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Subject Name: Fundamentals of Aeronautics

Time: 10:30 am - 01:00 pm

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Define: Mach Number, Critical Mach number, Airfoil Stalling, Angle of Attack, Range, Endurance and Drag divergence mach number. **07**
(b) Explain Airfoil Nomenclature with a neat sketch. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Derive power required for a steady level unaccelerated flight and also derive necessary conditions for minimum power requirement. **07**
(b) Explain Critical mach number and critical pressure coefficient. Show the comparison of C_p and M_∞ for airfoils of different thicknesses. **07**
- OR**
- (b) Explain climbing flight of an aircraft with a neat diagram. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Show the comparison of $C_L - \alpha$ curve for symmetric and cambered airfoil. **07**
(b) Explain the wing and tail structure of transport aircraft. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Define propeller. Explain turboprop engine with a neat sketch. **07**
(b) Explain gliding flight. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Write a note on reciprocating engine and its working. **07**
(b) With a neat sketch explain Turbo shaft engine with advantages and disadvantages. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) With a neat sketch write a note on Ramjet engine with advantages and disadvantages. **07**
(b) Derive rocket equation. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Write a note on landing gears and types of landing gears. **07**
(b) Derive breguet range formula for propeller driven airplane. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) Explain the fuselage structure of transport aircraft. **07**
(b) Explain turbojet engine in brief. **07**
