



B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: APRIL 2018

(Regulation 2014)

Eighth Semester

AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

U14AEE816: Non-destructive Testing for Aerospace Applications

COURSE OUTCOMES

- CO1:** Evaluate the various methods of Non-destructive testing (NDT) to test the material integrity used in engineering application.
- CO2:** Apply radiography NDT methods for aerospace applications.
- CO3:** Apply ultrasonic NDT methods for aerospace applications.
- CO4:** Apply different NDT processes in aerospace industry.
- CO5:** Use Thermal inspection, Optical holography NDT methods for aerospace applications.

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. Matching type item with multiple choice code

CO4 [K₂]

List I	List II
A. Radiography	i. Current carrying coil
B. Magnetic Particle Inspection	ii. Aerosol spray
C. Dye Penetrant Testing	iii. Gamma rays
D. Ultrasonic Flaw Detection	iv. Piezo electric crystal

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| a) | ii | i | iii | iv |
| b) | iii | iv | ii | i |
| c) | iii | i | ii | iv |
| d) | iii | iv | ii | i |

2. Outer diameter of any part can be inspected by which of the following probe

CO1 [K₂]

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| a) Bobbin probe | b) Encircling probe |
| c) Surface probe | d) Bolt hole probe |

3. The main applications of the eddy current technique are CO2 [K₁]
- (i) The detection of surface
 - (ii) Conductivity measurement
 - (iii) Coating thickness measurement.
 - (iv) Upper Surface Flaws
- a) 1,3 b) 1,4
c) 1,2&3 d) 2,3
4. The depth of penetration of eddy current in a material depends on CO2 [K₁]
- a) Frequency b) Electrical properties of the material
c) Magnetic properties of the material d) All of the above
5. Assertion (A): In radiography the differences in absorption of radiation are recorded on film. CO2 [K₃]
Reason (R): The more the absorption, the more the flaw in the material.
- a) Both A and R are Individually true and R is the correct explanation of A b) Both A and R are Individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
c) A is true but R is false d) A is false but R is true
6. The shape of the ultrasonic beam entering the material depends upon CO3 [K₂]
- a) Property of the piezoelectric material b) Diameter of the transducer
c) Voltage used to excite transducer d) Both a and b
7. Order the following steps in optical holography process. CO5 [K₁]
1. When visible light waves are employed in holography, the hologram is recorded using an optical system called a holocamera.
 2. A monochromatic laser beam of phase coherent light is divided into two beams by a variable beam splitter
 3. One beam, the object beam, is expanded by a spatial filter into a divergent beam directed to illuminate the object uniformly.
 4. A portion of the laser light reflected from the object is intercepted by a high resolution photographic plate.
- a) 2-3-4-1 b) 1-3-2-4
c) 3-4-2-1 d) 1-2-3-4
8. The ability to locate a small discontinuity is called CO3 [K₂]
- a) Sensitivity b) Resolution
c) Wavelength d) Frequency

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| 22. Explain the available NDT methods, applications and advantages of NDT methods on various fields. | CO1 | [K ₃] |
| 23. With neat sketch explain the process involved in magnetic particle inspection to determine the location of crack in a ferromagnetic material. | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 24. Explain the process involved in ultrasound generation, ultrasonic test techniques on both Pulse Echo and Through Transmission. | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 25. With neat sketch explain the process of crack detection in an aircraft wing surface using gamma radiography. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 26. With neat sketch explain the working principle of thermal inspection used for NDT. | CO5 | [K ₂] |
| 27. With neat sketch explain the working principle of acoustic emission inspection used for NDT. | CO5 | [K ₂] |
