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**IV B.Tech - I Semester – Regular/Supplementary Examinations
October – 2018**

**MECHANICAL VIBRATIONS
(MECHANICAL ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A

Answer *all* the questions. All questions carry equal marks

11 x 2 = 22 M

1.

- a) Define the terms time period and frequency.
- b) Name any two types of damping in machines.
- c) Write any two vibration measuring instruments.
- d) Define Degree of freedom and give examples of single and multi dof systems.
- e) What is mode frequency and mode shape?
- f) What is the need of vibration absorbers?
- g) Define flexibility and stiffness coefficients.
- h) What do you mean by proportional damping? Briefly explain.
- i) Write the equation to find the natural frequency of bar.
- j) Define node and element in FEM.
- k) What do you mean by resonance? Briefly explain.

PART – B

Answer any **THREE** questions. All questions carry equal marks. 3 x 16 = 48 M

2. a) Derive the expression for logarithmic decrement and give its practical importance. 8 M

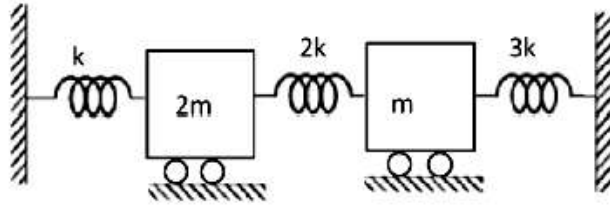
b) A vibrating system consists of a mass of 50 kg, a spring with a stiffness of 30 kN/m and a damper. The damping provided is only 20% of the critical value. Determine the

- i) Damping factor
- ii) critical damping coefficient
- iii) natural frequency of damped vibrations
- iv) logarithmic decrement 8 M

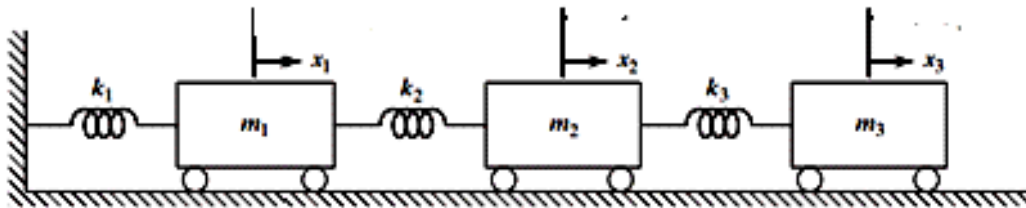
3. a) The following data relate to a shaft held in long bearing. Length of shaft = 1.2m; Diameter of shaft = 14 mm; Mass of a rotor at midpoint = 16 kg; Eccentricity of center of mass of rotor from center of rotor=0.4mm; Calculate the whirling speed of the shaft. 10 M

b) What do you mean by whirling of shafts? What is whirling speed? Explain. 6 M

4. Determine the natural frequencies and mode shapes of the system as shown in figure. 16 M



5. Determine the natural frequencies and mode shapes of the system shown in figure as $k_1 = k_2 = k_3 = k$ and $m_1 = m_2 = m_3 = m$. 16 M



6. Derive an expression for lateral vibrations of beam with any two end conditions. 16 M