



B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: NOV/DEC 2023

(Regulation 2018)

Seventh Semester

CIVIL ENGINEERING

U18CEE0003: Design of Reinforced Concrete Structures

(use of IS456 and SP:16 to be permitted)

COURSE OUTCOMES

- CO1:** Design counterfort and cantilever retaining walls.
CO2: Design underground and overhead R.C water tanks.
CO3: Analyze and design various types of slabs using yield line theory.
CO4: Design bridges as per IRC standards.
CO5: Design flat slab as per IS standards.
CO6: Apply the concepts of pre-stressing for structural elements analysis.

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

(Answer not more than 40 words)

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| 1. Describe buttressed retaining wall. | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 2. Classify the modes of failure in retaining wall. | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 3. List out the factors considered in designing the water tank. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 4. Explain how the walls are designed in rectangular water tanks while resting on ground. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 5. Explain any four characteristic features of yield line theory. | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 6. Define virtual work method. | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 7. List out various types of bridges based on super structures. | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 8. Define flat slab. | CO5 | [K ₂] |
| 9. Distinguish between pre tensioning and post tensioning. | CO6 | [K ₂] |
| 10. List out various types of losses in prestress. | CO6 | [K ₂] |

Answer any FIVE Questions:-

PART B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

(Answer not more than 400 words)

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| 11. Design a cantilever retaining wall to retain earth embankment 3m above the ground level. The unit weight of earth is 18 kN/m ³ and the angle of repose of the soil is 30°. The embankment is horizontal at the top. The safe bearing capacity of soil is 100 kN/m ² and the coefficient of friction between soil and concrete is 0.5. | 16 | CO1 | [K ₃] |
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Use M20 concrete and Fe415 steel bars.

12. Design a rectangular water tank resting on a ground for a capacity of 100 m^3 . Use M25 concrete and Fe415 steel bars. 16 CO2 [K₃]
13. a) Find the ultimate moment carrying capacity for orthotropically reinforced rectangular slab with simply supported on all around subjected to uniformly distributed load. 10 CO3 [K₃]
- b) Design a circular slab of diameter 5m isotropically reinforced carrying a live load of 3000 N/m^2 and floor finish as 700 N/m^2 . Use M25 concrete and Fe250 steel bars. 6 CO3 [K₃]
14. a) Design a circular water tank for a capacity of 5 lakh liters with flexible base resting on a ground. Use M25 concrete and Fe415 steel bars. 8 CO2 [K₃]
- b) Find the ultimate load for isotropically reinforced square slab with simply supported on all sides subjected to uniformly distributed load. 8 CO3 [K₃]
15. a) Explain briefly about IRC loadings in design of bridges. 8 CO4 [K₃]
- b) Design a interior panel of a flat slab for a building size of 24m x 24m with drops for a live load of 4 kN/m^2 , panel size of 6m x 6m. Use M20 concrete and Fe415 steel bars. 8 CO5 [K₃]
16. a) A symmetrical I-section of size top and bottom flange as 400x100 mm and web as 100x300 mm is subjected to a pre-stressing force of 1800 kN at an eccentricity of 50 mm. It is subjected to a live load of 5 kN/m over a span of 10m. Find the extreme fiber stresses. 8 CO6 [K₃]
- b) A pre-stressed beam 200mm x 300mm is prestressed with a wire of 160 mm^2 area located at constant eccentricity of 50mm and initial stress is 1000 N/mm^2 with a prestress force of 160 kN. Calculate the total losses in the beam. Take $E_s = 210 \text{ kN/m}^2$, $E_c = 35 \text{ kN/m}^2$, $\epsilon_{ce} = 40 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N/mm}^2$, $\epsilon_{cs} = 300 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N/mm}^2$. Relaxation = 4% of initial stress. 8 CO6 [K₃]
