Code: CE4T1

II B.Tech - II Semester – Regular Examinations - JUNE 2015

CONCRETE TECHNOLOGY (CIVIL ENGINEERING)

Duration: 3 hours Marks: 5x14=70

Answer any FIVE questions. All questions carry equal marks

- a) Describe the hydration reaction of important Bogue compounds indicating the products of hydration.
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 - b) List the various types of chemical and mineral admixtures and their usage in the development of concrete. 7 M
- 2. a) What are the effects of shape, texture and maximum size of aggregates on the strength and workability of concrete?

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 - b) Explain the various tests conducted on coarse aggregate indicating the property being tested. 7 M
- 3. a) What are the various factors which affect the workability of concrete? Explain.

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 - b) Explain the various test methods for measuring the properties of fresh concrete.

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- 4. a) Discuss maturity of concrete and how to measure it. 7 M

- b) How the water cement ratio and gel space ratio will affect the strength of concrete.

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- 5. a) List the various non destructive testing methods and explain in detail of any TWO methods.

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 - b) What are the important factors affecting the compressive strength of concrete.

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- 6. a) What are the factors that affect the shrinkage and creep of concrete?
 - b) Draw the typical stress strain curve for concrete. Explain how to determine the various elastic moduli for concrete?

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- 7. a) Define the durability of concrete and what are the reasons for the durability problems in concrete.

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 - b) Explain how will you account for the moisture present in sand while mix proportioning.

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- 8. a) What are the typical ranges of aggregate unit weight for making structural light weight concrete?

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 - b) Explain the mechanism for achieving the Self Compacting Concrete and advantages of SCC. 7 M