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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-16) AUGUST/SEPTEMBER—2021 DME - FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION ENGINEERING MECHANICS

Time: 3 hours]

[Total Marks: 80

PART—A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer all questions.

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- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.
- 1. The resultant of two given forces is equal to each of the forces. Find the angle between the forces.
- 2. Define equilibrium and equilibrant.
- 3. Prove that the angle of repose is equal to angle of friction at the limiting condition.
- 4. State the laws of static friction.
- 5. Define Center of gravity and Radius of gyration.
- 6. A body moving with SHM has amplitude of 0.8 m and period of complete oscillation is 2 seconds. Determine the maximum velocity and acceleration.

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- 7. State the law*of conservation of momentum.
- 8. What is self locking? Mention the condition for self locking.
- 9. In a simple lifting machine, an effort of 500 N raised a load of 12.5 kN. If the machine has an efficiency of 65%, determine the mechanical advantage and velocity ratio.
- 10. Define (a) structure and (b) mechanism.

PART—B

Instructions: (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. (a) Three forces acting on a particle are in equilibrium. Angle between first two forces is 90° and that between second and third is 120°.
 Find the ratio of the forces. 5+5=10
 - (b) Define a couple. List out any three practical applications of a couple.
- 12. (a) Define moment of a force. State VARIGNON'S principle. 5+5=10
 - (b) Locate the centroid of the following section.



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- 13. A body resting on a rough horizontal plane required a pull of 180 N inclined at 30° to the plane just to move it. It was found that a push of 220 N inclined at 30° to the plane just moved the body. Determine the weight of the body and the coefficient of friction.
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- 14. Find MI about centroidal axis parallel to base for a symmetrical I-section with the following dimensions : Top and Bottom flanges : 160 mm × 10 mm ; Web : 180 mm × 10 mm.
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- 15. A bullet of mass 0.03 kg is fired with a velocity of 500 m/s. What is the kinetic energy of the bullet? If the bullet penetrates into a block of wood 300 mm deep, what is the resistance offered by wood to the bullet? What is the exit velocity, if the same bullet is fired into a 150 mm thick wood?
- 16. (a) An elevator lifting a weight of 4450 N starts to move upwards with a uniform acceleration of 0.6 m/s^2 . Find the tension in the cable during upward motion. 5+5=10
 - (b) A wheel rotating about a fixed axis at 20 rpm is uniformly accelerated for 70 seconds, during which time it makes 50 revolutions. Find the angular velocity at the end of this interval.
- 17. In a differential wheel and axle, the difference between axle diameters is 50 mm and the diameter of the effort wheel is 750 mm. If a load of 2500 N is lifted by an effort of 175 N and a load of 3250 N is lifted by an effort of 210 N, determine : (*a*) law of the machine, (*b*) load lifted by an effort of 225 N, (*c*) mechanical advantage, (*d*) velocity ratio and (*e*) efficiency.

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- 18. (a) Draw the following line diagrams of simple pulleys, second system of pulleys, third system machines of pulleys. 5+5=10
 - *(b)* Explain Ackermann Steering Gear mechanism with a neat line diagram.

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