

M.E. (Civil) 2nd Semester Final Examination, 2014

Subject: Dynamics of Structures (CE: 1002)

Full Marks: 70

Time: 3 Hrs

*Answer any four questions.
The questions are of equal value.
Two marks are reserved for neatness*

- (i) Derive the MDOF equation of motion. Explain (a) stiffness matrix, (b) mass matrix and (c) damping matrix.
(ii) Derive the stiffness matrix of four-storey shear building.
- (a) Derive the orthogonal relationship of mode shape with respect to mass and stiffness of the structure
(b) Derive the uncoupled equations of motion for a linear structure using the orthogonal relationship of mode shapes. Also write down the steps for dynamic analysis by mode superposition procedure.
- Using Rayleigh-Ritz method, determine the natural frequencies and mode shapes of uniform three-storey shear building with storey stiffness at 1st, 2nd and 3rd storey 3k, 2k and k and lumped floor masses at 1st, 2nd and 3rd floor 1.0m, 1.5m and 3.0m. Assume 1st two modes are

$$\phi = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0.64 & -0.6 \\ 0.30 & -0.7 \end{bmatrix}$$

- A three-storey building has lateral column stiffness at 1st, 2nd and 3rd storey 15×10^9 N/m, 10×10^9 N/m and 6×10^9 N/m respectively. The storey level masses are m_1 and $m_2 = 400$ kN each and $m_3 = 150$ kN. Compute the shear forces by code prescribed Response Spectra method from the following data: $S_a/g = 2.5$, Importance factor, $I = 1.5$, Zone factor = 0.24 and Response reduction factor = 5.0
- (i) Derive the frequency of a shear building by Rayleigh method.
(ii) A three storied building having floor stiffness 10 kN/cm, 9 kN/cm and 8 kN/cm of ground, 1st and 2nd floor respectively is loaded with equal masses of 15 kN-sec²/cm at both the floors and roof. Determine natural frequencies.
- Using direct stiffness method, determine the mass matrix and stiffness matrix of a cantilever prismatic beam. The beam is divided into three elements. Given, span = 1.5m, flexural stiffness $EI = 18000$ kgcm², mass = 500kg/m.
- Write short notes on any two of the following:

 - Elastic-rebound theory
 - Plate Tectonics
 - Response Spectra.