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**SESSION: 2023-2024 (EVEN SEMESTER)**  
**II SESSIONAL TEST QUESTION PAPER**  
**SET-B**

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Degree : B.E  
Branch : Civil Engineering  
Course Title : Design of Pre stressed concrete Elements  
Duration : 90 Minutes

Semester : VIII  
Course Code : 18CV81  
Date : 06/05/2024  
Max Marks : 30

**Note: Answer ONE full question from each part.**

Q No.	Question	Marks	K-Level	CO mapping
<b>PART-A</b>				
1(a)	<b>Explain</b> the IS code method of determining the ultimate moment of resistance of rectangular and flanged section PSC members.	5	K2 Understanding	CO2
(b)	A post-tensioned bonded pre stressed concrete beam of T section has a flange width of 1400mm and thickness of flange is 200mm. The thickness of rib is 300mm. The area of high tensile steel is 8000mm <sup>2</sup> , located at an effective depth of 1800mm. If the characteristics strength of concrete and steel are 40 N/mm <sup>2</sup> , 1600 N/mm <sup>2</sup> respectively. <b>Determine</b> the flexural strength of T section.	10	K3 Applying	CO3
<b>OR</b>				
2(a)	<b>Explain</b> the different types of flexural failures of PSC beam.	5	K2 Understanding	CO2
2(b)	A Pre-Tensioned PSC beam of I section with 160mmx70mm flanges with thickness of web 70mm and overall depth is 650mm. The beam is pre stressed with 4-HTS wires of 7mm diameter at an effective depth of 265mm. If the characteristics strength of concrete and steel are 40 N/mm <sup>2</sup> , 1600 N/mm <sup>2</sup> respectively. <b>Determine</b> the flexural strength of I section.	10	K3 Applying	CO3
<b>PART-B</b>				
3(a)	<b>Explain</b> the ways of improving the shear resistance of Structural concrete members by pre stressing technique.	5	K3 Applying	CO2
(b)	The support section of pre stressed concrete beam of rectangular section 230mm x500mm, supports a super imposed load of 10kN/m excluding the self-weight spanning over 10m. The cable is parabolic with maximum eccentricity of 75mm at center of span and zero at supports. <b>Design</b> the shear reinforcement using	10	K3 Applying	CO3

	IS-code recommendations for the following data. The pre stressing force is 150 kN , $f_{ck} = 40 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,Density of concrete is $24 \text{ kN/mm}^3$ and $f_y$ is $415 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .			
<b>OR</b>				
4(a)	<b>Explain</b> the modes of shear failure.	5	<b>K3 Applying</b>	<b>CO2</b>
(b)	The support section of PSC beam (150mmx300mm) is to resist a shear of 150kN. The pre stress at centroidal axis is $5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ , $f_{ck} = 40 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .The cover to the tension reinforcement is 45mm. Check the section for shear and <b>Design</b> suitable shear reinforcement $f_t = 1.5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ .	10	<b>K3 Applying</b>	<b>CO3</b>

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