

GBGS SCHEME

15ME61

Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, July/August 2021 Finite Element Analysis

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

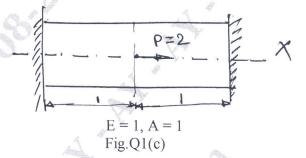
1 a. Explain the basic steps in the finite element methods.

(06 Marks)

b. State principle of minimum potential energy.

(02 Marks)

c. Fig.Q1(c) shows a bar fixed at both ends subjected to an axial load as indicated. Determine the displacement at loading point using Rayleigh-Ritz method.



(08 Marks)

2 a. Explain the plane stress and plane strain problems with examples.

(05 Marks)

b. Using principle of minimum potential energy determine the displacement at the nodes for a spring system shown in Fig.Q2(b). Take $K_1 = 40$ N/m, $K_2 = 60$ N/m, $K_3 = 80$ N/m, $F_1 = 60$ N, $F_2 = 50$ N.

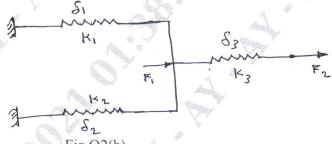


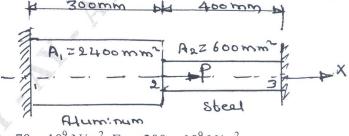
Fig.Q2(b)

(08 Marks)

c. State and explain the convergence requirement for the finite element solution.

(03 Marks)

3 a. The bar shown in Fig.Q3(a), an axial load $P = 200 \times 10^3$ N is applied as shown, using the penalty approach for handling boundary conditions, determine nodal displacements.



 $E_1 = 70 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2$, $E_2 = 200 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2$

Fig.Q3(a)

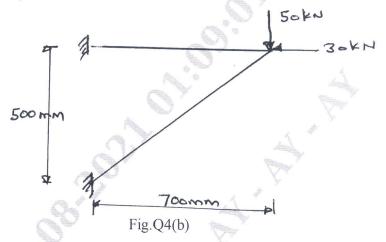
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b. Derive shape functions for CST element.

(06 Marks)

4 a. Explain briefly the iso-parametric, sub parametric and super-parametric elements. (06 Marks)

b. For the two bar truss shown in Fig.Q4(b), determine nodal displacements element. Take E = 200 GPa, area of each bar = 1000 mm^2

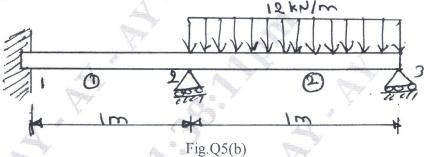


(10 Marks)

5 a. Derive Hermit shape function for beam element.

(06 Marks)

b. For the beam and loading shown in Fig.Q5(b), determine the slopes at 2 and 3 and the vertical deflection at the midpoint of the distributed load. Take E = 200 GPa, $I = 4 \times 10^6$ mm⁴.

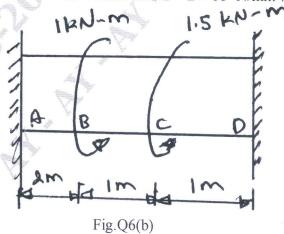


(10 Marks)

6 a. Derive stiffness matrix for the beam element.

(06 Marks)

b. A bar of circular cross section having a diameter of 50 mm is firmly fixed at its ends and subjected to a torque at B and C as shown in Fig.Q6(b). Determine maximum angle of twist and shear stresses. Take $G = 7 \times 10^4 \text{ N/mm}^2$ and $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$.

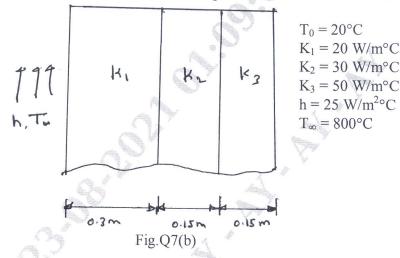


(10 Marks)

7 a. Discuss the Galerkin approach for 1-D heat conduction problem.

(06 Marks)

b. A composite wall consists of three materials, as shown in Fig.Q7(b). The outer temperature is $T_0 = 20$ °C. Convection head transfer takes place on the inner surface of the wall with $T_{\infty} = 800$ °C and $h = 25 \text{ W/m}^2$. Determine temperature distribution in the wall.

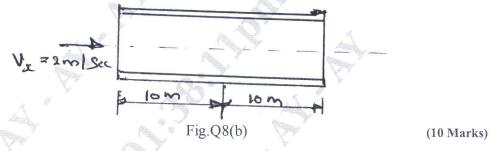


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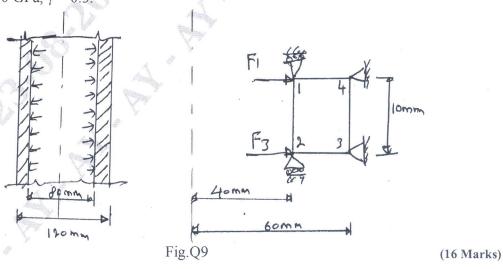
8 a. Derive the stiffness matrix for one dimensional fluid element.

(06 Marks)

b. For the smooth pipe shown in Fig.Q8(b) with uniform cross section of 1 m², determine the flow velocities at the centre and right end, knowing the velocity at the left is $V_x = 2$ m/sec.



In Fig.Q9, a long cylinder of inside diameter 80 mm and outside diameter 120 mm snugly fits in a hole over its length. The cylinder is then subjected to an internal pressure 2 MPa. Using two elements on the 10 mm length, find the displacements at the inner radius. Take E = 200 GPa, $\gamma = 0.3$.



Evaluate eigen vectors and eigen values for the stepped bar shown in Fig.Q10. Take E=200 GPa specific weight 7850 kg/m³. Draw mode shapes. Take $A_1=400$ mm² and $A_2=200$ mm².

