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## Paper 1 - Mechanics

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1.  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}} ; \underline{v}_R = (q\omega_2 - r\omega_1)\underline{i} ; \underline{a}_R = (-q\omega_2^2 + 2r\omega_1\omega_2)\underline{i} - r\omega_1^2\underline{k}$

2.  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ m s}^{-1}$

3.  $\sim 34 \text{ rad s}^{-2}$

4.  $\frac{a+r}{r}\theta ; 0.342$

5.  $\frac{\sqrt{1099}ma}{32} \quad x/L = 0.4046$

6. (i) B,  $90^\circ$  and C,  $233^\circ$  from the out of balance at A

(ii) 36.3 N

(iii) 0.072 kg at A and C at angular positions  $214^\circ$  and  $34^\circ$  respectively from out of balance at A.

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## Paper 2 - Structures

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1. b) (i) 3.66 kN; (ii)  $10.6^\circ$ ; (iii)  $10.6^\circ$

2. a) 4960 kNm, 4520 kN,  $2500 \text{ kN/m}^2$

b)  $\sigma_1 = 140 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\sigma_2 = 21 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\sigma_3 = 0$   
( $\sigma_1$  at  $20.8^\circ$  from hoop direction.)  
 $\epsilon_1 = 636 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $\epsilon_2 = -100 \times 10^{-6}$ ,  $\epsilon_3 = -230 \times 10^{-6}$

c)  $-27.6 \text{ MN} \leq \text{axial force} \leq 43.3 \text{ MN}$

3. c) (i) 31.6 kN/m (ii) No change

4. b)  $\lambda = 43$ ; d) 1.84 mm

5. 7640 kN

6. (ii)  $\frac{5}{12} \frac{WL^3}{EI} - \frac{\alpha \Delta T L}{3}$

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## Paper 3 - Materials

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1.

- (b)  $\text{Cu}_2\text{Sb}$ .
- (c) Eutectic at  $650^\circ\text{C}$ :  $L(31\% \text{ Sb}) = \alpha(12\% \text{ Sb}) + \beta(32\% \text{ Sb})$ .  
Eutectic at  $520^\circ\text{C}$ :  $L(77\% \text{ Sb}) = \text{Cu}_2\text{Sb} + \delta(98\% \text{ Sb})$ .  
Eutectoid at  $420^\circ\text{C}$ :  $\beta(42\% \text{ Sb}) = \varepsilon(38\% \text{ Sb}) + \text{Cu}_2\text{Sb}$ .

2.

- (b) Volume =  $10.6 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^3$ .  
Distance between cracks  $\approx 230 \text{ mm}$ .

3.

- (b) Time = 2.25 h. Hardness = HV960.

4.

- (a) Merit index for external-pressure buckling =  $(E^{1/2} / \rho)$ .  
Merit index for yield or compressive brittle failure =  $(\sigma_f / \rho)$ .  
Optimum material is alumina, with a mass of 2.02 tonne and a wall thickness of 41 mm.  
Limiting failure mechanisms: buckling for alumina, glass and alloy steel;  
compressive yielding for titanium alloy and aluminium alloy.

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## Paper 4 - Fluid Mechanics and Heat Transfer

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1. (a)  $p = p_o \exp [-gy/RT_o]$

2. (a)  $t = 2h^{\frac{1}{2}} (D/d)^2 [(1 - d^4/D^4)/2g]^{\frac{1}{2}}$   
(b)  $fL/d \ll 1$

3. (a) Blood  
(c) 0.760 mm

4. (b)  $h_2 = 4.61m$   
 $V_2 = 3.12 \text{ m/s}$   
(c) 5.54 m/s

5. -

6. (a)  $T = 825K$   
(b)  $T = 1369^\circ\text{C}$

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## Paper 5 - Electrical Engineering

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1. i) Class A amplifier: Output resistance =  $R_C$ ; Gain =  $-\frac{h_{fe}R_C}{h_{ie}}$

ii) Class B amplifier: Input resistance =  $(h_{fe} + 1) R_L + h_{ie}$ ; Gain =  $\frac{(h_{fe} + 1)R_L}{(h_{fe} + 1)R_L + h_{ie}}$

Voltage at input to Class B amplifier =  $-\frac{(h_{fe} + 1)R_L + h_{ie}}{(h_{fe} + 1)R_L + h_{ie} + R_C} \cdot \frac{h_{fe}R_C}{h_{ie}} v_i$

2. i) Diff. gain =  $-\frac{h_{fe}R_C}{R_B + h_{ie}}$  ii) Common-mode gain =  $-\frac{h_{fe}R_C}{R_B + h_{ie} + 2(h_{fe} + 1)R_T}$

$R_B = 350 \Omega$ ;  $R_T = 22.4 \text{ k}\Omega$ ;  $V_{CC} = +19 \text{ V}$ ;  $V_{EE} = -897 \text{ V}$ .

Constant current source  $\cong 40 \text{ mA}$ ; CMRR is then infinite.

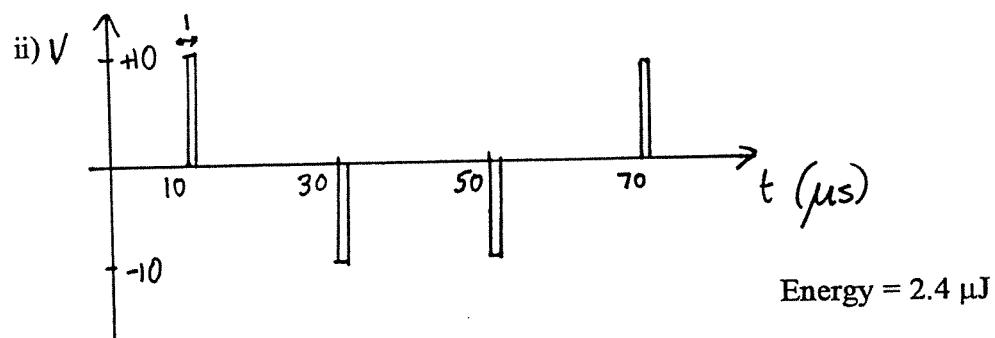
3.  $P = 6575 \text{ W}$ ;  $Q = +6889 \text{ VAR}$ ; Capacitor value =  $42.4 \mu\text{F}$ ;  $P = 2847 \text{ W}$ ;  
 $Q = -1423 \text{ VAR}$ ; Line voltage at load 2 =  $421.8 \text{ V}$

4. (c) Speed = 1048 rpm (d) Field voltage = 80 V; Speed = 2455 rpm;  
Efficiency = 76.2 %

5.  $P_{gen} = 41.15 \text{ MW}$ ;  $Q_{gen} = 43.3 \text{ MVar}$ ;  $P_{feeder} = 1.15 \text{ MW}$ ;  $V_{gen} = 23.9 \text{ kV}$ ;  
Factor = 9.2

$$6. \frac{\partial I}{\partial z} = -C \frac{\partial V}{\partial t}; \quad \frac{\partial V}{\partial z} = -L \frac{\partial I}{\partial t}; \quad \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2} - LC \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial t^2} = 0; \quad v = 1/\sqrt{LC}$$

i)  $\rho_V = -1$  (short-circuited end),  $\rho_V = +1$  (open-circuited end)



$$7. \overline{\mathbf{H}} = u_y \frac{E_0}{\eta_0} \exp j(\omega t - \beta z)$$

$$\overline{\mathbf{P}} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{H}^* = u_z \frac{E_0^2}{2\eta_0} \text{ for plane electromagnetic waves traveling in the } z \text{ direction.}$$

$$\text{i) Reflected E-field} = \frac{\sqrt{\mu_r} - 1}{\sqrt{\mu_r} + 1} E_i; \text{ Transmitted E-field} = \frac{2\sqrt{\mu_r}}{\sqrt{\mu_r} + 1} E_i \quad \text{ii) 10.9 \%}$$

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## Paper 6 - Information Engineering

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1. a)  $\frac{1}{s^2+2s+K_p}$ ,  $\frac{K_p}{s^2+2s+K_p}$ ,  
b)  $\xi = 1/\sqrt{K_p}$ ,  $K_p = 1$ 
  - (i) 0
  - (ii) 0
  - (iii) 1
  - (iv) -2
2. b)  $T_f = 2$ ,  $K_d = 3.4$ ,  $K_p = 1.44$   
c)  $8.5^\circ$ ,  $0.0235^\circ$
3. a)  $K_p = 0.25$ ,  $GM = 14.8$  (23.5dB)  
b)  $\alpha \leq 0.09$
4. b)
  - (i)  $-0.5 < K < 4$
  - (ii)  $K = 2$
5. -
6. a) 600 k bit/sec  
b) 74dB, 98dB, 20kHz, 15kHz

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## Paper 7 - Mathematical Methods

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1. Volume,  $V = \frac{7a^4}{12}$
2.  $\mathbf{p} = \frac{kr}{r^3}$ ,  $\operatorname{curl} \mathbf{p} = \operatorname{div} \mathbf{p} = 0$   
Work done,  $W = -\frac{k}{30}$
3. Area of ellipse,  $A = \pi ab$
4. Accuracy of approximation =  $O(\Delta t)^2$
5.  $I_o = 7.58 \times 10^{-10} \text{ A}$ ,  $V_s = 0.036V$
6. i).  $Y(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}[X(\omega - \omega_o) + X(\omega + \omega_o)]$   
ii)  $Y(\omega) = \frac{1}{T} \sum_n \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{n\omega_o T}{2}\right) X(\omega - n\omega_o)$
7.  $f_b = 10 \text{ kHz}$ ,  $\Delta f = 19.5 \text{ Hz}$   $H(\omega) = e^{-j\omega T} \operatorname{sinc}^2\left(\frac{\omega T}{2}\right)$
8.  $W \geq 1242g$

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## Paper 8 - Selected Topics

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1. (b) Overall depth = 675 mm,  $d = 600 \text{ mm}$   
(c)  $11300 \text{ mm}^2$  in tension face  
(d)  $7540 \text{ mm}^2$  in compression face,  $18840 \text{ mm}^2$  in tension face,
2. (a) 20.7 %  
(b) 17.1 %, 0.46  
(c) 2.24 m
3. (a) 24.7 kPa  
(b) 50.1 kPa  
(c) 9.68 kPa
4. (a) 220 rpm  
(d) 1 Mb
6. (c)  $k=64 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}$ , 465 Hz, 590 Hz  
(d) 530 Hz, 680 Hz
7. (a) 259.8 K, 46.5 kPa  
(b) 805.5 K, 1840 kPa  
(c) 945.5 K, 332.6 kPa  
(d) 50.92 kPa, 422 m/s  
(e) 5.75
8. (a) Gross Thrust =  $(m_a + m_f)v_j$  = Thrust on test bed  
Net Thrust =  $(m_a + m_f)v_j - m_a v_1$  = Thrust in flight  
(b)  $\frac{\dot{m}_a \sqrt{c_p T_{02}}}{D^2 P_{02}}$  or  $\frac{\dot{m}_f LCV}{\sqrt{c_p T_{02}} D^2 P_{02}}$  or  $\frac{P_{04}}{P_{02}}$   
(d) 236.7 kg/s, 1425 K  
(e) 31.28 kN
11. (b)  $f_{\min} = \exp\left[-\frac{k_g \pi d h}{G}\right]$   
(c) 0.571
12. (b)  $L_{\min} = HG \left[1 - \frac{c_g T}{c_g B}\right]$   
(c)  $L_{\min} = 1.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ ,  $d = 1.37 \text{ m}$

13. (a)  $5 \times 10^{21} \text{ m}^{-3}$   
(b)  $4 \mu\text{m}$   
(c)  $3.2 \text{ mA}, 8 \times 10^7 \text{ W m}^{-2}$   
(d)  $-3.77 \text{ V}$
14. (c)  $41 \text{ n}^2 \text{ eV}$
15. (b)  $5 \mu\text{m}, 20 \mu\text{m}$   
(d)  $2.8 \text{ s}$   
(e)  $13.8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$