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**Second Semester, B.E. - Mechanical Engineering (MMDN)**

**Semester End Examination; May/June - 2018**

**Advanced Theory of Vibrations**

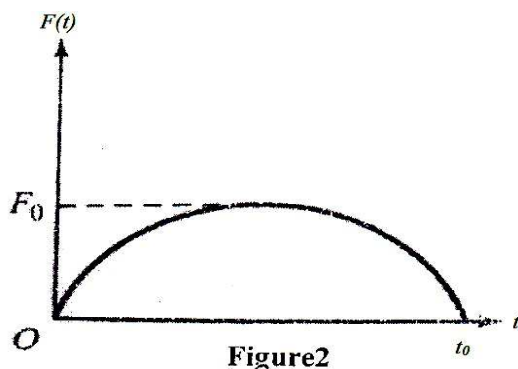
Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.

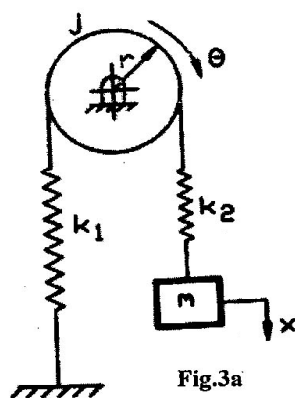
**UNIT - I**

1. Obtain the response equations for a single degree of freedom system subjected to an impulse excitation. 20
2. Find the undamped spectrum for the sinusoidal pulse force shown in Fig. 2. Using initial conditions  $x(0) = 0$  and  $\dot{x}(0) = 0$ .

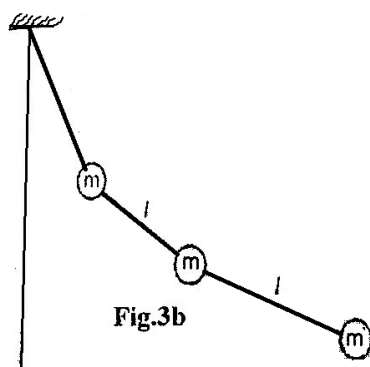


**UNIT - II**

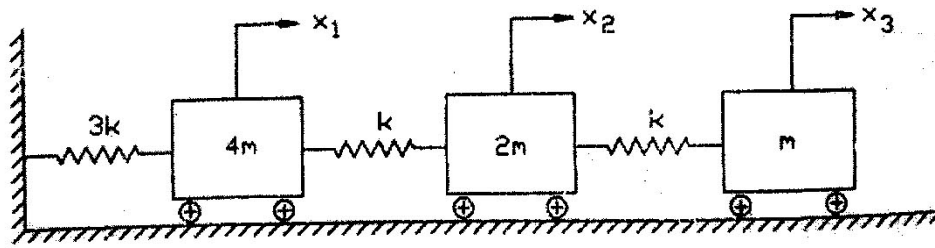
- 3 a. Find the flexibility influence coefficient of the system shown in Fig. 3a.



- b. Find the flexibility influence coefficient of the system shown in Fig. 3b.



4. Using influence coefficients, determine the three natural frequencies and the corresponding mode shapes.

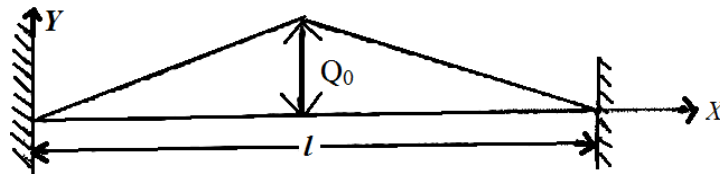


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**UNIT - III**

5. Derive the general solution for longitudinal vibrations of bars.
6. A uniform string of length ' $l$ ' and large initial tension  $S$ , stretched between two supports is displaced laterally through a distance  $Q_0$  at the center as shown in below figure and is released at  $t = 0$ . Find the equation of the string.

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**UNIT - IV**

- 7 a. Sketch and explain piezoelectric transducers.
- b. Explain with a schematic diagram of a LVDT transducer.
- 8 a. Briefly discuss about experimental modal analysis.
- b. With a neat sketch, explain frequency measuring instruments.

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**UNIT - V**

- 9 a. Explain frequency response curves for linear hard spring and soft spring system.
- b. Explain perturbation method for non-linear system.
- 10 a. Discuss the difference between linear and non-linear system.
- b. Discuss about phase-plane trajectories for a hard spring system.

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