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**Question Paper Code: U5311**

M.E. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOV 2024

Professional Elective

Structural Engineering

21PSE511- EXPERIMENTAL STRESS ANALYSIS AND TECHNIQUES

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Show the principle of load measurement using proving ring. CO1- U
2. Define Stress Optic law. CO2- App
3. Define Vibration analyzer CO1- U
4. Differentiate the use of XY plotter from conventional printer? CO1- U
5. Name any four signs of distress in concrete structures CO1- U
6. Define half-cell. CO3- Ana
7. When do you for Brittle Coating Techniques? CO2- App
8. Define GECOR. CO1- U
9. Difference between direct and indirect modeling CO1- U
10. Analyze Structural Problem CO1- U

PART – B (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

11. (a) Analyze the compensation methods in photo elasticity and explain in detail two methods of compensation in polariscope ? CO2- App (16)
- (b) Explain with neat sketches the construction and working of Huggenberg extensometer. CO2- App (16)

12. (a) Summarize Case Study on LVDT techniques. CO1-U (16)  
 Or  
 (b) Explain in detail about seismic recording Cathode Rays Oscilloscope. CO1-U (16)
13. (a) Prepare the Case study on controlled blasting of demolition Techniques. CO3-Ana (16)  
 Or  
 (b) Invent the various types of strengthening techniques adopted for structural distress. CO3-Ana (16)
14. (a) Construct with neat sketch explain the principle and construction of film anemometer? CO2-App (16)  
 Or  
 (b) Describe about the Principles and Application of the following: CO2-App (16)  
 (i) GECOR  
 (ii) GPR  
 (iii) Impact echo  
 (iv) Ultrasonic pulse echo
15. (a) Explain in Detail about the Necessity, Advantages & Applications of Indirect Model analysis? CO2- App (16)  
 Or  
 (b) Application of Model analysis in Structural member CO2- App (16)