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**M.TECH**  
**MDPC202**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Back Examination 2016-17**

**Bearings & Lubrication**

**BRANCH(S): MACHINE DESIGN, MECH. SYSTEM DESIGN**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max Marks: 70**

**Q.CODE: Z353**

**Answer Question No.1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.**

**The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.**

- Q1 **Answer the following questions:** (2 x 10)
- a) What are the prominent theories of friction?
  - b) Differentiate between fluidity and viscosity.
  - c) What is meant by a lightly loaded bearing? What parameters decides whether a bearing is lightly or moderately or heavily loaded?
  - d) Discuss in detail the surface energy and flash temperature theory.
  - e) Explain wear of ceramic materials
  - f) Briefly explain the working principle of hydrostatic thrust bearing with figures.
  - g) Which is the ideal location for the inlet hole in a hydrodynamic journal bearing?
  - h) What is a self-lubricating bearing and how does it function?
  - i) Explain the possible causes of bearing failure, and remedies.
  - j) Explain the mechanism of Pressure development in an oil film.
- Q2 a) Define absolute and kinematic viscosity. Also define viscosity index. (5)  
Discuss the effect of temperature on absolute viscosity of the lubricating Oil.
- b) State the different functions of the lubricants. Explain grease as lubricant in Detail. (5)
- Q3 a) State the different theories of friction. Explain any one of them which is most widely accepted with neat sketch. (5)
- b) Explain the diagnostic maintenance of tribological components and Considerations in IC engines and automobile parts. (5)

- Q4 a) Derive Reynold's equation for 3-D hydrodynamic lubrication. Also state the assumptions made in this derivation. (8)
- b) Explain oil whip and whirl. (2)
- Q5 a) Derive Petroff's equation for lightly loaded bearing. (4)
- b) The following data refers to a 360° hydrodynamic bearing: (6)  
Journal diameter = 40 mm, Bearing length = 20 mm,  
Radial load = 6.5 kN, Journal speed = 1500 r.p.m.,  
Radial clearance = 0.0, mm Oil viscosity = 25 cP.  
Find the minimum oil film thickness, friction coefficient, oil flow and power lost in churning.
- Q6 a) State and explain general requirements of good bearing materials. (3)
- b) The following data refers to a hydrostatic thrust bearing: (7)  
Thrust load = 500 kN, Shaft speed = 720 r.p.m.,  
Recess diameter = 300 mm, Shaft diameter = 500 mm,  
Film thickness = 0.15 mm, Viscosity of lubricant = 29.3 cP,  
Calculate the supply pressure, flow requirement in lit/min and power loss in pumping.
- Q7 a) Explain the EHD (elasto hydrodynamic) lubrication in detail. State the different examples of it. (6)
- b) Why additives are added in lubricants? Give the names of few additives and their functions. Classify the lubricants. (4)
- Q8 **Write short notes on any two** (5 x 2)
- a) Selection of bearing
- b) Significance of Stricbeck curve in lubrication
- c) Mechanism Of Wear
- d) Advanced material's use in tribology application.