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Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2023 Kinematics of Machines

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Define the following:
 - i) Link ii) Kinematic pair iii) Kinematic chain iv) Degree of freedom v) Structure.

(05 Marks)

b. Differentiate between machine and mechanism.

(05 Marks)

c. With neat sketch, explain any two inversions of four bar chain.

(10 Marks)

OR

2 a. Explain Peauellier straight line motion mechanism with a neat sketch.

(10 Marks)

b. With a neat sketch, explain the pantograph.

(10 Marks)

Module-2

3 a. Explain velocity and acceleration analysis of four bar mechanism.

(10 Marks)

b. Explain velocity and acceleration analysis of slider crank mechanism.

(10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain and derive an expression for Coriolis components of acceleration. (10 Mark
 - b. A four bar chain ABCD has fixed link AD = 1m. The driving crank AB = 0.3. The follower link CD = 0.6m and the connecting link BC = 1.2m. The crank AB rotates at a speed of 300rpm clock wise with an angular acceleration of 200 rad/sec² in anti-clock wise direction. When the angle made by the crank with the fixed link is 135° in anti clock wise direction. Determine:
 - i) Angular velocity of link BC and CD
 - ii) Acceleration of B and C

(10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Sketch and explain Klein's construction for single slider crank mechanism. (10 Marks)
 - b. In a pin jointed four bar mechanism as shown in Fig Q5(b), AB = 150mm, BC = CD = 180mm and AD = 300mm. The angle of BAD = 60°. The crank AB rotates uniformly at 100rpm. Locate all the instantaneous center and find the angular velocity of the link BC.

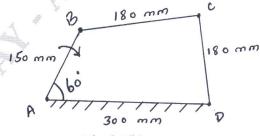


Fig Q5(b)

(10 Marks)

OR

For an inclined slider crank mechanism of crank length of 5mm, crank angle of 30° and connecting rod length 150mm, determine the velocity and acceleration of the slider using complex algebra method. Take the constant speed of the crank as 2100 rpm in clockwise direction.

(20 Marks)

Module-4

7 a. Derive an expression for path of contact.

(10 Marks)

b. A pair of spur gears has 16 teeth and 18 teeth, a module 12.5mm an addendum 12.5mm and a pressure angle 14.5°. Prove that the gears have interference. Determine the minimum number of teeth and the velocity to avoid interference. (10 Marks)

OR

8 a. An epicyclic gear consists of three gears A, B and C as shown in Fig Q8(a). The gear A has 72 internal teeth and gear C has 32 external teeth. The gear B meshes with both A and C and is carried on an arm EF which rotates about the centre of A at 18 rpm. If the gear A is fixed, determine the speed of gears B and C.

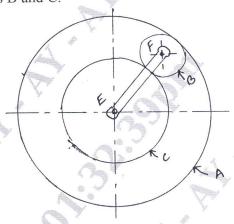


Fig Q8(a)

(12 Marks)

b. Explain the types of gear train.

(08 Marks)

Module-5

9 a. With a neat sketch, explain the types of cams.

(10 Marks)

b. Explain the types of followers with a neat sketch.

(10 Marks)

OR

Draw the profile of a cam operating a roller reciprocating follower and with the following data:

Minimum radius of cam = 25mm

Lift = 30mm

Roller diameter = 15mm

The cam lifts the follower for 120° with SHM, followed by a dwell period of 30°. Then the follower lowers down during 150° of cam rotation with uniform acceleration and retardation followed by a dwell period. If the cam rotates at a uniform speed of 150 rpm. Calculate the maximum velocity and acceleration of follower during the descent period. (20 Marks)

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