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Second Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2019
Materials & Methods in Building Construction – II

Time: 4 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. Answer FIVE full questions, selecting ONE full question from each module.
2. All questions should be answered in Drawing sheet only.

Module – 1

- 1 Draw the roofing construction drawing for a suitable span by using “Queen Post Roof”, Mangalore Tiles on the above “Timber Truss”. Show the following in 1 : 20 scale.
- Sectional elevation of roof truss.
 - Any two details to a scale of 1 : 10. (20 Marks)
- 2 Write short notes on:
- Lean-to-roof and its advantages with a neat sketch. (05 Marks)
 - Difference between collared roof and king post roof. (05 Marks)
 - Advantages of timber and steel roof truss. (05 Marks)
 - Methods of fixing G.I and aluminium roofing sheets using neat sketches. (05 Marks)

Module – 2

- 3 Write short notes on the following:
- Explain the limitation of reinforced concrete constructions. (10 Marks)
 - What are the advantages of reinforced concrete over other methods? (10 Marks)
- 4 Write short notes on:
- Mention different types of cement and its use in casting shapes. (10 Marks)
 - What are the properties of concrete? (10 Marks)

Module – 3

- 5 Answer the following :
- What are different grades of concrete and their uses? (07 Marks)
 - What are ‘Admixtures’ and its advantages? (07 Marks)
 - Explain about Ready-Mix Concrete (RMC). (06 Marks)
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- What are ‘Form works’ and its need in R.C.C works? (10 Marks)
 - Explain in detail about the necessity of curing in concrete. (10 Marks)

Module – 4

- 7
- What are construction joints? (05 Marks)
 - Explain the need of expansion joints and where they are required? (05 Marks)
 - Explain the construction of ‘Grillage foundation’ and its advantages. (05 Marks)
 - Explain with neat sketches differences between R.C.C column and wall foundations. (05 Marks)
- 8
- Design and draw an ‘Architectural Single Flight Staircase’ – Assume suitable dimensions and floor height to a suitable scale. (15 Marks)
 - What are the different types of staircase and its advantages? (05 Marks)

Module – 5

- 9 Write short notes on: (with suitable sketches)
- a. Folded plate staircase. (05 Marks)
 - b. Spiral stair case. (05 Marks)
 - c. Methods and means of construction of brick staircase. (05 Marks)
 - d. What are 'Composite staircases'? (05 Marks)
- 10 a. Draw and show 2 details of 'Steel Stair Case'. Assume appropriate dimensions. (10 Marks)
- b. How do you use wood and concrete for staircase design and construction? (10 Marks)

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