

**PARUL UNIVERSITY**  
**FACULTY OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY**  
**M.Tech. Summer 2018 - 19 Examination**

**Semester: 2**  
**Subject Code: 203215152**  
**Subject Name: DYNAMICS OF SOILS AND FOUNDATIONS**

**Date: 06/05/2019**  
**Time: 10:30 to 01:00pm**  
**Total Marks: 60**

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**Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

- Q.1** A) Define: i) Natural frequency ii) Period iii) Forced Vibration iv) Degree of freedom v) Damping Ratio (05)
- B) Two linear springs  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  are connected in series attached to rigid mass  $m$  and subjected to free vibration with natural period of 5 seconds. The same springs when connected in parallel with the same block gives natural period of 2 seconds. Compute ratio of spring constant. (05)
- C) Assuming resonance to have occurred at a frequency of 30 cycles/sec in a vertical vibration of a test block  $1\text{m} \times 1\text{m} \times 1\text{m}$ , determine the coefficient of elastic in compression. The weight of the oscillator is 800 N and the force produced by it after 15 cycles is 1500 N. Compute the maximum amplitude in the vertical direction at 15 cycles per sec. weight of test block is  $24\text{kN/m}^3$ . (05)
- Q.2 Answer the following questions.** (Attempt any three) (Each five mark) (15)
- A) Discuss about the different types of vibrating machines and suitable types of machine foundation for each machine type.
- B) What do you mean by vibration isolation? Discuss different systems adopted for vibration isolation.
- C) Define Seismograph and Describe Body waves in brief.
- D) Summarize the design criteria for machine Foundation.
- Q.3** A) Enlist different types of tests used to determine dynamic soil properties and describe any one in detail. (07)
- B) Explain Elastic half space method for analysis of machine foundation. (08)
- OR**
- B) Explain Simplified procedure for liquefaction. (08)
- Q.4** A) How to evaluate liquefaction potential using standard penetration test? (07)
- OR**
- A) Derive the equation of motion and its solution for undamped free vibration. (07)
- B) Define Liquefaction and describe all the factors affecting liquefaction in detail. (08)