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**R16**

**Set No. 1**

IV B.Tech I Semester Supplementary Examinations, July/Aug - 2021

**FINITE ELEMENT METHODS**

(Common to Mechanical Engineering and Automobile Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

*Question paper consists of Part-A and Part-B*

*Answer ALL sub questions from Part-A*

*Answer any FOUR questions from Part-B*

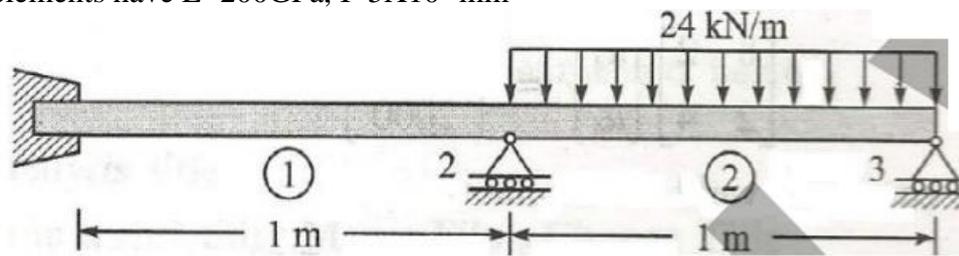
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**PART-A(14 Marks)**

1. a) Define Weighted- Residual method. [2]
- b) What is meant by discretization? [3]
- c) Write the hermite shape functions of a two node beam element. [3]
- d) What is axisymmetric analysis? [2]
- e) What are higher order elements? Give examples. [2]
- f) What is consistent mass matrix? Write the consistent mass matrix of a 2 node bar element. [2]

**PART-B(4x14 = 56 Marks)**

2. a) Consider a simple one dimension structure with three elements, explain the process of stiffness matrix and load vector assembly. [9]  
Explain plane stress and plane strain conditions with examples. [5]
3. a) Discuss about the types of elements used in domain discretization. [6]
- b) Write the properties of stiffness matrix. [3]
- c) Write the convergence requirements. [5]
4. For the beam shown in Figure below, determine the following: i) Slopes at nodes 2 and 3. ii) Vertical deflection at the mid-point of the distributed load. Consider all the elements have  $E=200\text{GPa}$ ,  $I=5\times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$



[14]



5. Derive the strain displacement matrix of a constant strain triangle element [14]
6. a) Derive the shape functions of 4 node Isoparametric element. [7]  
 b) Explain the use of numerical integration in Fem. Discuss about two point gauss quadrature method. [7]
7. Determine the temperature distribution in a fin of circular cross-section shown in fig. Base of the fin is maintained at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  and tip of the fin is insulated. Thermal conductivity  $K=2\text{W/cm}^{\circ}\text{C}$ , Convective heat transfer co-efficient  $h=0.2\text{W/cm}^2$ ,  $\phi_f=20^{\circ}\text{C}$  (fluid temperature) and Diameter of the fin=1cm. Consider 3 elements. [14]

