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Mid Semester Examination

Summer Semester: 2022-2023

Course No.: CEE 4815

Full Marks: 75

Course Title: Introduction to Finite Element Method

Time: 1.5 Hours

There are 4 (Four) questions. Answer 3 (Three) questions. Questions 2 and 4 are compulsory. Answer 1 question from questions 1 and 3. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks.

- 1(a). Briefly describe Well-Conditioned Mesh and Ill-Condition Mesh in finite element method. (6)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 1(b). Derive the shape functions of 4-nodal elements for the one-dimensional condition in the local coordinate system using the Lagrange Polynomials. Draw also the curves for all four shape functions. (13)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 1(c). Briefly describe the limitations of the Jacobian Matrix in mapping between the local and global coordinate systems. (6)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 2(a). Derive the shape functions and Jacobian matrix of a 3-nodal triangular element in the two-dimensional condition for the local coordinate system. (11)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 2(b). Answer the following question regarding a triangular element having coordinates of (0,0), (4, 0), and (2, 3) - (14)
(CO2)
(PO2)
 - (i) Determine the coordinates of a point in the global coordinate system corresponding to the local coordinate (0.3, 0.5).
 - (ii) Determine Jacobian matrix.
- 3(a). Derive strain displacement matrix [B] for three-dimensional condition. (12)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 3(b). Derive general stiffness matrix using the principle of virtual work. (13)
(CO1)
(PO1)
- 4. Calculate axial forces at both nodes of a truss element for the nodal displacements of 5.0 mm at node 1 and 3.0 mm at node 2. Show the calculations of the Jacobian matrix, strain-displacement matrix [B], and stiffness matrix [K] for elastic condition. (25)
(CO2)
(PO2)
The cross section of the truss is circular having a diameter of 50 mm, and the length is 8.0 m. Here, the elastic modulus of the truss material, $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$.