

M.Sc. 2nd Semester Examination, 2015

APPLIED MATHEMATICS WITH OCEANOLOGY  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

( *General Theory of Continuum Mechanics* )

PAPER – MTM - 204

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

Answer Q.No.1 and any four from the rest

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks*

1. Answer any *two* questions : 4 × 2

(a) The strain tensor at a point is given by

$$[E_y] = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

( Turn Over )

Determine the extension of a line element in the direction of  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$ . Find also the change of angle between two perpendicular line elements in the directions  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$  and  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$ .

- (b) Defining complex potential, find the complex potential for a doublet.
- (c) Differentiate between (i) stream line and path line (ii) source and sink.
2. Derive Bernoulli's equation of motion in its most general form. Deduce Bernoulli's equation (i) when the fluid is incompressible and (ii) when the motion is steady. 6 + 1 + 1
3. (a) Two sources, each of strength  $m$ , are placed at the points  $(-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$  and a sink of

strength  $2m$  is placed at the origin. Show that the stream lines are curves

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 - y^2 + \lambda xy)$$

where  $\lambda$  is a parameter. Also find the fluid speed at any point.

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- (b) Find the stress vector at a point on the plane whose normal vector is  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$  and state of stress at a point is given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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4. Define principal strains and principal directions of strain. Prove that all principal strains are real and its directions of strain are orthogonal. 2 + 3 + 3.
5. (a) The displacement in an elastic solid is given as follows :

$$u_i = \epsilon(x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3)$$