## B. E. (civil) Part IV 8<sup>th</sup> Semester Final Examination, 2007

## Construction Technology (CE - 802)

Time: 3 hours Full Marks: 100

2 (Two) marks are reserved for neatness in each half

Use separate answer-script for each half.
Assume any necessary data if required

Answer any 3 (Three) questions from each half

## **FIRST HALF**

- 1. (a) What are the different sequential and parallel activities should considered in a mega civil engineering project?
  - (b) What are the advantages and disadvantages of steel structures?
- (c) What are the different types of bolts? Describe different parts of a common bolt with neat sketches. What are the tightening methods of High Strength Friction Grip (HSFG) bolt?  $\frac{(5+5+6-15)}{(5+6+5-(6))}$
- 2. (a) Describe the 'arc welding process' with neat sketches. What are the different flame characteristics in 'gas welding'?
  - (b) Describe with neat sketches-

i. 4 geological profile of tunneling?

ii. Fore-polling in tunneling?

(8+8=16)

- 3. (a) Describe with neat sketches the ring drilling method of tunneling. In which cases this type of tunneling is adopted?
- (b) Describe with neat sketches the construction procedure of a well foundation in the middle of a perennial river? What are the different problems of well sinking related to this situation? (8+8=16))
- 4. (a) Describe the advantages and disadvantages of cast-in-situ and pre-cast erection methods of bridge superstructure. Describe the bridge superstructure construction by pre-cast segmental free cantilever method.
- (b) What are different methods of underpinning? What are the suitable site conditions for adopting these methods? Describe pile method of underpinning with a neat sketch.

(3+5+8=16)

- 5. (a) What are the different types of shoring? Provide a neat sketch showing different components of a raking shore for multi-storeyed buildings over a busy road side.
- (b) Describe the construction procedure of a stay cable bridge. What are the different types of stay cable (describe with joint detail)? (8+4+4=16)

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## SECOND HALF

- 6. (a) What are the basic constituents of an oil paint? State the basic function of each.
- (b) What are the basic constituents of a varnish? Categorise the various varnishes based on the solvent used. List the sequential steps adopted in varnishing operation.

(8+8=16)

- 7. (a) Which are the common defects usually occur in a plaster? What remedial measures may be taken to minimize those defects?
  - (b) Show the various types of pointing with the neat sketches?
- (c) Explain the method of preparation of white wash. In which way white washing differs from colour washing? (8+4+4=16)
- 8. (a) What factors govern the selection of floor materials for a particular building. Prepare a list of various floors that can be constructed in a building. How 'terrazzo floor' is constructed?
- (b) What is the cause of dampness? What are its ill effects? List the various damp proofing methods. (10+6=16)
- 9. (a) Explain the terms:
  - i) Thresholds; ii) Jambs; iii) Copings; iv) Corbels
- b) State the basic points which should be observed while supervising the brick masonry work.

  (8+8=16)
- 10. Write short notes on the following Construction equipments (attempt any four):
  - a) Crawler and Wheeled tractor; b) Bull-dozer; c) Grader; d) Scraper; e) Drag line;
  - f) Clam shell; g) Power shovel; h) Back hoe.

(4X4=16)

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