Model Question Paper

Eighth Semester B.Tech. Degree Examination April-May 2012

(2008 Scheme)

Branch: Civil Engineering

08.806.8: Elective - IV: REPAIR & REHABILITATION OF STRUCTURES

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: Answer all questions from Part A and one full question from each Module of Part B

PART - A

- 1. Discuss about the damages of concrete structures caused by earthquakes.
- 2. What are the steps to be taken to prevent corrosion of reinforcement?
- 3. From visual inspection of concrete structures, what are the causes of damages that can be identified?
- 4. What is Pull Out test?
- 5. Briefly discuss about repairing of concrete floors.
- 6. What are the properties and uses of ferrocement?
- 7. Discuss about the process, 'guniting'.
- 8. How is jacketing done?

(8x5=40 marks)

PART - B

Module - I

- 9. (a) Explain about different environmental chemical attacks on concrete structures. What are the preventive measures.
 - (b) Design and construction operations of RCC structures affect the durability and resistance to damages. Explain the precautions to be taken.

(20 marks)

OR

- 10. (a) Explain about the environmental factors which damage steel structures. What are the preventive measures to be taken.
 - (b) Proper inspection and maintenance prevent the deterioration of steel structures due to fatigue. Explain.

(20 marks)

Module - II

- 11. (a) Explain the diagnosis and assessment of deterioration of structures by ultrasonic pulse velocity method.
 - (b) Explain Rebound Hammer method of testing of concrete structures. What are the advantages and disadvantages?

(20 marks)

OR

- 12. (a) Explain Probe Penetration Test for concrete structures. Discuss about its advantages and disadvantages.
 - (b) Discuss about any one crack detection technique in detail.

(20 marks)

Module - III

- 13. (a) Explain the methods for repairing spalling and disintegration of concrete.
 - (b) Discuss about the process of repairing corrosion damage in reinforced concrete structures.

(20 marks)

OR

- 14. (a) In which type of components and under what condition 'jacketing' is suitable for strengthening of structures. Explain the process.
 - (b) Discuss in detail about the application of polymers and fibre reinforced concretes in strengthening existing structures.

(20 marks)
