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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-23)

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER-2024

DME – FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION

ENGINEERING MECHANICS

Time: 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.
- **1.** State the triangle law of forces.
- **2.** Write about the system of forces.
- **3.** Write any three laws of solid friction.
- **4.** State any three advantages of friction.
- **5.** Define the terms (*a*) centroid and (*b*) centre of gravity.
- **6.** State perpendicular axis theorem.
- **7.** State law of conservation of momentum.
- **8.** State Newton's third law of motion and give two examples.
- **9.** Define the terms (a) lower pair and (b) higher pair.
- **10.** Define reversibility of a machine and mention condition for reversibility.

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- **Instructions :** (1) Answer *any* **five** questions.
 - (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
 - (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criteria for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** The following forces act at a point :
 - (i) 15 kN inclined at 30° towards North of East.
 - (ii) 20 kN towards North
 - (iii) 25 kN towards North-West
 - (iv) 30 kN inclined at 40° towards South of West.

Find the magnitude and direction of the resultant of forces.

- **12.** (a) Determine the magnitude of the resultant of the two forces of 12 N and 9 N acting at a point, if the angle between two forces is 60°.
 - (b) Find the centroid for the given T-section with 80×20 flange and 20×100 Web?
- 13. A body resting on a rough horizontal plane required a pull of 18 N inclined at 30° to the plane to just move it. It was also found that a push of 22 N inclined at 30° to the plane just moved the body. Determine (a) the weight of the body and (b) the co-efficient of friction.
- **14.** Find the moment of inertia of channel section about X-axis and Y-axis passing through its centroid. Also find the radius of gyration.



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- **15.** A car is moving with a velocity of 20 m/s. The car is brought to rest by applying brakes in 4 seconds. Determine (a) The retardation and (b) Distance travelled by the car after applying brakes.
- **16.** A mass of 50 kg is raised vertically from the ground through a height of 15 m in 40 seconds. Calculate (*a*) Gain in potential energy and (*b*) Power required.
- **17.** Explain with a neat sketch the working of beam engine.
- **18.** The number of teeth on the worm wheel of a double threaded worm and worm wheel is 60. The effort wheel diameter is 250 mm and the load drum is of 100 mm. Determine the effort required to lift a load of 300 N, if the efficiency of the machine is 50%.

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