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Subject Name: Fluid Mechanics and Gas Dynamics

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) Differentiate between **07**

- (i) Lagrangian and Eulerian methods of representing fluid flow.
- (ii) The rotational and irrotational flows

(b) For an incompressible fluid the velocity components are: **07**

$$u = x^3 - y^3 - z^2x, v = y^3 - z^3, w = -3x^2z - 3y^2z + \frac{z^3}{3}$$

Determine whether the continuity equation is satisfied.

Q.2 (a) Derive the Euler's equation of motion. **07**

(b) A discharge through a 240 mm diameter horizontal pipe increases linearly from 30 to 120 litres/sec of water in 4 seconds. **07**

- (i) What pressure gradient must exist to produce this acceleration?
- (ii) What is the difference in pressure intensity that exists between two sections that lie 9 m apart?

OR

(b) Determine the components of rotation for the following velocity field pertaining to the flow of an incompressible fluid $u = Cyz$; $v = Czx$; $w = Cxy$ where $C = \text{constant}$. **07**
State whether the flow is rotational or irrotational?

Q.3 (a) The velocity components in a fluid are given by $u = 2xy$; $v = a^2 + x^2 - y^2$ **07**

- (i) Show that the flow is possible. (ii) Derive the relative stream function.

(b) For the following stream functions calculate velocity at a point (1,2) **07**

(i) $\psi = 3xy$ (ii) $y = 3x^2y - y^3$

OR

Q.3 (a) Show that a circle in $\xi - \eta$ plane displaced from the origin is mapped to an aerofoil in the physical z -plane via the Joukowski transformation. **07**

(b) A source of strength $10 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$ at (1, 0) and a sink of the same strength at (-1, 0) are combined with a uniform flow of 25 m/s in the negative x -direction. Determine the size of Rankine body formed by the flow and the difference in pressure between a point far upstream in the uniform flow and the point (1, 1). **07**

Q.4 (a) Obtain an expression in differential form for continuity equation for one-dimensional compressible flow. **07**

(b) Describe compressible flow through a convergent-divergent nozzle. How and where does the shock wave occur in the nozzle? **07**

OR

Q.4 (a) Define the following terms: **07**

- (i) Subsonic flow (ii) Sonic flow (iii) Supersonic flow (iv) Mach cone

Q.4 (b) What is the critical pressure ratio for a compressible flow through a nozzle? On what factors does it depend? **07**

- Q.5 (a)** Enumerate different laws on which models are designed for dynamic similarities? **07**
Where are they used?
- (b)** Describe Buckingham's method to formulate a dimensionally homogeneous equation **07**
between the various physical quantities affecting a certain phenomenon.

OR

- Q.5 (a)** What is Mach number? Why is this parameter so important for the study of flow of **07**
compressible fluids?
- (b)** For a normal shock wave in air Mach number is 3. If the atmospheric pressure and air **07**
density are 27 kN/m^2 and 0.456 kg/m^3 respectively, determine the flow conditions
before and after the shock wave. Take $\gamma = 1.4$
