

**University of Mumbai**  
**Civil Engineering Examination**

**Sub:CEC702/ Theory of Reinforced Concrete Structures**

**Year/Sem:- BE/ VII Sem**

**Max. Marks: 80**

**Duration: - 2Hrs**

**Q1. Attempt all the MCQS**

**(20 X 2 mark= 40 marks)**

1. An RCC beam can have maximum tension reinforcement as:
  - a. 6 % bD
  - b. 2 % bD
  - c. 3 % bD
  - d. 4 % bD**
2. The maximum depth of neutral axis for a beam with Fe 415 bars in limit state method of design
  - a. 0.46 d
  - b. 0.48 d**
  - c. 0.50 d d
  - d. 0.53 d
3. The partial factor of safety for concrete is
  - a. 1.15
  - b. 1.5**
  - c. 1.95
  - d. 2.0
4. The characteristic strength of concrete in the actual structure is taken as
  - a. ***fck***
  - b. 0.85 ***fck***
  - c. 0.67 *fck***
  - d. 0.447 ***fck***
5. Factor of safety is the ratio of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Yield stress to working stress.**
  - b. Tensile stress to working stress.
  - c. Compressive stress to working stress.
  - d. Bearing stress to working stress
6. The minimum percentage of shear reinforcement in R.C.C beams is
  - a. **0.85/fy**
  - b. 0.4**
  - c. 4
  - d. 40Sv/ 0.87 fy d**
7. Spacing of stirrups in a rectangular beam, is
  - a. Kept constant throughout the length
  - b. Decreased towards the center of the beam
  - c. Increased at the ends
  - d. Increased at the centre of the beam**

8. The limit of percentage of longitudinal reinforcement in a column is given by
- 0.15 - 2%
  - 0.8 - 4%
  - 0.8 - 6%**
  - 0.8 - 8%
9. Usually the thickness of floor slabs for buildings is not less than
- 90 mm**
  - 110 mm
  - 115 mm
  - 120mm
10. The diameter of transverse reinforcement of columns should be equal to one fourth of the diameter of the main steel rods but not less than
- 4mm
  - 5mm
  - 6mm**
  - 7mm
11. In case of a T-beam, the position of neutral axis
- Always lies somewhere in the web area
  - Always lies somewhere in the flange area
  - Is always outside the cross-sectional area
  - May be anywhere in the cross-section**
12. A column is a structural member designed primarily to take
- Torsional load
  - Tensile load
  - Compressive load**
  - Shear
13. Load Carrying capacity of column is increased by ..... percent when helical reinforcement is provided as a transverse reinforcement
- 5%**
  - 4%
  - 6%
  - 0.05%
14. Footing is that portion of a foundation which transfers the load to the.
- column
  - Slab
  - Beam
  - Soil**
15. A footing which supports two or more columns is termed as
- Combined footings**
  - Raft footing
  - Strap footing

- d. Continuous footing
16. The weight of footings is assumed as ..... of the weight transferred to the column.
- a. 5%
  - b. 10%**
  - c. 15%
  - d. 20%
17. The depth of a square footing should not be less than .
- a. 90 mm
  - b. 100 mm
  - c. 150 mm**
  - d. 120 mm
18. Area of footing is calculated as
- a. Total load / SBC**
  - b. Total load x SBC
  - c. Total load - SBC
  - d. total + SBC
19. In case of footing, minimum nominal cover should be
- a. 50 mm**
  - b. 25 mm
  - c. 10 mm
  - d. 20 mm
20. Strap footing is provided in case of
- a. Exterior columns**
  - b. Interior column
  - c. For aesthetics purpose
  - d. Pile foundation

**Q2. Attempt any TWO****(2 X 10 marks= 20 marks)**

1. Calculate ultimate moment of resistance for RCC section 230 mm x 550 mm. deep overall and reinforced with 3-16 dia. Grade of steel Fe415 & grade of concrete M20. Take effective cover 30 mm. Use LSM
2. Determine reinforcement required on tension & compression side. The effective span of beam is 4.5m. if superimposed load is 40 KN/m and size is limited to 300mmx500mm overall,  $d'=50$ mm, use M20 & Fe415. Use WSM
3. A beam 250mm x 550mm effective is subjected to a factored BM of 230 KNm. Determine area of steel required. Use M20 & Fe500. Assume  $d'=50$ mm Use LSM.

**Q3. Attempt any TWO****(02 X 10 marks= 20 marks)**

1. Design a slab to cover a room of internal size 4m x 5m and 23 cm thick brick wall around. Assuming a superimposed load of 3.5 kN/m<sup>2</sup> & floor finish of 1 kN/m<sup>2</sup> design the slab use M-20 grade of concrete & HYSD steel of grade Fe 415. Assume that slab corners are prevented from lifting. Draw neat sketch of reinforcement.
2. Design circular column of dia 400 mm subjected to a load of 1100 KN, the column is having spiral reinforcement. The column is 3 m long and is effectively held in position at both ends but not restrained against rotation. Use M25 & Fe 415.
3. Design the Shear reinforcement for the rectangular beam of size 300mm x 500mm effective provided with 4-20 mm dia. In tension zone, the beam is subjected to UDL of 45 KN/m. over the span of 7 m. use M20 & Fe 415.