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B. E. (4th Sem.) (Mech Engg.) Examination – December, 2011

FLUID MECHANICS

Paper: ME-208-E

Time: Three hours]

[Maximum Marks: 100

Before answering the question, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.

Note: Attempt any five questions.

- 1. (a) Derive relation for metacentric height of a floating body.
- (b) A circular plate 3.0 m diameter is immersed in water in such a way that the plane of the plate makes an angle of 60° with the free surface of water. Determine the total pressure and position of centre of pressure when upper edge of the plate is 2m below the free surface water surface.10
 - 2. (a) Derive differential equation of continuity in polar coordinates with assumptions made.12
 - (b) Explain rotation and derive the relation for the same.

- (a) Derive kinetic and momentum correction factors.
 - (b) The maximum flow through a 300 mm diameter horizontal pipe line is 18200 liter/minute. A venturimeter is introduced at a point of the pipe line where the pressure head is 4.6 m of water. Find the smallest diameter of throat so that pressure at the throat is never negative. Assume coefficient of meter as unity.
- 4. A uniform flow with a velocity of 20 m/s is flowing over a source of strength 10 m²/s. The uniform flow and source flow are in the same plane. Obtain the equation of the dividing stream line and sketch the flow pattern.
- (a) Derive expression for Displacement thickness and Momentum thickness related to boundary layer.10
 - (b) Derive relation for drag force on a flat plate due to boundary layer.
- 6. (a) What is hagen poiseuille's Formula? Derive the expression for the same.
- (b) Show that value of the coefficient of friction for viscous flow through a circular pipe is given by:8

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$$f = 16/R_e$$
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Where Re is Reynolds number.

- 7. (a) Three reservoirs A, B and C are connected by a pipe system having length 700 m. 1200 m and 500 m and diameters 400 mm, 300 mm and 200 mm respectively. The water levels in reservoir A and B from a datum line are 50 m and 45 m respectively. The level of water in reservoir C is below the level of water in reservoir B. Find the discharge into or from the reservoirs B and C if the rate of flow from the reservoir A is 150 liters per sec. Find the height a water level in the reservoir C. Take f = 0.005 for all the pipes.
- (b) How will you determine head loss due to friction in pipe by using Darcy weisbach formula?
 - (a) What do you mean by Prandtl mixing length theory? Find an expression for shear stress due to prandtl.
 - (b) Determine the distance from the center of the pipe, at which the local velocity is equal to the average velocity for turbulent flow in pipes.10