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Seventh Semester

Mechanical Engineering

14UME702 - FINITE ELEMENT ANALYSIS

(Regulation 2014)

Duration: 1:45 hour

Maximum: 50 Marks

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

(Answer any ten of the following questions)

- 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.
- 11. What is Rayleigh Ritz method?

- 12. State the principle of minimum potential energy.
- 13. Why polynomials are generally used as shape function?
- 14. How do you calculate the size of the global stiffness matrix?
- 15. What meant by plane stress analysis?

PART – B (3 x 10= 30 Marks)

(Answer any three of the following questions)

- 11. Explain the various steps involved in finite element method. (10)
- 12. Find out nodal displacement for a truss show in figure, Consider the Area and young modulus of truss elements are 1500 mm² and 2*10⁵ N/mm² respectively.



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13. Derive the displacement interpolation matrix H, strain-displacement interpolation matrix B, and Jacobian operator J for the three node truss element shown in figure

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14. Consider the Eigen problem

$$\mathbf{K}\boldsymbol{\Phi} = \lambda\boldsymbol{\Phi} \quad \text{with } \mathbf{K} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & \\ & 2 \\ & & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

and show that the Eigen vectors corresponding to the multiple Eigen value are not unique. (10)

15. A composite wall through which heat inside layer with $K_1=0.02 \text{ W/cm}^0\text{C}$. The middle layer $K_2=0.005 \text{ W/cm}^0\text{C}$ and outer layer $K_3=0.0035 \text{ W/cm}^0\text{C}$. The thickness of each layer 1.3cm,8cm and 2.5 cm respectively. Inside temperature of wall is 20^0C and outside temperature of the wall is -15^0C . Determine nodal temperature

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