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(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belagavi)

**Fourth Semester, B.E. - Mechanical Engineering**

**Semester End Examination; August - 2023**

**Kinematics of Machinery**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

**Course Outcomes**

The Students will be able to:

CO1: **Identify** various mechanisms, **determine** their degrees of freedom; **describe** various inversions of four bar chain, single and double slider crank chain.

CO2: **Analyze** velocity of four bar and slider-crank mechanisms by relative velocity method and Instantaneous centre method. **Analyze** acceleration of four bar and slider-crank mechanisms by relative acceleration method.

CO3: **Classify** different types of gears; **Explain** Spur Gear terminology, law of gearing, interference and Back lash. **Derive** expressions for Path of contact, arc of contact and contact ratio. **Solve** numerical problems related to gears.

CO4: **Describe** Simple, Compound and Epicyclic gear trains; **Determine** velocity ratio, tooth load and torque in epicyclic gear trains. **Explain** and **calculate** ratio of belt tensions; **Estimate** power transmitted by belt drive; **Analyze** effect of slip, initial and centrifugal belt tension on performance of belt drive.

CO5: **Explain** cam and follower types; **Explain** different follower Motions; **Construct** cam profiles for different types of follower motions.

**Note:** I) PART - A is compulsory. Two marks for each question.

II) PART - B: Answer any **Two** sub questions (from a, b, c) for a Maximum of **18 marks** from each unit.

Q. No.	Questions	Marks	BLs	COs	POs
<b>I : PART - A</b>		<b>10</b>			
1 a.	Define link and kinematic pair.	2	L1	CO1	PO1
b.	Define absolute and relative motions.	2	L1	CO2	PO1
c.	Define addendum circle and dedendum circle.	2	L1	CO3	PO1
d.	List out the classification of gear train.	2	L1	CO4	PO1
e.	List out the types of Follower-motion.	2	L1	CO5	PO1
<b>II : PART - B</b>		<b>90</b>			
<b>UNIT - I</b>		<b>18</b>			

- 2 a. For the kinematic linkages shown in Figure 2 (a) and (b), calculate the following;
- i) Number of binary links
  - ii) Number of ternary links
  - iii) Degrees of freedom

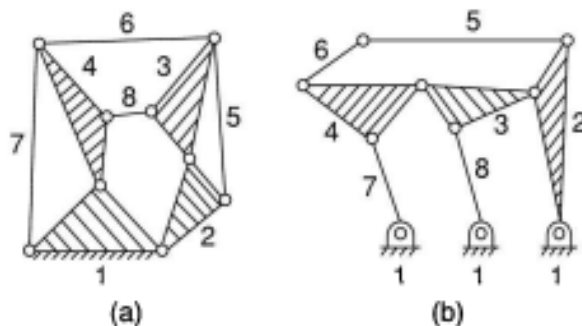


Figure 2

9 L3 CO1 PO1,2

- b. Explain the inversions of four-bar mechanism. 9 L2 CO1 PO2, 3
- c. Explain the following mechanisms; 9 L2 CO1 PO2
  - i) Ratchet and Pawl mechanism
  - ii) Toggle mechanism

**UNIT - II**

**18**

- 3 a. Explain linear velocity and angular velocity of a link hinged at one end and free at another end. 4 L2 CO2 PO1,2
- b. In a four-link mechanism, the dimensions of the links are as follows;   
 $AB = 50 \text{ mm}$ ,  $BC = 66 \text{ mm}$ ,  $CD = 56 \text{ mm}$  and  $AD = 100 \text{ mm}$ , AD is fixed link. At the instant when  $\angle DAB = 60^\circ$ , the link AB has an angular velocity of  $10.5 \text{ rad/s}$  in the counter-clockwise direction. Determine the; 14 L3 CO2 PO2,3
  - i) Velocity of the point C
  - ii) Velocity of the point E on the link BC when  $BE = 40 \text{ mm}$
  - iii) Angular velocities of the links BC and CD
  - iv) Velocity of an offset point 'F' on the link BC, if  $BF = 45 \text{ mm}$ ,  $CF = 30 \text{ mm}$  and BCF is read clockwise
  - v) Velocity of an offset point 'G' on the link CD, if  $CG = 24 \text{ mm}$ ,  $DG = 44 \text{ mm}$  and DCG is read clockwise
- c. For the configuration of a slider-crank mechanism shown in Figure 3 (c), calculate the; 14 L3 CO2 PO2,3
  - i) Acceleration of the slider at B
  - ii) Acceleration of the point E
  - iii) Angular acceleration of the link AB, OA rotates at  $20 \text{ rad/s}$  counter-clockwise

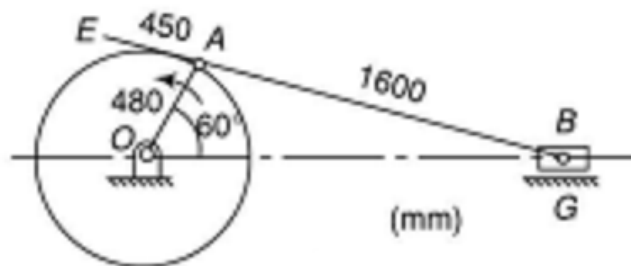


Figure 3 (c)

**UNIT - III**

**18**

- 4 a. Draw the schematic diagram of gear tooth; represent the following terms in the diagram and explain each of them; 9 L2 CO3 PO2
  - i) Addendum
  - ii) Dedendum
  - iii) Circular pitch
  - iv) Face width
  - v) Clearance
- b. Derive an expression for path of contact. 9 L2 CO3 PO2,3

- c. Two involute gears in a mesh have a module of 8 mm and a pressure angle of  $20^\circ$ . The larger gear has 57 while the pinion has 23 teeth. If the addenda on pinion and gear wheels are equal to one module, find the
  - i) Contact ratio (the number of pairs of teeth in contact)
  - ii) Angle of action of the pinion and the gear wheels
  - iii) Ratio of the sliding to rolling velocity at the beginning of contact and at the end of contact

9 L3 CO3 PO3

**UNIT - IV**

**18**

- 5 a. Explain briefly the following gear trains with neat sketch;
  - i) Compound gear-train
  - ii) Reverted gear train
- b. An epicyclic gear train is shown in Figure 5 (b). The number of teeth on A and B are 80 and 200. Determine the speed of the arm 'a';
  - i) if A rotates at 100 rpm clockwise and B at 50 rpm counter-clockwise
  - ii) if A rotates at 100 rpm clockwise and B is stationary

9 L2 CO4 PO2

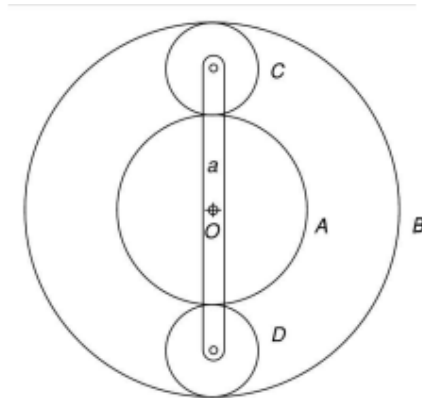


Figure 5 (b)

9 L3 CO4 PO2,3

- c. Explain the following with neat sketch;
  - i) Open belt-drive
  - ii) Crossed belt-drive
  - iii) V belt-drive

9 L2 CO4 PO2

**UNIT - V**

**18**

- 6 a. Draw the profile of a cam operating a knife-edge follower having a lift of 30 mm. The cam raises the follower with SHM for  $150^\circ$  of the rotation followed by a period of dwell for  $60^\circ$ . The follower descends for the next  $100^\circ$  rotation of the cam with uniform velocity, again followed by a dwell period. The cam rotates at a uniform velocity of 120 rpm clockwise and has a least radius of 20 mm. What will be the maximum velocity and acceleration of the follower during the lift and the return?

18 L3 CO5 PO2,3

- b. A flat-faced mushroom follower is operated by a uniformly rotating cam. The follower is raised through a distance of 25 mm in  $120^\circ$  rotation of the cam, remains at rest for the next  $30^\circ$  and is lowered during further  $120^\circ$  rotation of the cam. The raising of the follower takes place with cycloidal motion and the lowering with uniform acceleration and deceleration. However, the uniform acceleration is  $2/3$  of the uniform deceleration. The least radius of the cam is 25 mm which rotates at 300 rpm clockwise. Draw the cam profile and determine the values of;
- The maximum velocity and maximum acceleration during rising
  - Maximum velocity and maximum acceleration and deceleration during lowering of the follower

18 L3 CO5 PO2,3

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