

APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
FIRST SEMESTER M.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2015

Mechanical Engineering

(Machine Design)

01ME6107 Industrial Tribology

Max. Marks:60

Duration: 3 Hours

(Answer any two questions from Part A, Part B and Part C)

Part A (Modules I and II)

1. (a) Explain the principle of working of a Taylor Hobson Talysurf.
(b) Explain the different methods of quantifying surface roughness.
2. (a) Explain the origin of Micro/Nanotribology.
(b) Describe with figure the Atomic force microscope.
3. Discuss the various friction theories and write the merits and demerits.
(2 x 9 = 18 Marks)

Part B (Modules III and IV)

4. Write in brief the various types of wear encountered in engineering surfaces under relative motion.
5. Derive Hagen Poiseuille equation applied to flow through a capillary tube.
6. Derive Reynolds equation from basic principles and describe the physical meaning of each term.
(2 x 9 = 18 Marks)

Part C (Modules V and VI)

7. A circular hydrostatic pad has a constant flow rate Q . The circular pad is supporting a load of $W = 5000\text{N}$. The outside disk diameter is 200 mm and the diameter of the circular recess is 100 mm. The oil viscosity is $\mu = 0.005 \text{ Ns/m}^2$. The pad is operating with a clearance of 120 μm .
 - a. Find the recess pressure, P_r .
 - b. Calculate the constant flow rate of the oil through the bearing to maintain the clearance.
 - c. Find the effective area of this pad.
 - d. Find the stiffness of the circular pad operating under the condition in this problem.

8. (a) Derive Petroff's equation from fundamentals.

(b) A radial hydrodynamic bearing has the following operational data:

- i. Radial load = 3.5 kN
- ii. Journal diameter = 50 mm
- iii. Bearing length = 50 mm
- iv. Journal speed = 1500 rpm
- v. Radial clearance = 0.05 mm
- vi. Viscosity, mass density and specific heat = 25 cp, 900 kg/m³ and 1700 J/kg °C.

Total oil flow is sufficient to carry the heat generated. Determine the following parameters.

- a. Coefficient of friction
- b. Power lost in friction
- c. Minimum oil film thickness
- d. Oil flow requirement and
- e. Rise in bearing temperature.

9. A 30s work cycle consists of the following two parts:

	Part I	Part II
Duration (s)	10	20
Radial load (KN)	45	15
Axial load (KN)	12.5	6.25
Speed (rpm)	720	1440

For this application the static and dynamic load capacities of a single row deep groove ball bearing are 50 and 68KN respectively. Calculate the life of the bearing in hours.

(2 x 12 = 24 Marks)

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