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Jaypee University of Information Technology, Waknaghat Test-1 Examinations – September 2018 M. Tech 3rd semester (CM/SE)

Course code: 13M1WCE#31

Max. Marks: 15

Course Name: Finite Element Methods

Course Credits:03

Max. Time: 1 Hrs

Note: all questions are compulsory. Carrying of mobile phone during examinations will be treated as case of unfair means. Assume any missing data.

- Q1. List and briefly describe the general steps included in solution of an engineering problem by finite element method.
- Q2. Write two examples for axisymmetric, 1 D (dimensional), 2 D, and 3 D elements along with precise sketch.

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Write applications of finite element method in structural engineering and non-structural engineering.

- Q3. Discuss the advantages of finite element method over conventional method.
- Q4. Define term degree of freedom.

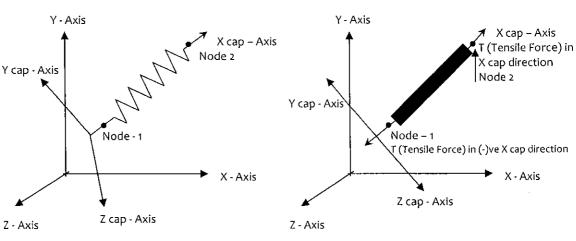
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- Q5. Name three commonly used methods for deriving the element stiffness matrix and element equations. Briefly describe each method.
- Q6. Develop the stiffness matrix for the given the given elements in local co-ordinate system.
 - a. Spring element

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b. Bar element

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a. spring element;

b. bar element