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VII SEMESTER B.TECH. (AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2018

SUBJECT: UNSTEADY AERODYNAMICS [AAE 4004]

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM (01/12/2018)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ✤ Answer ALL the questions.
- Missing data may be suitable assumed.
- **1A.** The vorticity vector $\vec{\omega}$ is defined from the velocity vector, \vec{q} , as follows $\vec{\omega} = \nabla \times$ **(05)** \vec{q} . Show that the vorticity vector satisfies the equation of continuity. Using the figure 1 below which shows an arbitrary surface *S* bounded by curve *C*, irrotationality, show that



1B. Using in-body boundary conditions and by defining the airfoil by thickness and **(05)** lifting components z_t and z_l respectively as shown in figure 2. Explain the concept of symmetry and antisymmetry.



2A. Using the concept shown in the figure 3 below (neglecting the control surface **(08)** deflection) for a 2-D airfoil in a supersonic unsteady flow with factor μ^2 given below, find the pressure difference using high and low frequency approximation.



Figure 3

2B. For an isolated vortex and the associated velocity potential as shown in figure (02) 4 below, write all the associated equations in polar coordinates.



3A. Using the inference of figure 5 below, give the physical interpretation of **(05)** Theoderson lift deficiency function c(k) by comparing circulatory lifts in exact and quasi-steady equations produced by motion. What is quasi-static approximation?



- **3B.** Explain V g method as a graphical approach of flutter point calculation. (05)
- **4A.** A wing bending-torsion system (in SI units) is modelled in terms of coordinates (08) α and θ :

$$12\ddot{\alpha} + 6V\dot{\alpha} + (4 \times 10^5 - 9V^2)\alpha + 3V\dot{\theta} + 3V^2\theta = 0$$
$$-3V^2\alpha + \ddot{\theta} + V\dot{\theta} + V^2\theta = 0$$

Determine the critical flutter speeds and corresponding frequencies using the Routh–Hurwitz approach.

- **4B.** Euler equation numerical solver for a delta wing with 75° sweep at M = 1.95 (02) and 10° angle of attack gives the normal force coefficient as CN = 0.295. Find the normal force coefficient with Polhamus theory.
- **5A.** Using the appropriate conditions and Gauss theorem, show that momentum (07) equation with five unknowns and four equations (velocity \vec{q}) is given as:

$$\left[\frac{\partial \vec{q}}{\partial t} + (\vec{q} \cdot \nabla)\vec{q}\right] = -\frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

5B. During dynamic stall as shown in figure 6, the drag coefficient is less for pitchup than for pitch-down, whereas the lift coefficient is larger for pitch-up than for pitch-down. Why?


