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PRE-STRESSED CONCRETE DESIGN

Paper-MTSD-103

Time allowed : 3 hours]

[Maximum marks : 100

Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Assume suitable data if not provided. Use of relevant code is allowed.

1. (a) What is pre-stressed concrete. Explain advantages and disadvantages of pre-stressed concrete over normal concrete. (10)
- (b) A pre-stressed concrete beam of section 120 mm wide and 300 mm deep is used over an effective span of 6 meter to support a uniformly distributed load of 4 kN/m which includes the self weight of the beam. The beam is pre stressed by a straight cable carrying a force of 180 kN and located at an eccentricity of 50 mm. Determine the location of thrust line in the beam and plot its position at quarter and central span section. (10)
2. (a) Explain the difference between load carrying Mechanism of reinforced and pre-stressed concrete beam section with sketch. (8)

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- (b) A Pre-stressed concrete beam 120 mm wide and 300 mm deep is pre-stressed by a cable which has an eccentricity of 100 mm at the centre of span. The span of the beam is 6 meters. If the beam supports two concentrated loads of 10 kN each at one-third span points. Determine the magnitude of the pre-stressing force in cable for load balance under live load. 12
3. (a) Distinguish between Cable Line and Pressure Line with a diagram in a typical pre-stressed concrete beam. 10
- (b) Write a note on materials for pre-stressed concrete. 10
4. (a) Explain briefly the IS 1343 code method of design for moment of resisting of rectangular section. 8
- (b) A concrete beam of rectangular cross section 350 mm wide and 700 mm deep supports a uniformly distributed load of 20 kN/m in addition to its self weight. Select a suitable cable profile and the magnitude of pre-stressing force having an eccentricity of 100 mm at the centre of the span to support the dead and live load. 12

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5. (a) A post tensioned beam with unbounded tendons is of rectangular section 400 mm wide with an effective depth of 800 mm. The cross-sectional area of the pre-stressing steel is 2840 mm². The effective stress in steel after all the losses is 900 N/mm². The effective span of the beam is 14 m. if $f_{ck}=40$ N/mm², estimate the moment of resistance of the section using IS 1343 recommendation. 12
- (b) List and explain various types of losses in pre-tensioned and post tensioned members. 8
6. A rectangular concrete beam 360 mm deep and 200 mm wide is pre-stressed by means of fifteen 5 mm wires located 25 mm from the top of the beam. If the wires are initially tensioned to a stress of 840 N/mm². calculate the percentage loss of stress immediately after transfer, allowing for the loss of stress due to elastic deformation of concrete only. $E_s = 210$ kN/mm², $E_c = 31.5$ kN/mm². 20
7. A concrete beam with a cross-sectional area of 32X103 MM² and radius of gyration of 72 mm is pre-stressed by a parabolic cable carrying an effective stress of 1000N/mm². The span of beam is 8 m. the cable,

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