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M.TECH
CEPC202

2nd Semester Regular/Back Examination – 2015-16
ADVANCED REINFORCED CONCRETE DESIGN
BRANCH(S): STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING,
STRUCTURAL AND FOUNDATION ENGINEERING

Time: 3 Hours

Max marks: 70

Q.CODE: T210

Answer Question No.1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.
The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.
(Use of IS 456-2000 and SP-16 is allowed)

- Q1 Answer the following questions: (2 x 10)
- a) State some advantages of limit state method.
 - b) What is 'shear span'?
 - c) In which situations doubly reinforced beams are required?
 - d) Why the short span is considered for bending moment calculations in two way slabs?
 - e) Why cover to reinforcements is required in RCC structures?
 - f) What is the purpose of taking minimum eccentricities in column design?
 - g) State the assumptions in yield line theory.
 - h) Draw a typical bar bending schedule format.
 - i) Showing the curtailment and also bent up bars, draw the reinforcement detailing of a continuous beam.
 - j) Draw figures showing different modes of shear cracking in RCC beams.
- Q2 a) A simply supported beam is of effective span 4.0 m. whose depth is limited to 350mm. The live load on the beam is 20 KN/m. There is one concentrated load of 20KN at mid span. Design the flexural reinforcements taking M_{25} concrete and Fe_{415} steel with mild exposure conditions. (5)
- b) Perform usual checks as per IS code for the above beam. (5)
- Q3 Determine the reinforcements required for a column of size 350mm x 450mm which is restrained against sway, bent in double curvature and there is equal distribution of reinforcement on all sides using the following data: Effective lengths in x and y directions are 4m and 3.8m. Unsupported length is 5m. Factored Load is 1500 kN. Use concrete grade M_{25} and steel Fe_{415} . Factored moment in the direction of larger dimension: 30 kN-m at top and 27 kN-m at bottom. Factored moment in the direction of shorter dimension: 29 kN-m at top and 21 kN-m at bottom. (10)
- Q4 a) Discuss several factors influencing crack width of RCC members. (5)
- b) Differentiate between one way shear and two way shear with examples. (5)
- Q5 a) Design the shear reinforcement of the beam in Q. No. 2(a) assuming Fe_{415} steel for shear reinforcement. Provide adequate curtailment of bars. (5)
- b) Apply necessary checks for the above shear design. (5)

- Q6 a) A rectangular beam of 300mm wide and 600mm deep is subjected to an ultimate twisting moment of 130kN-m combined with an ultimate (hogging) bending moment of 160 kN-m and an ultimate shear force of 110 kN. Design the torsional reinforcements. Assume M_{25} concrete, F_{e415} steel and severe exposure conditions. (5)
- b) Perform checks as usual for the above beam. (5)
- Q7 a) Design a simply supported rectangular slab of side 3m x 4m to carry a service load 4 kN/m^2 . Use yield line theory, M_{20} concrete and F_{e415} steel. (5)
- b) Draw the reinforcement details as per codal requirements. (5)
- Q8 Write Short Notes (Any two) (5 x 2)
- a) Difficulties in accurate prediction of deflections
 - b) Tension stiffening effect
 - c) Equilibrium method for limit analysis
 - d) Member stability effect in columns