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Third Semester

Mechanical Engineering

15UME304 - FLUID MECHANICS AND MACHINERY

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Duration: 1.15 hrs

Maximum: 30 Marks

PART A - (6 x 1 = 6 Marks)

**(Answer any six of the following questions)**

1. The property of a liquid which offers resistance to the movement of one layer of liquid over another adjacent layer of liquid, is called CO1- R  
(a) Surface tension      (b) Compressibility      (c) Capillarity      (d) Viscosity
2. A flow in which the quantity of liquid flowing per second is constant, is called CO1- R  
(a) Steady flow      (b) Streamline flow      (c) Turbulent flow      (d) Unsteady flow
3. The hydraulic mean depth for a circular pipe of diameter(d) is CO2- R  
(a)  $d/6$       (b)  $d/4$       (c)  $d/2$       (d)  $d$
4. The total energy line lies over the hydraulic gradient line by an amount equal to the CO2- R  
(a) Pressure head      (b) Velocity head  
(c) Pressure head + velocity head      (d) Pressure head-velocity head
5. The square root of the inertia force of a flowing fluid to the elastic force called CO3- R  
(a) Mach number      (b) Reynolds number  
(c) Weber number      (d) Froude number
6. The dimension of velocity is CO3- R  
(a)  $LT^{-1}$       (b)  $T^{-1}$       (c)  $LT^{-2}$       (d)  $L^3T^{-1}$

7. A pelton wheel is CO4- R
- (a) Tangential flow impulse turbine (b) Inward flow impulse turbine
- (c) Outward flow impulse turbine (d) Inward flow reaction turbine
8. Multi-stage centrifugal pumps are used to CO4- R
- (a) Give high discharge (b) Produce high heads
- (c) Pump viscous fluids (d) All of the above
9. If the net positive suction head requirement for the pump is not CO5- R  
satisfied, then
- (a) No flow will take place (b) Cavitation will be formed
- (c) Efficiency will be low (d) Excessive power will be consumed
10. Which of the following pump is preferred for flood control and CO5- R  
irrigation applications?
- (a) Centrifugal pump (b) Axial flow pump
- (c) Mixed flow pump (d) Reciprocating pump

PART – B (3 x 8= 24 Marks)

**(Answer any three of the following questions)**

11. Determine the viscous drag torque and power observed one surface of CO1- App (8)  
a collar bearing half 0.2 m ID and 0.3 m OD with an oil film thickness  
of 1 mm and a viscosity of 30centi-poise if it rotates at 500 rpm.
12. Calculate the discharge through a pipe of diameter 200 mm when the CO2- App (8)  
difference of pressure head between the two ends of pipe 500 m  
apart is 4 m of water. Take value of  $f = 0.009$  and  $h_f = 4fLV^2 / 2gd$ .
13. Find an expression for the drag force on smooth sphere of diameter D CO3- Ana (8)  
moving with uniform velocity  $v$  in fluid density  $\rho$  and dynamic  
viscosity  $\mu$ .
14. A francis turbine has an inlet diameter of 2 m and an outlet diameter of CO4- App (8)  
1.2 m. The breath of the blades is constant at 0.2m. The runner rotates  
at a speed of 250 rpm with a discharge of  $8 \text{ m}^3$  per sec. The vanes are  
radial at the inlet and the discharge is radially outwards at the outlet.  
Calculate the angle of guide vane at the inlet and blade at the outlet.

15. A double acting reciprocating pump, running at 50 rpm is discharging 900 liters of water per minute. The pump has a stroke of 400 mm. The diameter of piston is 250 mm. The delivery and suction heads are 25 m and 4 m respectively. Find the slip of the pump and power required to drive the pump. CO5- App (8)