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3 Hours / 70 Marks

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- Instructions :**
- (1) All Questions are *compulsory*.
  - (2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
  - (3) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
  - (4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
  - (5) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
  - (6) Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.
  - (7) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

**Marks**

**1. Attempt any FIVE of the following :**

**10**

- (a) Define Geology and state its branches.
- (b) Define soil as per IS.
- (c) Define void ratio and bulk density.
- (d) State any four factors affecting permeability.
- (e) Define : Cohesion and internal friction.
- (f) Define : Ultimate and safe bearing capacity of soil.
- (g) State various methods of site investigation.

- 2. Attempt any THREE of the following: 12**
- (a) State formation and classification of soil.
  - (b) Give step-by-step procedure to determine specific gravity of soil by pycnometer in laboratory.
  - (c) Draw phase diagram of soil when soil is :  
(i) Moist, (ii) Fully saturated  
label the diagrams.
  - (d) Calculate coefficient of uniformity and coefficient of curvature for a soil sample for which  $D_{10} = 0.430$  mm,  $D_{30} = 0.790$  mm and  $D_{60} = 1.300$  mm.
- 3. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12**
- (a) Explain the procedure for determination of plastic limit of soil.
  - (b) A soil sample is tested in constant head permeability, diameter of sample is 4 cm and length is 10 cm under constant head of 15 cm discharge was found to be 70 cc in 10 mins. Find coefficient of permeability.
  - (c) Draw shear strength envelope for purely cohesive and cohesionless soil with sketch.
  - (d) Differentiate between compaction and consolidation.
- 4. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12**
- (a) State the different characteristics of flow-net.
  - (b) Define with a sketch Active earth pressure and Passive earth pressure.
  - (c) State any four assumptions in the theory of Terzaghi's analysis of bearing capacity.
  - (d) Draw a neat labelled sketch of plate load test set-up for gravity loading.
  - (e) Give four compaction equipments along with their suitability.

**5. Attempt any TWO of the following :****12**

- (a) Explain the various field applications of geotechnical engineering in details.
- (b) Draw particle size distribution curve. Explain mechanical sieve analysis for grading of soil with a sketch.
- (c) Explain the direct shear test to determine shear strength of soil with neat sketch.

**6. Attempt any TWO of the following :****12**

- (a) Following observations were made using standard proctor test on a soil sample :

<b>Bulk Density (gm/cc)</b>	1.75	1.95	2.10	2.20	2.15	2.05
<b>Water content (%)</b>	5	10	15	20	25	30

Determine OMC and MDD by plotting compaction curve on graph.

- (b) State the methods of soil stabilization. Explain any one.
  - (c) State field identification test on soil and explain any one.
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