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**COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, PUNE**  
T.Y.B. Tech. (Institute Level Elective-II)  
**(ISO2-4) Finite Elements in Engineering**  
End- Semester Examination

Year : 2012-13  
Max. Marks: 40

Semester : II  
Time: 3 Hour

- Instructions:**
1. ALL Questions are compulsory.
  2. Assume suitable data if necessary.

Q.1 (a) Triangular elements have been used for modeling a heated flat plate. The  $(x,y)$  coordinates of nodes  $i,j$ , and  $k$  of an interior element are given as  $(5,4)$ ,  $(8,6)$  and  $(4,8)$  cm respectively. If the nodal temperatures are found to be  $T_i = 100^\circ C$ ,  $T_j = 80^\circ C$ , and  $T_k = 110^\circ C$ , find the temperature at point  $P$  located at  $(x_p, y_p) = (6,5)$  cm [04]

(b) The temperatures at the corner nodes of a rectangular element, in  $^\circ C$  are given by  $T_i = 90$ ,  $T_j = 84$ ,  $T_k = 75$ , and  $T_l = 85$ . If the length and width of the element are  $x_{ij} = 15$  mm and  $y_{il} = 10$  mm, determine the temperature distribution in the element. [06]

(c) The nodes of a quadratic one-dimensional element are located at  $x = 0$ ,  $x = L/2$ , and  $x = L$ . Express the shape functions using Lagrange polynomial of order  $n$ ,  $L_j(x) = \prod_{i=1, i \neq j}^n \frac{x - x_i}{x_j - x_i}$  [03]

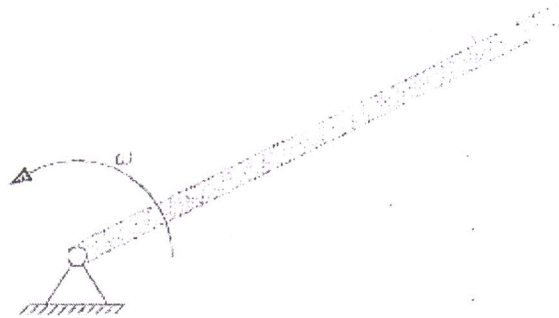


Q.2 (a) Explain in brief any Two finite elements that you have used for carrying out Finite Element Analysis. [08]

(b) Determine the axial stress distribution in a bar that is rotating at 500 rpm as shown in figure. The problem can be treated as one dimensional with the governing differential equation as follows: [06]

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( EA \frac{du}{dx} \right) + \rho Ax \omega^2 = 0; 0 < x < L$$

$$u(0) = 0; EA \frac{du(L)}{dx} = 0$$



where  $x$  is the coordinate along the axis of the bar,  $u(x)$  is the axial displacement,  $L$  = length of the bar,  $E$  = Young's modulus,  $A$  = area of cross section,  $\rho$  = mass density, and  $\omega$  = angular velocity in rad/s. The axial stress is  $\sigma_x = E du / dx$ . An exact analytical solution of the problem is  $\sigma_{x, exact} = \frac{\rho \omega^2}{2} (L^2 - x^2)$ .

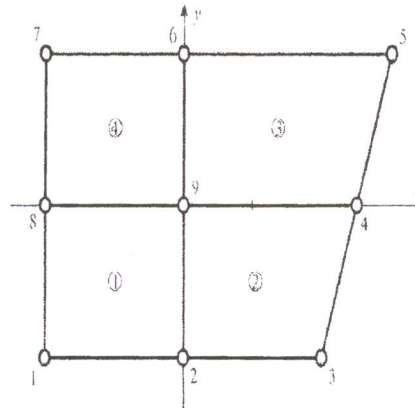
Compare solution using one linear element  $[u(x) = c_0 + c_1 x]$ .

$L = 80 \text{ cm}$ ;  $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$ ;  $A = 250 \text{ mm}^2$ ;  $\rho = 7850 \text{ kg / m}^3$ .

(c) Compute Jacobian for element 1 as shown below.

[04]

Global Node Number	Nodal Coordinates
1	(-4, -3)
2	(0, -3)
3	(4, -3)
4	(5, 0)
5	(6, 3)
6	(0, 3)
7	(-4, 3)
8	(-4, 0)
9	(0, 0)



Q.3

Explain in brief the important steps you followed while carrying out *Mini-Project work*.

[09]

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