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SUBJECT: AERODYNAMICS [AAE 2201]

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM (17/04/2018)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

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Instructions to Candidates:

- ✤ Answer ALL the questions.
- Missing data may be suitable assumed.

1A. Explain the followings:

- (a) Steady and unsteady flows
- (b) Laminar and turbulent flows
- (c) Source and sink flows
- (d) Vortex sheet
- **1B.** If for a two-dimensional potential flow, the velocity potential is given by (3) $\phi = x (2y 1)$. Determine the velocity at the point P (4,5), determine also the value of stream function Ψ at the point P.
- 1C. Consider an aircraft that has a wing span of 15m, a wing area of 37.5m², and (3) a gross weight of 88000N. In level flight the lift equals the weight. The aircraft is flying at 102.88 m/s at an altitude of 10 km. Also, the Oswald's efficiency factor is 0.9 and the zero lift drag coefficient is 0.022. Determine the following a) Lift coefficient b) induced drag coefficient c) Total drag coefficient d) Induced drag e) Zero lift drag f) Total drag g) Lift to drag ratio.
- 2A. Sketch and explain the flow pattern of an ideal fluid flow past a circular (2) cylinder with circulation.
- **2B.** Explain what doublet flow is and derive the equation for stream function and **(4)** velocity potential of doublet flow.
- 2C. A uniform flow with a 3 m/s is flowing over a plane source of strength 30m²/s. (4) The uniform flow and the source flow are in the same plane. A point P situated in the flow field. The distance of the point P from the source is 0.5m and it is at an angle of 30° to the uniform flow. Determine the (a) stream function at point P (ii) resultant velocity of flow at P and (iii) location of stagnation point from the source.
- **3A.** Differentiate between the Source panel and Vortex panel methods.

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- **3B.** Explain the functions and components of open and closed circuit wind **(4)** tunnels, Mention their advantages and disadvantages as well.
- 3C. Consider a low speed subsonic wind tunnel designed with a reservoir cross (4) sectional area A1=2m² and test section cross section area A2=0.5m². The pressure in the test section is p2= 1atm. Assume sea level constant density.
 (a) Calculate the pressure required in the reservoir p1, necessary to achieve
 - a flow velocity V_2 =40m/s in the test section
 - (b) Calculate the mass flow through the wind tunnel.
- **4A.** Equation for local vortex sheet strength on thin symmetric airfoil is **(4)** $\gamma(\theta) = 2\alpha V_{\infty} \frac{(1 + \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta}$

Derive an equation for circulation and deduce lift coefficient equation.

4B. Consider a NACA 23012 airfoil. The mean camber line for this airfoil is given **(6)** by

$$\frac{z}{c} = 2.6595 \left[\left(\frac{x}{c}\right)^3 - 0.6075 \left(\frac{x}{c}\right)^2 + 0.1147 \left(\frac{x}{c}\right) \right] \quad \text{for } 0 \le \frac{x}{c} \le 0.2025$$

$$\frac{z}{c} = 0.02208 \left(1 - \frac{x}{c}\right) \quad \text{for } 0.2025 \le \frac{x}{c} \le 1.0$$

and

Use thin airfoil theory to calculate (a) the angle of attack at zero lift (b) lift coefficient when $\alpha = 4^{\circ}$ (c) the moment of coefficient about quarter chord point (d) the location of center of pressure in terms of x_{cp}/c , when $\alpha = 4^{\circ}$

- **5A.** Write down differences between aerodynamic center and center of pressure (2) and their importance's in aerodynamics.
- **5B.** A wing is designed using elliptical circulation distribution

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$$\Gamma(y) = \Gamma_o \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{2y}{b}\right)^2}$$

Prove that the induced angle is directly proportional to the coefficient of lift and inversely proportional to the aspect ratio.

- **5C.** Explain the followings: (a) Biot-Savart law
 - (b) Helmholtz's theorem
 - (c) Horse shoe vortex
 - (d) Circulation