CE-304 (Building Materials) B.Tech. 3rd (CBCS)

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answerbook (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.

Note: Attempt five questions in all selecting one question each from section A, B, C, D and section E is compulsory.

SECTION - A

- What are the various tests conducted for determining the different properties of stones? Explain.
 (7)
 - (b) Discuss the effects of different type of pozzolanic materials used in concrete. (3)
- Explain in detail about the properties and uses of different type of floor and wall materials. (10)

SECTION - B

- What is seasoning of timber? Explain the methods for seasoning of timber. (10)
- (a) Discuss about the factors affecting physical and mechanical properties of steel.
 (6)
 - (b) Discuss about the properties of aluminium. (4)

SECTION - C

 What are the different forms of bitumen? Explain their properties and applications. (10) 2

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What is bitumen emulsion and what are its applications?
 Discuss about factors that are important in Grading Bitumen Emulsion.
 (10)

SECTION - D

- What is polymer? Discuss about the different types of polymers used in concrete construction and repair. (10)
- Discuss about the different types of fibre geotextile used for the earth reinforcement. (10)

SECTION - E (Compulsory)

- 9. Answer the following:
 - (a) Define slaking of lime.
 - (b) What is composition of bitumen emulsion?
 - (c) Differentiate between joint filler and joint sealant.
 - (d) What is polymerization?
 - (e) What is a resin and state its application?
 - (f) Differentiate between quick lime and slaked lime.
 - (g) State the composition of good brick earth.
 - (h) What is polymer modified bitumen?
 - (i) Differentiate between elasticity and plasticity.
 - (j) What is the composition of plastic?

(10×2=20)