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# CIVIL ENGINEERING

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**1.** A rectangular bar of width $b$ and height $h$ is being used as a cantilever. The loading is in a plane parallel to the side $b$. The section modulus is

(A) $bh^3/12$

(B) $bh^2/6$

(C) $hb^2/6$

(D) None of the above
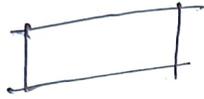
**2.** The number of plastic hinges required for collapse of structures with degree of indeterminacy $n$ is
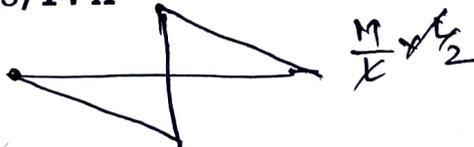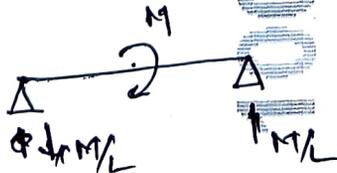
(A) $(n-1)$

(B) $n$

(C) $(n+1)$

(D) $0$

**3.** The shape factor for a circular tubular section with outside diameter equal to twice the inner diameter is

(A) $1\cdot58$

(B) $1\cdot75$

(C) $2\cdot0$

(D) $2\cdot5$

**4.** A beam of length $L$ is pinned at both ends and is subjected to a concentrated bending couple of moment $M$ at its centre. The maximum bending moment in the beam is

(A) $M$

(B) $M/2$

(C) $ML$

(D) $ML/2$

**5.** For a simply supported beam of length $L$, the bending moment $M$ is described as $M = a(x - x^3/L^2)$, $0 \le x < L$; where $a$ is a constant. The shear force will be zero at

(A) mid-span

(B) supports

(C) $L^2/\sqrt{3}$

(D) None of the above

**6.** If we use a link support in a structural system, then how many unknowns would we have?
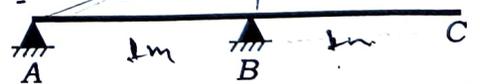
(A) 0

(B) 1

(C) 2

(D) None of the above

**7.** If a member of a truss is in compression, then what will be the direction of force that it will apply to the joints?

(A) Outward

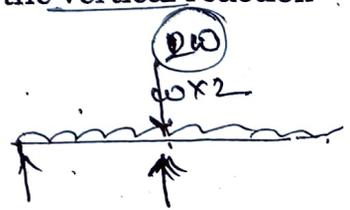(B) Inward

(C) Depends on case

(D) No force will be there

**8.** Assume $AB = BC = 1$ m for the following beam

What will be the vertical reaction at point $B$?

(A) 0

(B) $1 - X$

(C) $X$

(D) $X - L$

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**9.** If we require constructing ILD of vertical support at a pin joint, then according to Muller-Breslau principle, by which type of support should it be replaced?

(A) Roller guide

(B) Pin roller

(C) Fixed support

(D) Hinge

**10.** Which structure will perform better during earthquake?

(A) Statically determinate

(B) Statically indeterminate

(C) Both statically determinate and statically indeterminate

(D) Depends upon magnitude of earthquake

**11.** If support $B$ settles by 1 mm downward, then what is the direction of rotation at point $A$?



(A) Clockwise

(B) Anticlockwise

(C) Cannot say

(D) Depends upon loading at point $A$
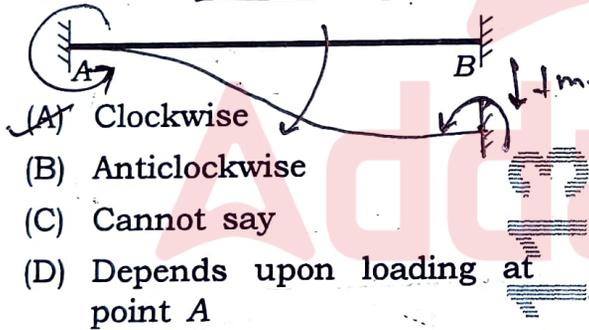
**12.** The transverse reinforcements provided at right angles to the main reinforcement

(A) distribute the load

(B) resist the temperature stresses

(C) resist the shrinkage stress

(D) All of the above

**13.** After pre-stressing process is completed, a loss of stress is due to

(A) shrinkage of concrete

(B) elastic shortening of concrete

(C) creep of concrete

(D) All of the above

**14.** The spacing of transverse reinforcement of column is decided by which of the following considerations?

(A) The least lateral dimension of the column

(B) Sixteen times the diameter of the smallest longitudinal reinforcing rods in the column

(C) Forty-eight times the diameter of the transverse reinforcement

(D) All of the above

**15.** Lapped splices in tensile reinforcement are generally not used for bars of size larger than

(A) 36 mm diameter
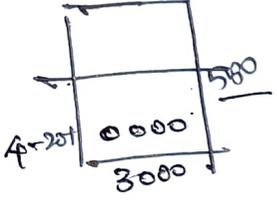
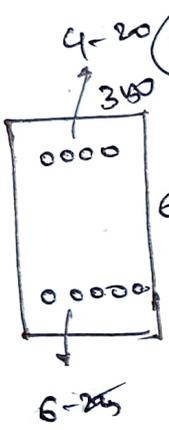(B) 30 mm diameter

(C) 24 mm diameter

(D) 18 mm diameter

**16.** If grades of steel and concrete are respectively Fe 415 and M 20 in a beam reinforced in tension side with 4–20 T and of width 30 cm and having effective depth 55 cm, then the depth of neutral axis of the section is

(A) 109·9 mm

(B) 209·9 mm

(C) 309·9 mm

(D) None of the above

**17.** The doubly reinforced section having $d = 600$ mm, reinforced with 6–25 T at bottom and 4–20 T at top, $h = 350$ mm, $d' = 60$ mm, Fe 415 steel grade and M 20 grade is

(A) underreinforced

(B) overreinforced

(C) balanced

(D) None of the above

**18.** The effective width of the simply supported flanged beam with $D_f = 100$ mm, $l_0 = 12000$ mm, $b_w = 350$ mm having $d = 500$ mm, Fe 415 steel grade and M 20 grade is

(A) 2950 mm

(B) 1990 mm

(C) 1950 mm

(D) 2590 mm

**19.** A three-hinged arch is statically

(A) determinate structure

(B) indeterminate structure

(C) unstable structure

(D) None of the above

**20.** A fillet weld may be termed as

(A) mitre weld

(B) concave weld

(C) convex weld

(D) All of the above

**21.** Which of the following sections should preferably be used at places where torsion occurs?

(A) Angle section

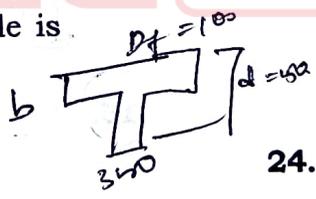(B) Channel section

(C) Box-type section

(D) Any of the above

**22.** The effective length of a fillet weld should not be less than

(A) two times the weld size

(B) four times the weld size

(C) six times the weld size

(D) the weld size

**23.** Generally, the purlins are placed at the panel points so as to avoid

(A) axial force in rafter

(B) shear force in rafter

(C) deflection of rafter

(D) bending moment in rafter

**24.** IS : 800–2007 limits the values of width to thickness ratios of the elements of a steel section to place a check on

(A) local buckling

(B) torsional buckling

(C) flexural-torsional buckling

(D) bending buckling

25. The design wind depends upon
   (A) risk coefficient
   (B) topography of the area
   (C) size of the structure
   (D) All of the above

26. A steel plate is 30 cm wide and 10 mm thick. If the diameter of the bolt hole is 20 mm, then the net section area of the plate is
   (A) 1800 mm²
   (B) 2800 mm²
   (C) 2080 mm²
   (D) 1850 mm²
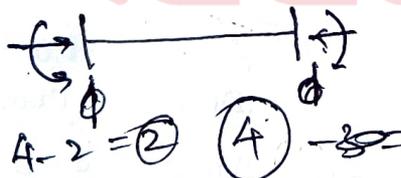
27. The thickness of gusset plate should not be less than
   (A) 5 mm
   (B) 12 mm
   (C) 6 mm
   (D) None of the above

28. A beam fixed at the ends and subjected to lateral loads only is statically indeterminate and the degree of indeterminacy is
   (A) 1
   (B) 2
   (C) 3
   (D) 4
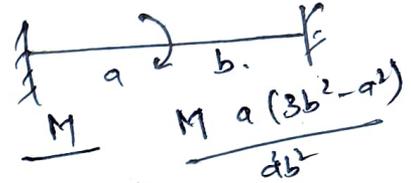
29. The influence line for maximum bending moment in a simply supported beam is
   (A) rectangular
   (B) parabolic
   (C) irregular
   (D) triangular

30. A fixed beam of span $L$ is subjected to a moment $M$ at the centre of span. The fixed end moment is
   (A) $M/2$
   (B) $M/4$
   (C) $M/3$
   (D) $M$

31. A fully saturated soil is set to the
   (A) one-phase system
   (B) two-phase system with soil and water
   (C) two-phase system with soil and air
   (D) three-phase system

32. If the uniformity coefficient $C_u = 4$ and coefficient of curvature $C_c = 1$ for a soil, then $D_{30}/D_{10}$ for the soil is
   (A) $\frac{1}{2}$
   (B) $\frac{1}{4}$
   (C) 2
   (D) 4

33. If the volume of voids is equal to the volume of the solids in a soil mass, then the values of porosity and voids ratio respectively are
   (A) 0·5 and 1·0
   (B) 1·0 and 0·0
   (C) 0·0 and 1·0
   (D) 1·0 and 0·5

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Q26: $A_n = (B - nd_0) \times t = (300 - 20) \times 10 = 280 \times 10$

Q28: $4 - 2 = 2$, (4) $-\frac{3}{2}$, $-2$

Q30: $M \dfrac{a(3b^2 - a^2)}{db^2}$

Q32: $C_u = 4$, $C_c = 1$; $\dfrac{D_{60}}{D_{10}} = 4$; $\dfrac{D_{30}^2}{D_{60} \times D_{10}} = 1$

Q33: $e = \left(\dfrac{V_v}{V_s}\right) = 1$; $n = \dfrac{e}{1+e}$; $e = \dfrac{n}{1-n} = \dfrac{1}{2}$

$\dfrac{D_{30}}{D_{10}}$; $\sqrt{\dfrac{D_{30}^2}{4 D_{10}^2}} = \sqrt{4} = 2$

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**34.** For a piping phenomenon to occur in soil, the most important condition to be satisfied is that

(A) soil is fine grained

(B) wide ratio is more than 2

(C) specific gravity of soil solids is more than 2·8

(D) hydraulic gradient is nearly unity

**35.** Time factor for a clay layer is

(A) independent of thickness of clay layer

(B) a dimensionless perimeter

(C) directly proportional to permeability of soil

(D) inversely proportional to drainage path

**36.** In the consolidated drain test on a saturated soil sample, pour water pressure is zero during

(A) consolidation stage only

(B) loading stage

(C) shearing stage only

(D) both consolidation and shearing stages

**37.** When the degree of consolidation is 50%, the time factor is about

(A) 2·0

(B) 1·0

(C) 0·5

(D) 0·2

**38.** Undisturbed soil samples are required for conducting

(A) specific gravity test

(B) hydrometer test

(C) consolidation test

(D) shrinkage limit test

**39.** Deflection of a sheet pile in a braced cut

(A) increases from the top to the bottom

(B) increases from the top and then decreases

(C) decreases from the top to the bottom

(D) decreases from the top and then increases

**40.** Lacustrine soils are soils

(A) deposited in lake beds

(B) deposited in seabeds

(C) transported by glaciers

(D) transported by rivers and streams

**41.** Skempton's pore pressure coefficient $B$ for saturated soil is

(A) zero

(B) 1

(C) between 0 and 1

(D) greater than 1

**42.** Which one of the following parameters can be used to estimate the angle of internal friction of a sandy soil?

(A) Density index

(B) Roughness of particles

(C) Particle size

(D) Particle size distribution

**43.** A cantilever sheet pile derives its stability from

(A) self-weight

(B) lateral resistance of soil

(C) the anchor rod

(D) the deadman

**44.** A sand deposit has a porosity of $\frac{1}{3}$ and its specific gravity is 2·5. The critical hydraulic gradient to cause sand boiling in the stratum will be

(A) 0·75

(B) 1·0

(C) 1·25

(D) 1·5

**45.** Rafts resting on sands can be allowed double of the allowable soil pressure when

(A) permissible settlement is doubled

(B) length is doubled

(C) depth factor is increased

(D) water table is lowered

**46.** In standard penetration test, the split spoon sampler is penetrated into the soil stratum by giving blows from a drop weight whose weight (in kg) and free fall (in cm) are respectively

(A) 30 and 60

(B) 60 and 30

(C) 65 and 75

(D) 75 and 65

**47.** In Mohr's diagram, a point above Mohr's envelope indicates

(A) safe condition

(B) imaginary condition

(C) imminent failure condition

(D) condition of maximum obliquity

**48.** In plate load test, pre-loading recommended by IS code is

(A) 70 gm/cm$^2$

(B) 100 gm/cm$^2$

(C) 120 gm/cm$^2$

(D) 125 gm/cm$^2$

**49.** According to IS code, the permissible values of settlement in clay and sand are respectively

(A) 20 mm and 40 mm

(B) 40 mm and 20 mm

(C) 30 mm and 60 mm

(D) 60 mm and 30 mm

**50.** The value of factor of safety adopted in foundation design is

(A) 1·2 to 1·5

(B) 1·5 to 2·0

(C) 2·0 to 3·0

(D) 3·0 to 4·0