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**BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14)**

MARCH / APRIL - 2019

**DME - IV SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**FLUID MECHANICS & HYDRAULIC MACHINERY**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 80

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**PART - A**

**3×10=30**

- Instructions :**
- (1) Answer **ALL** questions.
  - (2) Each question carries **THREE** marks.
  - (3) Answer should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.

- 1 Define : (a) Specific weight (b) Specific gravity
- 2 Calculate the pressure at a depth of 2m below the free surface of oil of specific gravity 0.8.
- 3 State the equation of continuity of flow.
- 4 Define the following and give one practical example of each :  
(i) Steady flow, (ii) Uniform flow
- 5 What is Syphon ? Mention any two uses of syphon.
- 6 Mention various major and minor losses inside the pipe flow.
- 7 A jet of water 20 mm diameter discharging 30 lt/s strikes normally on a fixed flat vertical plate. Determine the force exerted on the plate.
- 8 What is meant by governing of hydraulic turbines ?
- 9 Define : (i) hydraulic efficiency (ii) Mechanical efficiency of turbines.
- 10 Write a short note on priming of centrifugal pump.

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**PART - B****10×5=50**

**Instructions :**

- (1) Answer any **FIVE** questions.
- (2) Each question carries **TEN** marks.
- (3) Answer should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.

- 11** (a) Two plates are placed at a distance of 0.15 mm apart. The lower plate is fixed while the upper plate having surface area  $1\text{m}^2$  is pulled at 0.3 m/s. Find the force and power required to maintain this speed, if the fluid separating them is having viscosity 1.5 poise. **7**
- (b) Determine the specific gravity of a fluid having viscosity 0.05 poise and kinematic viscosity 0.035 stokes. **3**
- 12** A pipe 200 m long slopes down 1 in 100 and tapers from 600 mm diameter at the higher end to 300 mm diameter at the lower end, and carries 100 lt/s of oil specific gravity 0.8. If the pressure gauge at the higher end reads  $60\text{ kN/m}^2$ , determine :
- (i) Velocities at two ends
  - (ii) Pressure at two ends.
- 13** (a) Explain with the help of neat sketch **5**
- (i) Hydraulic gradient line (ii) Total energy line
- (b) In a pipe of 300 mm diameter and 0.8 km length and oil is flowing at the rate of 2700 lt/min. Find the head lost due to friction, if  $f = 0.00498$ . **5**
- 14** A jet of water 50 mm in diameter is moving with a velocity 15 m/s impinges on a series of vanes moving with a velocity of 6 m/s. Find
- (i) Force exerted by the jet
  - (ii) Work done by the jet
  - (iii) Efficiency of the jet.

- 15 (a) Derive the expression for the force exerted by the jet when it strikes at the center of a fixed curve vane. 5
- (b) Draw a neat sketch of a hydro-electric power plant and label the main elements. 5
- 16 Draw a neat sketch of francis turbine and explain its working process, with expressions for power and efficiency.
- 17 A double acting reciprocating pump running at 50 rpm is discharging 900 liters of water per minute. The pump has a stroke of 400 mm. The diameter of piston is 250 mm, the delivery and suction heads are 25 m and 4 m respectively. Find the (i) theoretical discharge (ii) Slip (iii) power required to drive the pump (iv)  $C_d$ .
- 18 (a) With a neat sketch, explain the principle and working of a centrifugal pump. 5+5
- (b) Explain the principle and working of centrifugal pump with a legible sketch.
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