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### B. Tech. (ME) (Sem. 7, 8) MECHANICAL VIBRATIONS Subject Code: BTME-803 Paper ID: A3064

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Max. Marks: 60

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

- 1. Section A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. Section B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- **3.** Section C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

## SECTION A

- 1. Write short notes on following;
  - a) How can you reduce unnecessary vibrations?
  - b) Define natural frequency.
  - c) State the different types of damping.
  - d) What is two degree of freedom system?
  - e) State the importance of Holzer's analysis.
  - f) Write the names of materials which are used for vibration isolation.
  - g) Differentiate between vibration absorber and vibration isolator
  - h) A light cantilever of length 'L' has a mass 'M' fixed at its free end. What will be the frequency of lateral vibrations in the vertical plane?
  - i) What do you -mean by under damped system?
  - j) Discuss the torsional oscillation.

# SECTION B

- 2. Add two harmonic motions analytically which are expressed by the Equations,  $x_1=4 \sin (7t+30^\circ)$ ,  $x_2=5 \cos (7t-15^\circ)$ .
- 3. A circular cylinder of mass 10kg and radius 25 cm is connected by a spring of stiffness 4500N/m as shown in fig. It is free to roll on horizontal rough surface without slipping. Determine the natural frequency.



4. Explain Dunkerley's method to evaluate the natural frequency of structures.

- 5. A vibrating body having mass 2 kg is suspended by a spring of stiffness 2000 *N/m* and it is put to harmonic excitation of 20N.Assuming viscous damping, determine :(a) the resonance frequency , (b) phase angle at resonance, (c) amplitude at resonance (d)The frequency corresponding to the peak amplitude (e) damped frequency. Assume visco1+s damping coefficient= 40 N-sec/m.
- 6. Derive a suitable expression for longitudinal vibrations for a rectangular uniform crosssection bar of length ' L' fixed at one end and free at the other end.

### **SECTION C**

7 i) Explain the construction and working of Untuned Dry Friction Damper with the help of neat sketch.

ii) Find the equations of motions by using Lagrange's equation for a system as shown in fig.



8. (i) Write a note on accelerometer.

(ii) A 5 kg mass attached to the lower end of a spring, whose upper end is fixed, vibrates with a natural period of 0.45sec.Determine the natural period when 2.5 kg mass is attached to the mid point of the same spring with upper and lower ends fixed.

9. A uniform string of length L and a large initial tension S, stretched between two supports is displaced laterally through a distance  $a_0$  at the center as shown in fig and is released at t=0.Find the equation of motion for the string.

