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## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES :**

- 1. Attempt any FIVE questions out of EIGHT questions.
- 2. Each question carries TWENTY marks.
- 1. a) Discuss the principal constituents of cement and their role in the process of hardening of cement paste.
  - b) Draw probable (typical) graphs to show
    - i) Relation between water / cement ratio and degree of hydration at which capillaries cease to be continuous.
    - ii) Compressive strength and specific surface at different ages of cement.
- 2. a) Discuss different formulae (empirical) to show relation between compressive and tensile strength of concrete.
  - b) 'Concrete is generally well resistant to chemical attack, provided an appropriate mix is used and concrete is properly compacted.' There are however, some exceptions. Discuss in detail those exceptions.
- 3. a) Discuss three types of Air entraining agents.
  - b) Show the normal stress distribution near ends of specimens when tested in a machine with (i) Hard platens (ii) Soft platens.
- 4. a) Give step by step procedure of Mix Design.
  - b) Discuss in brief about 'Deformation of Crystals'.
- 5. a) Discuss the role of statistical methods in controlling the quality of concrete.
  - b) Discuss common correct and incorrect practices prevalent regarding concrete construction at site.

- 6. a) Define Endurance Limit & its impotance.
  - b) Show 'Modified Goodman Diagrams' for concrete in compression and flexure fatigue.
- 7. a) Define Thermal conductivity.
  - b) Discuss Creep-Stress-Time-Temperature relations for simple tension.

## 8. Write short notes on :

- a) Rapid Hardening Portland cement
- b) Yield surfaces.

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