



# P.E.S. College of Engineering, Mandya - 571 401

(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belagavi)

Second Semester, M. Tech - Civil Engineering (MCAD)

Semester End Examination; October - 2021

Seismic Resistant Design of Structures

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

## Course Outcomes

The Students will be able to:

CO1: Predict the source of earthquakes understanding seismology and conceptually design the building.

CO2: Apply the Response Spectrum Analysis Method and static equivalent method for the determination of lateral loads on the buildings.

CO3: Apply the knowledge of engineering to conceptually design of structural systems against earthquakes.

CO4: Apply ductility requirements for the design of structural components and summarize the seismic evaluation and retrofitting of structures.

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

**II)** Any **THREE** units will have internal choice and remaining **TWO** unit questions are compulsory.

**III)** Each unit carries 20 marks. Use of IS1893-2016 is permitted, missing data if any may be suitably assume.

| Q. No.           | Questions  | Marks     | BLs | COs | POs   |
|------------------|--|-----------|-----|-----|-------|
| <b>UNIT - I</b>  |  | <b>20</b> |     |     |       |
| 1 a.             | Mention the differences between;   |           |     |     |       |
|                  | i) Seismograph and Seismogram  | 10        | L1  | CO1 | PO1,2 |
|                  | ii) Magnitude and intensity of earthquake  |           |     |     |       |
| b.               | Explain with sketches, the different types of waves generated during earthquake.                   | 10        | L2  | CO1 | PO1,2 |
| <b>OR</b>        |  |           |     |     |       |
| 1 d.             | Explain plate tectonic theory and elastic rebound theory with respect to occurrence of earthquake. | 10        | L2  | CO1 | PO1,2 |
| e.               | Explain Seismic Zonation map of the county and what is its' usefulness in design.                  | 10        | L2  | CO1 | PO1,2 |
| <b>UNIT - II</b> |  | <b>20</b> |     |     |       |
| 2 a.             | What is ductility? Explain its importance in earthquake engineering.                               | 10        | L1  | CO2 | PO1,2 |
| b.               | What are plan irregularities with respect to earthquake resistant design? Explain with sketches.   | 10        | L1  | CO2 | PO1,2 |
| <b>OR</b>        |  |           |     |     |       |
| 2 d.             | Explain the concept and development of response spectrum.  | 10        | L2  | CO2 | PO1,2 |
| e.               | Explain the various load combinations used for seismic analysis of R.C buildings.                  | 10        | L2  | CO2 | PO1,2 |

**UNIT - III**

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3. Determine the base shear and distributing of lateral force on each floor for the plan of the building shown in Fig. 3(a).

The building is for hospital with 5 storey's and height of each floor is 3.5 m. Assume live load of  $3.5 \text{ kN/m}^2$ , columns  $450 \times 450 \text{ mm}$ , beams  $300 \times 450 \text{ mm}$  and slab 150 mm thick. Assume 230 mm thick masonry wall on all beams. Consider the soil to be hard rock and frame to be special moment resisting frame. Location of the building is in Bengaluru.

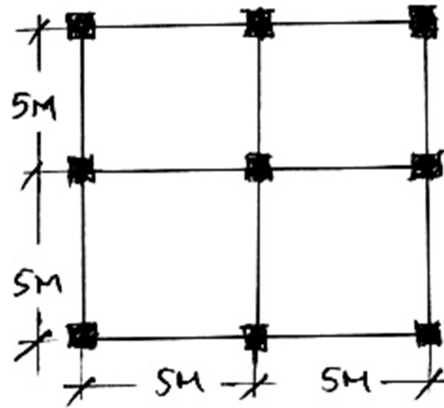


Fig 3(a)

20 L4 CO3 PO1,3

**UNIT - IV**

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- 4 a. Explain the various measures of improving the earthquake resistance of masonry building with sketches.  
 b. List and explain geotechnical aspects of earthquake on structures.

10 L2 CO4 PO1,3,4

10 L1 CO4 PO1,3,4

**OR**

- 4 d. Explain the behaviors of masonry structures during earthquake.  
 e. List the lessons learnt from the failure of masonry building during post-earthquake.

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10 L1 CO4 PO1,3,4

**UNIT - V**

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- 5 a. Explain different strategies adopted for seismic retrofitting of R.C building.  
 b. Explain the different lateral load resisting systems in building with neat sketches.

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