

Code: CE1T5

**I B.Tech - I Semester – Regular Examinations February - 2014**

**BASIC MECHANICAL ENGINEERING  
(CIVIL ENGINEERING)**

Duration: 3 hours

Marks: 5x14=70

Answer any FIVE questions. All questions carry equal marks

1. a) Explain briefly various types of sand moulds and what are the advantages of green and dry sand moulds? 8 M
- b) Explain the properties of moulding sands. 6 M
2. a) Differentiate between Soldering and brazing. 7 M
- b) Describe briefly about various work holding devices in a simple lathe with neat sketches. 7 M
3. a) Explain briefly the following with neat sketches
  - i) Spur rack and pinion
  - ii) Bevel gears
  - iii) Worm gears9 M
- b) Explain briefly about open belts and cross belts. 5 M

4. a) What are the essentials of a steam power plant equipment? Compare the advantages of steam power plant over Hydro electric power plant. 7 M
- b) What is wind energy? Explain with neat sketch about working of wind power plant. 7 M
5. a) Define C.O.P. of a refrigeration, what is meant by 1 Ton of refrigeration? 6 M
- b) What are the advantages of vapor compression refrigeration system and explain its applications. 8 M
6. a) Explain the working principle of 2 Stroke diesel engine with neat sketch. 7 M
- b) What are the advantages and disadvantages of 4stroke engines over 2 stroke engines 7 M
7. a) Explain the following terms in brief
- i) Elasticity and Plasticity
  - ii) Hooke's law
  - iii) Poisson' ratio
  - iv) Working stress 8 M

b) A hydraulic press exerts a total load of 3.5 Mega Newtons. This load is carried by two steel rods supporting the upper head of the press. If the stress in each rod is  $85\text{N/mm}^2$  and  $E= 210\text{KN/mm}^2$ . Find

i) diameter of the rods

ii) extension in each rod if the length of the rod is 2.5mts.

6 M

8. a) Briefly explain the following properties

i) Tensile strength

ii) Malleability

iii) Hardness

6 M

b) Briefly explain the following properties

i) Absolute permeability

ii) Thermo electricity

iii) Temperature co-efficient of resistance ( $\alpha_T$ )

iv) Corrosion resistance

8 M