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GIET UNIVERSITY, GUNUPUR – 765022
M. Tech (First Semester – Regular) Examinations, June – 2021
MPSE1051 – EARTHQUAKE RESISTANT DESIGN OF STRUCTURE
(Structural Engineering)

Time: 2 hrs

Maximum: 50 Marks

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

PART – A**(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)**Q1. Answer **ALL** questions

- a. What are the three main belts where majority earthquake occurs?
- b. What do you mean by plate tectonics?
- c. Define seismology
- d. Differentiate between P-waves and S-waves.
- e. Explain elastic rebound theory
- f. What is impounding of buildings?
- g. Give the different types of shear wall.
- h. Define ductility.
- i. Define modal participation factor.
- j. Generalize the term soil amplification.

PART – B**(6 x 5 = 30 Marks)**Answer ANY FIVE questions**Marks**

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| 2. List out the causes of earthquake and explain them briefly | (6) |
| 3. Describe plate tectonic theory with a neat sketch. | (6) |
| 4. Describe and elaborate D'Alembert's Principle | (6) |
| 5. A three storeyed symmetrical RC school building situated at Bhubaneswar with following data: Plan dimension: 7 m Storey height: 3.5 m Total weight of beams in a storey: 100 kN Total weight of slabs in a storey: 280 kN Total weight of columns in a storey: 50 kN Total weight of walls in a storey: 500 kN Live load: 100 kN Weight of terrace floor: 700kN The structure is resting on hard rock. Solve for the total base shear and lateral loads at each floor level for 5% of damping using seismic coefficient method. | (6) |
| 6. Explain in detail about the concept of base isolation | (6) |
| 7. Explain the recent zone classification in India | (6) |
| 8. Write notes on: | |
| a) Response spectrum | (6) |
| b) Base line correction | |

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