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I SEMESTER M.TECH. (AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2018

SUBJECT: AUTOMOTIVE MATERIALS AND STRUCTURES [AAE 5101]

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM
(22/12/2018)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

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

- 1A.** Define the proportional limit, elastic limit with respect to stress/strain curve. Also explain the offset method to determine the proof stress. **(04)**
- 1B.** Explain the strain hardening process and its stages. **(03)**
- 1C.** Briefly explain the Creep failure modes. **(03)**

- 2A.** Briefly explain the material selection strategy adopted during the design requirement. **(05)**
- 2B.** Discuss the two types of liner used in the cylinder block. **(03)**
- 2C.** What are the reasons behind the different shapes of the piston crown? **(02)**

- 3A.** With graph explain the forming limit diagram. **(05)**
- 3B.** Briefly explain the types of the sheet hydroforming process. **(04)**
- 3C.** What is cryofit? **(01)**

- 4A.** List three types of RTM injection equipment. With a sketch explain any two of them. **(05)**
- 4B.** With neat sketch explain the stir casting process used for particulate composite manufacturing. **(03)**
- 4C.** Explain the gel time test procedure for resin. **(02)**

- 5A.** Derive the expression for the maximum Poisson's ratio which relates longitudinal strain and transverse strain. **(05)**
- 5B.** Evaluate transverse modulus for the composite lamina with the following properties $E_f = 14.8 \text{ GPa}$, $E_m = 3.45 \text{ GPa}$, ν_m (Poisson's ratio) $= 0.36$ and $V_f = 0.65$. **(03)**
- 5C.** Determine the in-plane shear modulus G_{12} of glass epoxy composite with properties $G_f = 28 \text{ GPa}$, $G_m = 1300 \text{ MPa}$ and $V_f = 0.6$. **(02)**