**BCV405C** 

## Fourth Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Supplementary Examination, June/July 2024

**Concreting Techniques and Practices** 

Time: 3 hrs.

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Max. Marks: 100

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module. 2. M: Marks, L: Bloom's level, C: Course outcomes.

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3. Use of IS-10262-2019 and IS-456-2000 code books are allowed.

Module – 1			Μ	L	С			
Q.1	a.	Mention different types of cement.	10	L1	CO2			
	b.	Explain the following :	10	L2	CO2			
		i) Fly ash and its effects on concrete						
		ii) Rice Hush Ash						
OR								
Q.2	a.	Name the different tests on cement. Explain any two test on cement.	10	L1	CO1			
	b.	Briefly explain the tests conducted on fine aggregates.	10	L2	CO1			
		i) Sieve Analysis ii) Specific Gravity test.						
Module – 2								
Q.3	a.	Explain the role of admixture in concrete techniques.	10	L2	CO2			
	b.	Explain briefly the action of accelerate and superplasticizers in the	10	L2	CO2			
		concrete. Also name any two accelerators used in industry.						
OR								
Q.4	a.	Name the importance of aggregate in concrete.	06	L1	CO1			
	b.	What is blending of aggregates? Explain methods of blending and its	07	L2	CO1			
		consideration during blending process.						
	c.	Explain the steps in gradation optimization with example.	07	L2	CO1			
Module – 3								
Q.5	a.	What is volumetric mix design? Explain the steps in volumetric mix design	10	L2	CO2			
		as per IS code.						
	b.	Explain factors influencing choice of mix design as IS 10262.	10	L2	CO2			
OR								
Q.6		Design a concrete mix for M20 grade of concrete with the following design	20	L3	CO3			
		stipulation as per IS 10262-2019 guide lines:						
		a. Grade designation : M20						
		b. Type of cement : Ultra Tech PPC						
		c. Maximum size of aggregate : 20mm						
		d. Minimum cement content : 320kg/m <sup>3</sup>						
		e. Workability : 75mm slump						
		f. Exposure condition : Mild						
		g. Degree of supervision : Good						
		h. Type of Aggregate : Crushed angular aggregate						
		i. Max. Cement content : 450 kg/m <sup>3</sup>						
		j. Chemical Admixture : Not recommended			-			
		k. Specific gravity of cement : 3.05						
		1. Specific gravity of Coarse Aggregate : 2.68						
		m. Specific gravity of F.A : 2.66						
		n. Water Absorption C.A : 0.85%						
		F.A : 1.15%						

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Module – 4								
Q.7	a.	What is the difference between weigh batching and volume batching?	06	L1	<b>CO4</b>			
	b.	Explain the methods of mixing in concrete production.	07	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
	c.	Why compaction is required to concrete? Explain compaction methods by	07	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
		vibration.						
OR								
Q.8	a.	Why curing is needed to concrete? Explain curing methods.	10	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
	b.	What is RMC? How its manufactured? Explain briefly.	10	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
Module – 5								
Q.9	a.	What is self compacting concrete? Explain the materials required for self	10	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
		compacting concrete used.						
	b.	What is light weight concrete? Name the aggregates used as light weight	10	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
		aggregate? Explain its property.						
OR								
Q.10	a.	Explain the fiber types used in fibre reinforced concrete.	05	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
	b.	Write a short notes on :	10	L2	<b>CO4</b>			
		i) Geopolymer concrete ii) Ferrocement						
	c.	What is guniting? Explain steps in guniting process.	05	L2	CO4			

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