364R$

(c)  $I = 0.16\sqrt{gR}$  tangential to the path, in the direction of motion.

9. (a)  $\frac{\ddot{y}}{\omega_n^2} + \frac{2\zeta}{\omega_n} \dot{y} + y = \frac{2\zeta}{\omega_n} \dot{x} + x$ , with  $\zeta = \frac{\lambda}{2\sqrt{km}}$ ,  $\omega_n^2 = \frac{k}{m}$

(b)  $\left| \frac{F}{kH} \right| = \frac{\frac{\omega^2}{\omega_n^2} \sqrt{1 + \left( 2\zeta \frac{\omega}{\omega_n} \right)^2}}{\sqrt{\left( 1 - \frac{\omega^2}{\omega_n^2} \right)^2 + \left( 2\zeta \frac{\omega}{\omega_n} \right)^2}}$ , with  $\omega = \frac{2\pi v}{L}$

(c) (i)  $|F_{\text{max}}| \approx 880\text{N}$ , at  $v \approx 2\text{m/s}$ ; (ii)  $512\text{N}$

(d) At high frequencies mass becomes inertial, and  $\left| \frac{F}{kH} \right| \rightarrow 2\zeta \frac{\omega}{\omega_n}$

10. (c)  $0, \sqrt{\frac{k}{J}}, \sqrt{3\frac{k}{J}}$

(d)  $\sqrt{0.38\frac{k}{J}}, \sqrt{2.62\frac{k}{J}}$

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**Paper 2 Section A, Structures**

**Answers**

- 1 (a)  $V_A = V_F = 2W$  , vertically up;  $H_A = H_F = 2W$  , horizontally inwards.  
(b) Bending moments are zero everywhere.  
(c) Maximum moment at D =  $8WL/5$  (tension on the outside of the arch).
- 2 (a) (i)  $R_P = W/2$  down;  $R_Q = 3W/2$  up;  $R_P = 0$  .  
(ii)  $T_{PQ} = W/2$  ;  $T_{PR} = -\sqrt{2}W/2$  ;  $T_{QR} = \sqrt{2}W/2$  ;  $T_{QS} = \sqrt{2}W$  ;  $T_{RS} = -W$  .  
(b)  $\delta_{SV} = (5/2 + 3\sqrt{2})WL/AE$  (down).  
(c)  $\delta_{RV} = -WL/2AE + L/1000$  (down).
- 3 (b)  $\theta = q_0L^3/24EI$  (clockwise);  $\delta = q_0L^4/30EI$  (right).  
(c)  $\delta = 3q_0L^4/1280EI$  (right).
- 4 (a)  $\sigma_{\max \text{ tensile}} = 282 \text{ N/mm}^2$  ;  $\sigma_{\max \text{ compressive}} = -282 \text{ N/mm}^2$  .  
(b)  $\sigma_{\max \text{ tensile}} = 249 \text{ N/mm}^2$  ;  $\sigma_{\max \text{ compressive}} = -143 \text{ N/mm}^2$  .  
(c) shearing force/bolt = 23820 N.
- 5 (a)  $P_E = 269.9 \text{ kN}$  .  
(c)  $\delta_{\max} = 0.2 \text{ mm}$  ;  $M_{\max} = 405 \text{ Nm}$  ;  $\sigma_{\max \text{ compressive}} = -479 \text{ N/mm}^2$  ;  
 $\sigma_{\text{average}} = -324 \text{ N/mm}^2$  .

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**Paper 2 Section B: MATERIALS**

**Question 6**

(a)

Roughly speaking,  $E_L = E_f V_f$  and  $E_T = E_{matrix}$ .

$$E_L = 200 \text{ GPa}$$

$$E_T = 3\text{-}4 \text{ GPa, some 50 times or more smaller.}$$

(b)

The mass  $m$  is proportional to  $\rho/(E^{1/2})$ .

(c)

<i>Material</i>	$\rho/(E^{1/2})$	<i>% wt change</i>
Stainless	0.57	0
Epoxy	0.63	10.5 gain (heavier)
CFRP	0.11	80 saving (lighter)

**Question 7**

(c)

The shear stress  $\tau_y$  required to move a dislocation on a single slip plane is ~22 MPa. The total yield strength of the dispersion strengthened alloy is 30 MPa (yield strength of pure Al taken from Databook) *plus*  $3 \times 22 \text{ MPa}$  ( $3\tau_y$ ), giving a total of 96.5 MPa.

**Question 8**

(b)

$$t = p R/2\sigma = (20 \times 1000)/(2 \times 180) = 55.6 \text{ mm.}$$

(c)

$$\sigma = pr/2t = (40 \times 1000)/(2 \times 55.6) = 360 \text{ MPa.}$$

This is less than the yield stress of 500 MPa; yielding will not therefore occur.

$$K_I = \sigma(\pi a)^{1/2} = K_c \text{ at fast fracture.}$$

$$\sigma(\pi a)^{1/2} = 360 (\pi \times 0.005)^{1/2} = 45 \text{ MPa m}^{1/2}$$

This is less than half the fracture toughness value of  $100 \text{ MPa m}^{1/2}$ . Fast fracture should not occur.

**Question 9**

(d)

$$\varepsilon_{500} = \varepsilon_{560} \times 0.110 = 1.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}^{-1}.$$

**Question 10**

(d)

6.36 years.

1A Paper 3: Numerical Answers (Section A)

Section A

1(a) 1.262 A

(b) Power input to battery = 12 W

Power from battery as heat = 1 W

Power lost in ammeter = 0.1 W

Power lost in  $50\Omega$  resistor = 3.43 W

Fraction of power in battery = 72.6%

(c) 1.002 A

2 (a)  $i/v_s = 1/R$

(b)  $i/v_s = \frac{1}{\left(R + \frac{R}{A}\right) + j\frac{\omega L}{A}}$

(c) 3dB point is  $f = 9.1f_c$

3 (a) Power factor = 0.53

(b)  $C = 0.365 \mu\text{F}$

(c) High voltage supply = 470 V, power factor = 0.545

4 (b) If  $C_2 \rightarrow \infty$  then gain =  $-g_m R_1$

(c) If  $\omega \rightarrow 0$ , gain =  $-g_m R_1 / (1 + g_m R_2)$

(d) Gain = 2.09 with phase change of  $-120^\circ$

11 (a)  $H = I/2\pi r$

(b)  $V = -d\phi/dt$

(c)  $(\mu_o/2\pi) \ln(b/a)$

## IA 2001 Paper 4 Mathematical Methods

Answers:

1) distance to origin is  $d/\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$

Shortest distance between two lines is  $d(a, b, c)/(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$

2) a)  $-\pi/\sqrt{3}$ , b)  $1/3$ ,

c) i)  $y = (2n + 1)\pi/2$ ,  $x = (-1)^n \sinh^{-1}(1)$ .

ii)  $2^{1/6}(e^{i\pi/12}, e^{i9\pi/12}, e^{i17\pi/12})$ ,

and  $2^{1/6}(e^{-i\pi/12}, e^{i7\pi/12}, e^{i15\pi/12})$ .

3) a)  $x(t) = (-3t - 4)e^{-t/2} + 2 \sin(t/2) + 4$ .

b)  $y_n = (n + 1)(-1/2)^n$ .

4) b)  $s=2$ ,  $t=1$ .

c)  $\mathbf{l}$  is an eigenvector with eigenvalue 1.

5)  $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{x} = \alpha\mathbf{u}_1/\lambda_1 + \beta\mathbf{u}_2/\lambda_2 + \gamma\mathbf{u}_3/\lambda_3$

$\mathbf{A}^N\mathbf{x} = \alpha\lambda_1^N\mathbf{u}_1 + \beta\lambda_2^N\mathbf{u}_2 + \gamma\lambda_3^N\mathbf{u}_3$

$(\mathbf{A}^{-1})^N\mathbf{x} = \alpha\mathbf{u}_1/\lambda_1^N + \beta\mathbf{u}_2/\lambda_2^N + \gamma\mathbf{u}_3/\lambda_3^N$

6) i)  $t < a$ ,  $y(t) = \frac{A}{b}(1 - e^{tb})$

ii)  $t > a$ ,  $y(t) = \frac{A}{b}e^{-bt}(e^{ab} - 1)$

7)  $a_0 = 8/3$ ,  $a_n = \frac{16(-1)^n}{n^2\pi^2}$ .

9) (5,0) - minimum

(-5,0) - maximum

(3,4) - saddle point

(-3,-4) - saddle point