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Seventh Semester

Mechanical Engineering

01UME702 - FINITE ELEMENT ANALYSIS

(Regulation 2013)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

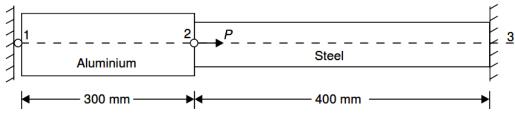
- 1. What is meant by discretization of domain?
- 2. Distinguish between local and global coordinate system.
- 3. How do you calculate the size of the global stiffness matrix?
- 4. List the properties of shape function.
- 5. What meant by plane stress analysis?
- 6. Give the salient feature of isoparametric element.
- 7. What is meant by path line?
- 8. What is the difference between lumped mass and consistent mass?
- 9. Mention two natural boundary conditions as applied to thermal problems.
- 10. Define heat transfer.

PART - B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

11. (a) The differential equation of the physical phenomenon is given by $d^2y/dx^2 + 500x^2 = 0; \ 0 \le x \le 1$, by using the trail function, $y = a_1(x - x^3) + a_2(x - x^5)$ solve using weighted residual methods. (16)

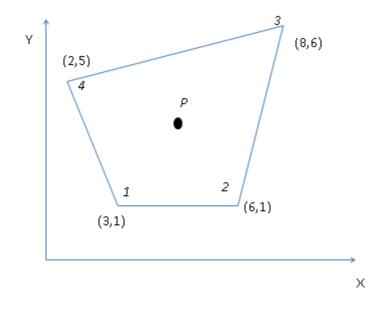
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- (b) A simply supported beam is subjected to uniformly distributed load over entire span and it is subjected to a point load at the center of the span. Calculate the deflection at midspan by using RayleighRitz method. (16)
- 12. (a) Determine the nodal displacement at node 2, stresses in each material and support reactions in the bar as shown in figure. Due to the applied force of 400 *KN* and temperature rise of 30°*C*. Take $A_1 = 2400 \text{ mm}^2$, $A_2 = 1200 \text{ mm}^2$, $E_1 = 0.7 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$, $E_2 = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$, $\alpha_1 = 22 \times 10^{-6\circ} \text{ C}$ and $\alpha_2 = 12 \times 10^{-6\circ} \text{ C}$. (16)





- (b) Using two finite elements, find the stress distribution in a uniformly tapering cross sectional area 3 cm^2 and 2 cm^2 at their ends, length 100mm subjected to an axial tensile load of 50 N at smaller end and fixed at larger end. Take the value of young's modulus $2 \times 10^5 \text{N/mm}^2$. (16)
- 13. (a) For the isoperametric quadrilateral element shown in fig. Determine the local coordinates of the point p which has Cartesian coordinates(7, 4).(16)





- (b) Derive the shape function and stiffness matrix for a CST element in general coordinate system under plane strain condition. (16)
- 14. (a) For the one dimensional bar as shown in figure, determine the natural frequencies of longitudinal vibration using two elements of equal length. Take $A = 600 mm^2$, $E = 2 \times 10^5 N/mm^2$, $\rho = 0.8 \times 10^{-4} N/mm^3$ and L = 400 mm. (16)



Or

(b) Identify the natural frequencies of longitudinal vibration of the constrained stepped bar shown in fig.6 Also find the mode shapes.

$$A_{1} = 2A$$

$$A_{2} = A$$

$$A_{3} = A$$

$$A_{1} = L/2$$

$$A_{2} = L/2$$

(16)

15. (a) Describe the major applications of MRP II software.

Or

(b) A furnace wall is made up of three layers inside with K = 8.5 W/mK, middle layer with K = 0.25 W/mK, outer layer with K = 0.08 W/mK. The respective thickness of the inner, middle and outer layers is 25 cm, 5 cm and 3cm respectively. Inside temperature is 600° C, outside temperature of the wall is exposed to air of 30° C with h = 45 W/m²K. Determine the nodal temperature. (16)

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