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**ADVANCED FOUNDATION ENGINEERING**  
**(Elective - I)**  
**Sub. Code : 47908**

Day and Date : Friday, 12 - 12- 2014

Total Marks : 100

Time : 2:30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.

- Instructions :
- 1) Question 1 and Q. 5 are compulsory.
  - 2) Attempt any other two questions from each section.
  - 3) Figure to the right indicates full marks.
  - 4) Use of non-programmable calculator and relevant I. S. Codes are allowed.

**SECTION - I**

**Q1)** Write Note on (any three)

**[18]**

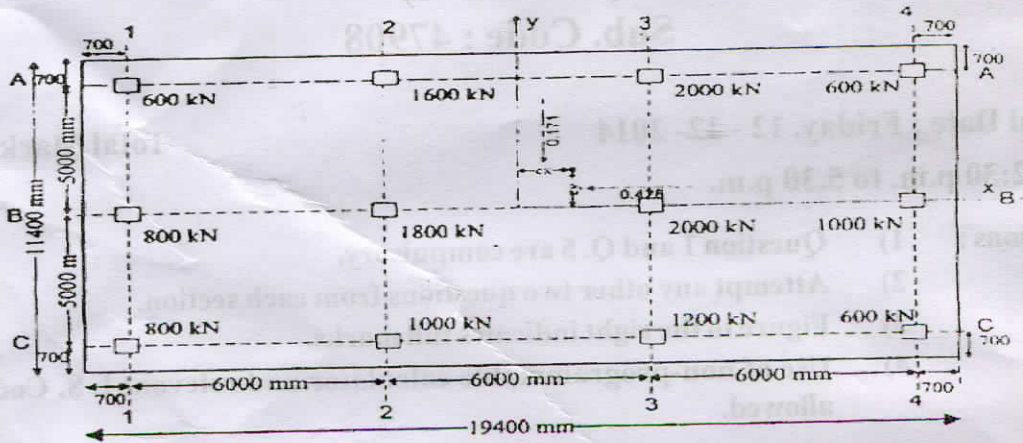
- a) Engineering News and Hiley's formula
- b) Friction and end bearing piles.
- c) Types of matt foundation.
- d) Under reamed piles.

- Q2)** a) Write detailed design procedure for trapezoidal combine footing? **[8]**
- b) Design a combined footing (trapezoidal shape) for two square columns A (400×400mm) and B (500×500mm) respectively carrying axial loads of 900 kN and 1200 kN with a spacing of 4m/ c with width of footing towards column A as 0.6 times the width of the footing on the side of column B. The property line is at a distance of 0.5m, from the left face of column A. Safe bearing capacity of soil 140kN/m<sup>3</sup>. Assume weight of footing and earth above as 10% of the total loads carried by the columns. **[8]**

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- Q3) a) Explain in details I.S. Code method of analysis raft foundations? [6]
- b) Calculate Soil pressure at different points of a raft foundation for the layout of columns shown in Figure. All columns are of square shape of size 400×400 mm. Safe bearing capacity of soil 80kN/m<sup>3</sup>. Assume 10% as the load of raft and soil above. [10]



- Q4) a) Classify the pile based on functions, mode of transfer of load and method of installation with neat sketches. [8]
- b) A square group of 9 piles was driven into soft clay extending to a large depth. The diameter and length of pile were 300 mm & 10m respectively. If the unconfined compression strength of the clay in 100 KN/m<sup>2</sup> and the pile spacing in 750 mm c/c. What is the capacity of the group? Assume a factor of safety of 3 and adhesion factor of 0.60. Density of soil 20kN/m<sup>3</sup>. [8]

**SECTION - II**

- Q5) Write note on (any three) [18]
- Types and uses of sheet piles.
  - Methods of underpinning.
  - Foundation in expansive soil.
  - Permissible amplitude of vibrations.

- Q6) a)** List provisions of IS code for the design of foundations for reciprocating machines. [8]
- b) Assuming resonance to have occurred at a frequency of 20 cycles/sec in a vertical vibration of a test block  $1.5 \text{ m} \times 1.0 \text{ m} \times 0.75 \text{ m}$ . Determine the value of  $C_u$ . The weight of the oscillator is 70 kg and force produced by it after 15 cycles is 1000N. Compute the max. Amplitude in the vertical direction at 15 cycles/sec. Weight of test block is  $24 \text{ kN/m}^3$ . [8]
- Q7) a)** Explain in detail the method of design of anchored bulk head by fixed earth method? [8]
- b) Explain in detail Single - walled cofferdam and Double-walled cofferdam and when they are used? [8]
- Q8) a)** Explain in detail damage and vibrations due to constructional operations. [8]
- b) Explain in detail problems associated with the foundation in special soil like Black Cotton soil and Compressible soil. [8]

