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B.Tech. VI Semester

COURSE CODE: 10B11CE612

MAX. MARKS: 25

COURSE NAME: FOUNDATION ENGINEERING

COURSE CREDITS: 03

MAX. TIME: 1Hr 30 Min

Note: All questions are compulsory. Carrying of mobile phone during examinations will be treated as case of unfair means. Assume necessary values as per IS code.

- 1. A rectangular footing of 2.4 m x 3.5 m size is to be constructed at 1.5 m below G.L. in a c $-\phi$ soil having the following properties: $\gamma = 1.75$ t/m³, $\phi = 20^\circ$, c = 1.0 t/m². The footing has to carry a gross vertical load of 70 t, inclusive of its self weight. In addition, the column is subjected to a horizontal load of 11 t applied at a height of 3.3 m above the base of the footing. Determine the factor of safety of the footing against shear failure as per IS: 6403 1981. For $\phi = 20^\circ$, $N_c = 14.83$, $N_q = 6.40$, $N_y = 5.39$.
- 2. A concrete strip footing rectangular in cross section is located at ground level and extends 1.2 m below the ground level. It carries a UDL of 15000 kg/m. the soil profile consists of homogeneous clay 6m thick overlying rock. The clay properties are as under: saturated unit bulk weight = 1750 kg/m³; Shear strength (undrained) = 8500 kg/m²; compressibility = 1 x 10⁻⁴ m²/100 kg. Determine:
 - a) Width of footing for factor of safety, F = 2
 - b) Ultimate consolidation settlement for F = 2

Assume bulk unit weight of concrete = 2500 kg/m³. Neglect the spread of load beneath the footing and any side cohesion on the foundation. [5]

3. Two plate load tests were conducted at the level of a prototype foundation in a cohesionless soil close to each other. The following data are given:

Size of plate	Load applied	Settlement recorded
0.3 x 0.3 m	30 kN	25 mm
0.6 x 0.6 m	90 kN	25 mm

If the footing is to carry a load of 1000 kN, determine the required size of the footing for the same settlement of 25 mm.