

December 2024
B.Tech- III SEMESTER
Engineering Mechanics (ESC01)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

- Instructions**
1. It is compulsory to answer all the questions (1.5 marks each) of Part -A in short.
 2. Answer any four questions from Part -B in detail.
 3. Different sub-parts of a question are to be attempted adjacent to each other.
 4. Symbols have their usual meanings.

PART -A

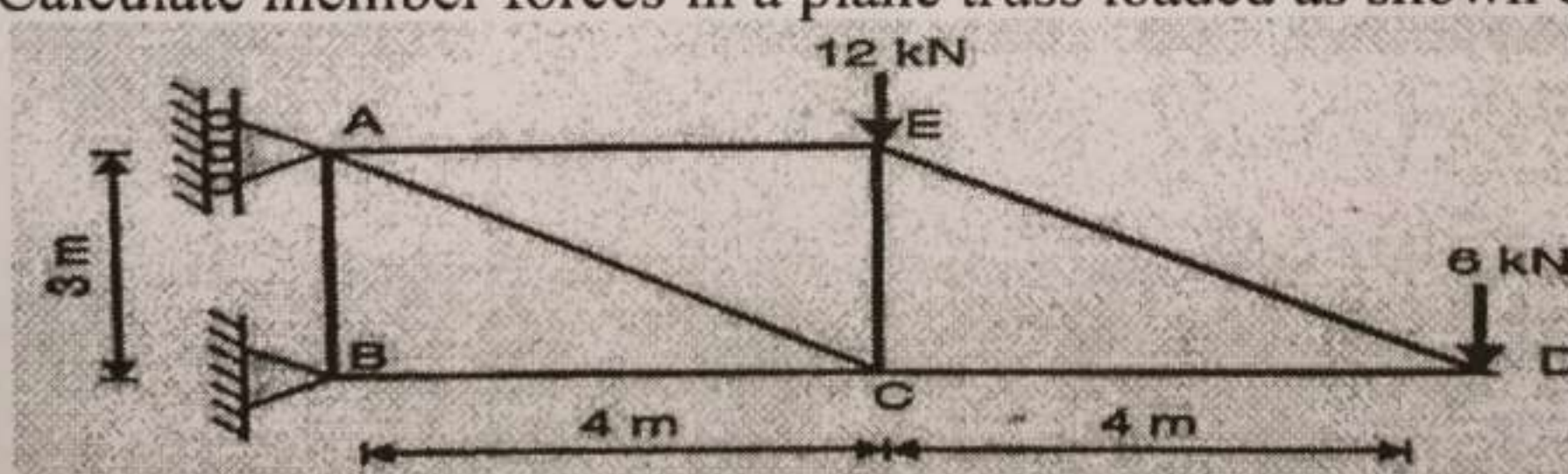
- Q1 (a) What is free body diagram? (1.5)
- (b) Differentiate between static friction and dynamic friction. (1.5)
- (c) What are zero force members in a truss structure? (1.5)
- (d) How do you determine the centroid of a composite section? (1.5)
- (e) What is the principle of virtual work? (1.5)
- (f) Define the work-energy principle. (1.5)
- (g) What is D'Alembert's principle? (1.5)
- (h) What is the concept of resonance in mechanical vibrations? (1.5)
- (i) What is coplanar system of forces? (1.5)
- (j) Define wedge friction. (1.5)

PART -B

- Q2 (a) Two concurrent 120 N forces and 60 N act on the body along directions at 0° and 60° to X-axis respectively. Find the magnitude and direction of the resultant. (10)
- (b) Write short notes on the parallelogram law of forces. (5)

- Q3 A body of weight W is placed on a rough inclined plane having an inclination α to the horizontal. The force P is applied to the horizontal to drag the body. If the body is on the point of motion up the plane, prove that P is given by $P = W \tan(\alpha + \phi)$. Where ϕ = Angle of friction. (15)

- Q4 Calculate member forces in a plane truss loaded as shown below in figure: (15)



- Q5 (a) Derive a relationship for finding the moment of inertia of a triangle. (10)
(b) Explain the principle of virtual work for particles and ideal system of rigid bodies. (5)
- Q6 (a) Explain the impulse-momentum theorem with a suitable example. (10)
(b) State newton's 2nd law of motion. (5)
- Q7 (a) A train of weight 5000 KN is pulled by an electric engine on a level track at a constant speed of 100 km/hr. The air resistance on train to be overcome by engine, is 12 N/KN of the train weight. Find the power. (10)
(b) Explain single degree of freedom system with a suitable example. (5)
