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CE—301

B. TECH

THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2002-2003 FLUID MECHANICS

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

Note : (1) Attempt **ALL** the questions.

(2) Use Illustrations wherever required.

(3) Assume missing data suitably, if any, and state the assumptions made.

1. Answer any **FOUR** of the following :— (5×4=20)

(a) Explain the phenomenon of Capillarity. Obtain an expression for capillary rise or fall of a liquid in very small diameter tube.

(b) What is Continuum ? Is air a continuum ? Does it always remain so ?

(c) Define the following and give one practical example for each :—

Laminar flow, Turbulent flow, Unsteady flow and Uniform flow.

(d) Describe the use and limitations of the flow nets.

(e) Check whether the function $\Psi = A(x^2 - y^2)$ represent the possible irrotational flow phenomenon.

(f) Prove that a stream function ψ represents the equation for a stream line.

2. Answer any FOUR of the following :— (5×4=20)

- (a) What are the conditions of equilibrium of a floating body ? Discuss with neat sketches.
- (b) A circular plate 4m diameter is immersed in water in such a way that its greatest and least depth below the free surface are 4m and 2 m respectively. Determine the total pressure on one face of the plate and position of the centre of pressure.
- (c) Derive Bernoulli's equation from Euler equation of motion. State the assumption also.
- (d) Discuss the relative merits and demerits of Venturimeter with respect to Orifice meter.
- (e) Describe the Momentum Equation. State the practical application of the momentum equation.
- (f) Define the terms C_d , C_c , C_v and derive the expression $C_d = C_c \times C_v$

Where C_d = Coefficient of discharge

C_c = Coefficient of contraction

C_v = Coefficient of velocity

3. Answer any TWO of the following :— (10×2=20)

- (a) Derive an expression for the loss of head due to friction in pipes.
- (b) Prove that for viscous flow through a circular pipe, the Kinetic energy correction factor is equal to 2.
- (c) What do you mean by dimensionless numbers ? Derive expression for any two-dimensionless numbers.

4. Answer any TWO of the following :— (10×2=20)

- (a) Define displacement thickness. Derive an expression for momentum thickness for boundary layer flow.
- (b) What do you mean by Separation of boundary layer ? What is the effect of pressure gradient on boundary layer thickness ?
- (c) What is meant by water hammer ? What allowance is usually made for this in penstock design.

5. Answer any TWO of the following :—

- (a) What is a Syphon ? Where is it used ? Explain its action. Derive an expression for the length of its inlet leg. (2+2+2+4=10)
- (b) (i) Derive an expression for the loss of head due to Sudden enlargement. (7)
(ii) What is equivalent pipe ? (3)
- (c) Differentiate between : (10)
 - (i) Stream lines body and Bluff body.
 - (ii) Friction drag and Pressure drag.

