

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING
B.E. I - Semester (Main) Examination, December 2016

Subject : Engineering Mechanics – I

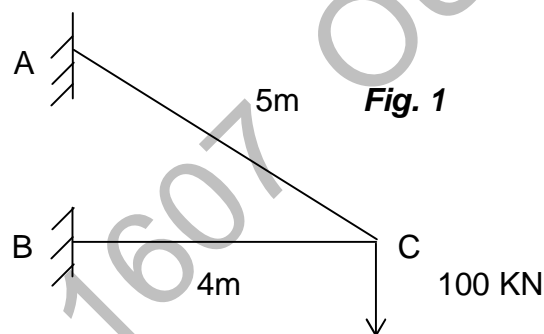
Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Note: Answer all questions from Part-A and answer any five questions from Part-B.

PART – A (20 Marks)

- 1 State the Varignon's theorem. (2)
- 2 Following forces act at a point P, $F_1 = 50i$, $F_2 = 30i - 15j$, $F_3 = -20i + 10j - 5k$. (2)
 Determine the resultant.
- 3 Define a free Body Diagram. Illustrate with an example. (2)
- 4 What are the different conditions of equilibrium? (2)
- 5 Method of joints is applicable if the number of unknown forces not more than _____. (2)
- 6 Find out the forces in the members AC & BC of the truss shown in Fig. 1, (2)



- 7 Define the terms angle of friction. and angle of repose. (2)
- 8 State laws of friction. (2)
- 9 State the PAPPUS's theorems. (2)
- 10 The radius of the base of the right circular cone is 'r' and its altitude is 'h'. The centroid of volume of the cone from its vertex is _____. (2)

PART – B (50 Marks)

11. Three cylinders are piled in a rectangular ditch as shown *Fig.2*. Neglecting friction, determine the reaction between cylinder A and the vertical wall. (10)

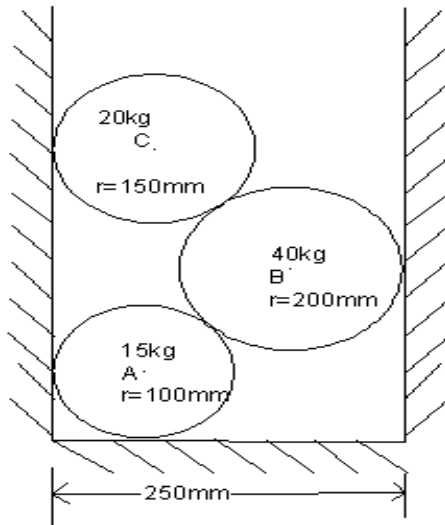


Fig.2

12. In *Fig.3*, a force P acts from A toward D . Determine the magnitude of P to cause a moment of 2000 N.m about the line directed from B toward E . (10)

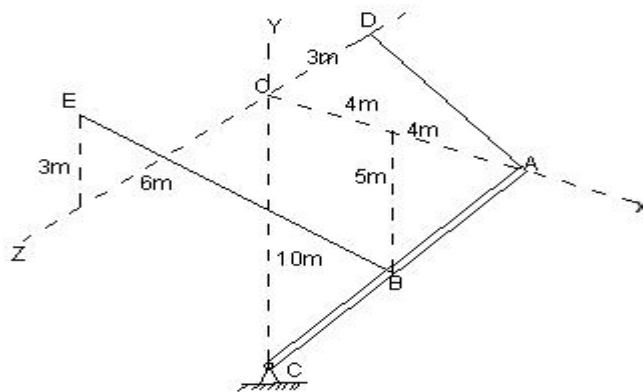


Fig.3

13. Find out the forces in all the members of the truss shown in *Fig 4*. and make a tabular form mentioning forces and nature of the force in each member. (10)

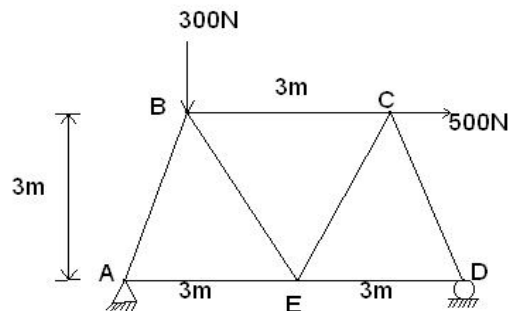
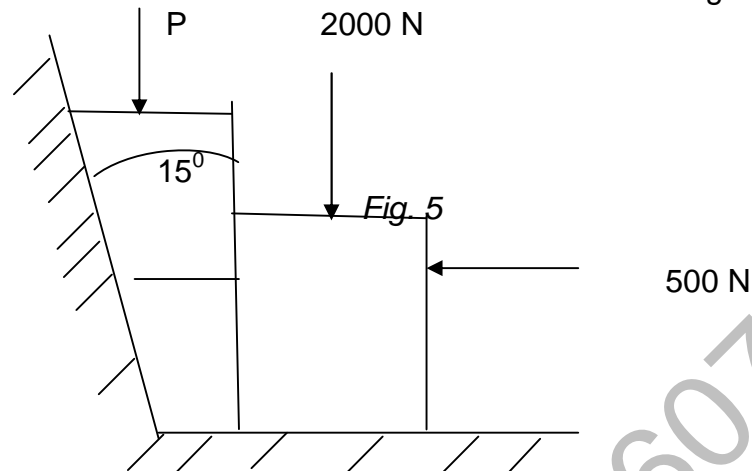


Fig 4.

..3..

14. Determine the value of P required to start the wedge shown in *Fig. 5*. The angle of friction at all surfaces in contact is 15° . Assume the block as weightless. (10)



15. Locate the centroid of the shaded area from x-y axes as shown in *Fig.6* below. (10)

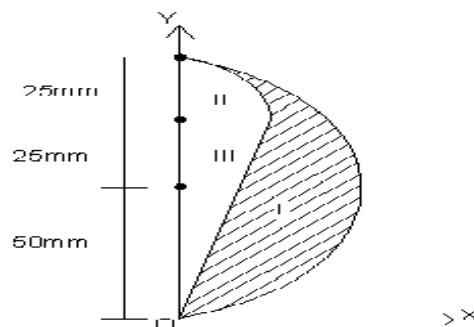


Fig.6

16. Find the moment of inertia of the shaded portion as shown in *Fig. 7* (In between Quarter circle and Semicircle), about the indicated xx axis and also about yy axis. (10)

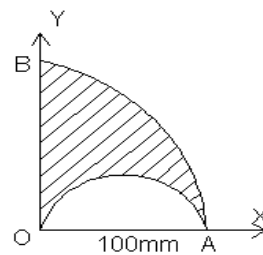


Fig. 7

17. A bar AB, 12 m long of negligible weight rests in a horizontal position on the smooth inclines in *Fig.8*. Compute the distance x at which load $T = 100\text{N}$ should be placed from point B keep the bar horizontal. (10)

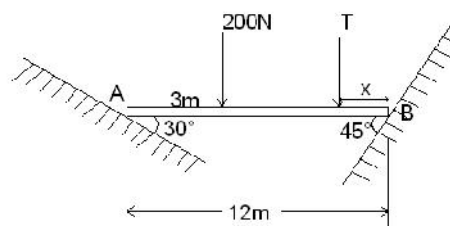


Fig.8
