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

(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belagavi)

Fourth Semester, B. E. - Mechanical Engineering

Semester End Examination; August - 2023

**Mechanics of Materials**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

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

### UNIT - I

- 1 a. Explain stress-stain curve for ductile material. 10  
 b. Derive an expression for change in length of a uniformly tapering rectangular bar subjected to an axial force. 10

**OR**

- 2 a. Explain the thermal stress in composite bars. 10  
 b. Explain stress analysis of composite bars. 10

### UNIT - II

- 3 a. A compound bar of length 500 mm consists of a strip of aluminium 50 mm wide  $\times$  20 mm thick and a strip of steel 50 mm wide  $\times$  15 mm thick rigidly joined at ends. If the bar is subjected to a load of 50 kN, find the stresses developed in each material and the extension of the bar. Take elastic modulus of aluminium and steel as  $1 \times 10^5$  N/mm<sup>2</sup> and  $2 \times 10^5$  N/mm<sup>2</sup> respectively. 10  
 b. A rectangular bar is subjected to a direct stress ( $\sigma$ ) in one plane only. Prove that the normal stress on oblique plane is given by  $\sigma_n = \sigma \cos^2 \theta$ . 10

**OR**

4. Write a note on Mohr's circle of stresses. 20

### UNIT - III

- 5 a. Explain the different types of loads acting on a beam. 10  
 b. Derive the relationship between load intensity, shear force and bending moment. 10

**OR**

- 6 a. Draw shear force and bending moment diagram for a cantilever of length 'L' carrying a point load at the free end and define point of contra-flexure 10  
 b. Draw SFD and BMD for simply supported beam with point load at centre of beam. 10

### UNIT - IV

- 7 a. Derive the relation between bending moment, bending stress and radius of curvature. 10  
 b. A rectangular beam 100 mm wide and 250 mm deep is subjected to a maximum sheer force of 50 kN. Determine; 10  
 i) Average shear stress  
 ii) Maximum shear stress

**OR**

8. Derive an expression for maximum deflection and slope for a simply supported beam subjected to central concentrated load using Macaulay's method. 20

**UNIT - V**

- 9 a. Derive Torsional equations and state assumptions. 10  
b. Explain limitations of Euler's formula and explain Rankine's formula. 10

**OR**

10. Derive an expression for crippling load, when both ends of the column are hinged. 20

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