



STUDENT NUMBER

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HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

1996

ENGINEERING SCIENCE

3 UNIT (ADDITIONAL)
(50 Marks)

*Time allowed—One hour and a half
(Plus 5 minutes' reading time)*

DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your Student Number and Centre Number at the top right-hand corner of this page.
- Attempt EIGHT questions.
- **Section I** (20 marks) Attempt BOTH questions.
Section II (15 marks) Attempt THREE questions.
Section III (15 marks) Attempt THREE questions.
- All questions in Sections II and III are of equal value.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided in this paper.
- Set out your working clearly and neatly. Emphasis will be placed on that working when marks are allocated.
- Diagrams in this paper are drawn to scale, unless otherwise stated.
- Drawing instruments and Board-approved calculators may be used.
- The Data Sheet will not be collected.

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Question	Marks Awarded	Marks Checked
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TOTAL	Max. 50	

SECTION I

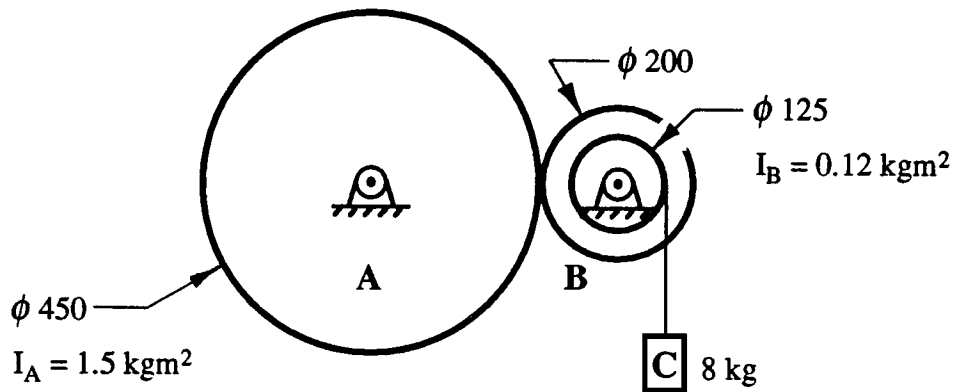
(20 Marks)

Attempt BOTH questions.

Each question is worth 10 marks.

QUESTION 1

- (a) Block *C* in the diagram below is connected to a cord which is wrapped around the hub of compound pulley *B*. The contact between the pulleys *A* and *B* is such that there is no slip. **4**



- (i) A torque is applied to pulley *A*, resulting in block *C* descending with an acceleration of 1.5 m/s^2 . Determine the corresponding angular acceleration of pulley *A*.

Angular acceleration rad/s^2

QUESTION 1. (Continued)

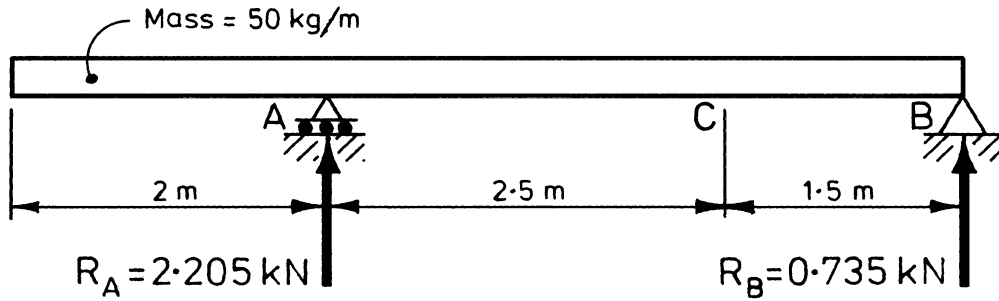
- (ii) Determine the tangential contact force between pulley *A* and pulley *B* that results from the motion described in part (i).

Force N

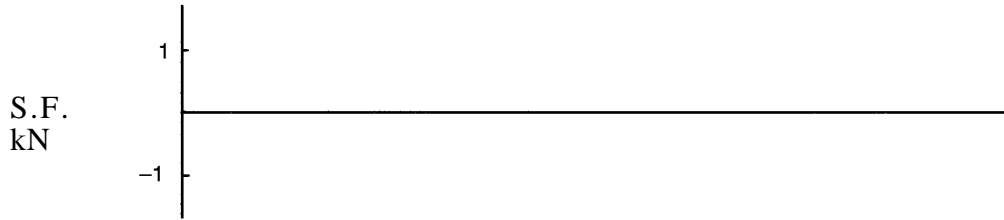
QUESTION 1. (Continued)

- (b) A hardwood beam, 150 mm wide, 250 mm deep, and 6 m long, has a mass of 50 kg per metre. The beam is supported at A and at B as shown below. The reactions are given.

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- (i) Draw the shear force diagram for the beam.



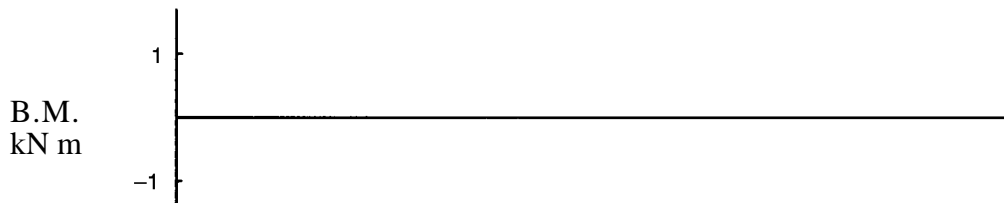
- (ii) Determine the bending moment at point C, 1.5 m from B.

Bending moment kN m

- (iii) The maximum bending moment of 0.98 kN m occurs at A. Determine the maximum bending stress in the beam.

Bending stress MPa

- (iv) Using the bending moments from part (ii) and part (iii) above, sketch the shape of the bending moment diagram.

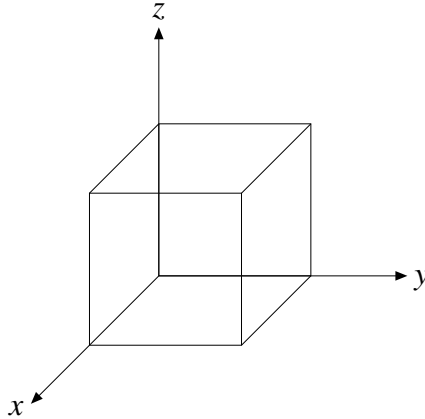


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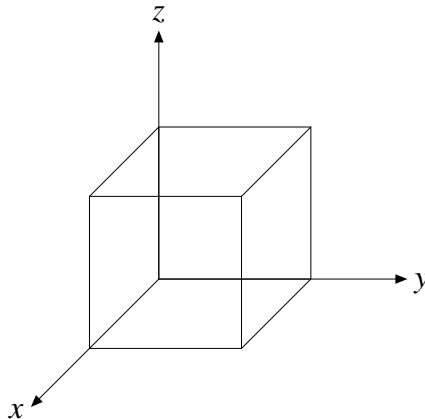
QUESTION 2**2**

(a) Lead has a face-centred cubic lattice structure.

- (i) On the unit cell for lead, shown below, draw a plane which has the highest atomic density. Indicate the Miller indices for that plane.



- (ii) State the coordination number of lead.
- (iii) Draw on the diagram below, the plane that has Miller indices of (121).



- (b) Chromium has a body-centred cubic lattice structure, and has an atomic diameter of 2.49 \AA . Determine the maximum atomic diameter of a solute atom that would fit interstitially into the chromium lattice without causing the lattice to distort.

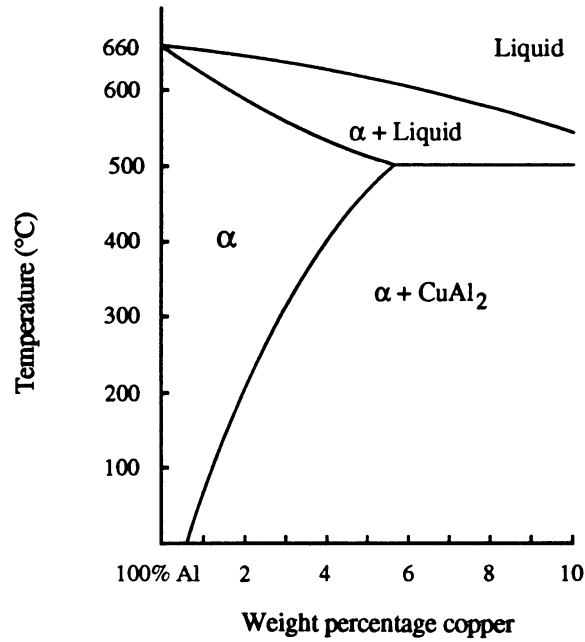
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Atomic diameter \AA

QUESTION 2. (Continued)

(c) A portion of the aluminium–copper phase diagram is shown below.

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(i) Name and describe a heat-treatment process used to harden an alloy of 96% Al – 4% Cu.

Name of process

Description of process

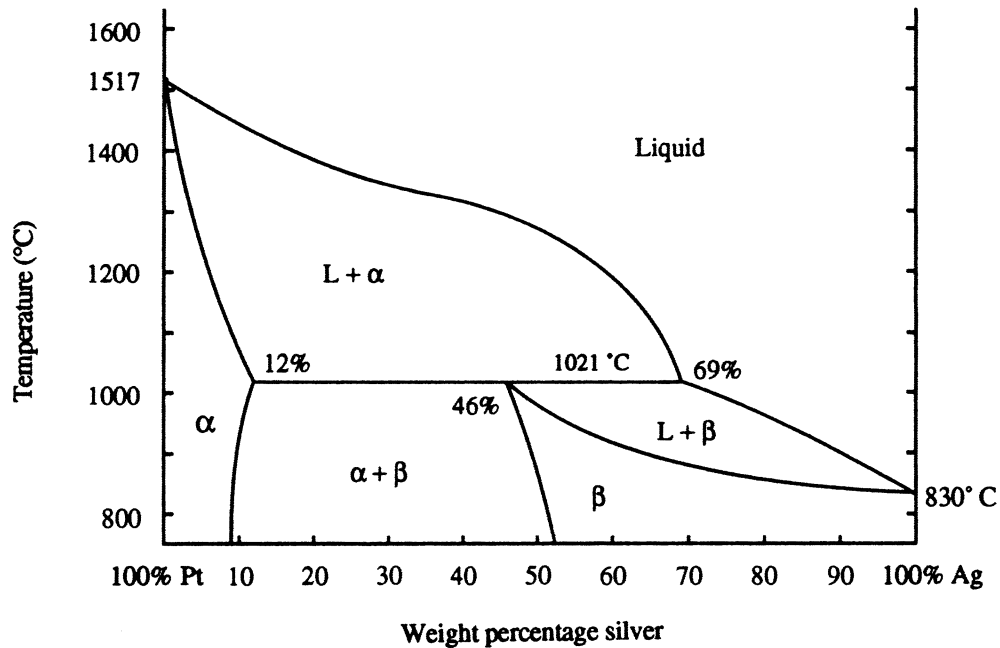
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(ii) Name a hardening process that could be used for the 99.5% Al – 0.5% Cu alloy.

Name of process

QUESTION 2. (Continued)

- (d) A portion of the platinum–silver phase diagram is given below. The following questions relate to equilibrium cooling of various platinum–silver alloys. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$



- (i) On the above phase diagram, clearly indicate the solidus line.
- (ii) Determine the composition of the liquid present for the 40% Pt – 60% Ag alloy at 1100°C.
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- (iii) Determine the percentage of the liquid phase present for the 40% Pt – 60% Ag alloy at 1022°C.
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- (iv) Determine the percentage of the β phase present for the 40% Pt – 60% Ag alloy at 1020°C.
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QUESTION 2. (Continued)

- (v) Describe, in detail, the equilibrium cooling of the 40% Pt – 60% Ag alloy from 1100°C to 1000°C.

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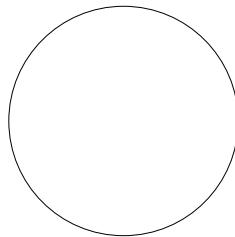
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- (vi) Draw and label the microstructure of the 50% Pt – 50% Ag alloy at 800°C.



50% Pt – 50% Ag

SECTION II

(15 Marks)

Attempt **THREE** questions.

Each question is worth 5 marks.

QUESTION 3

A merry-go-round has an inner radius of 4.5 m and an outer radius of 8.1 m. The mass of the merry-go-round is 1130 kg and the radius of gyration is 6.6 m. The merry-go-round is coasting at 6 r.p.m. when a 100 kg person is standing on the inner edge.

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- (a) The person walks from the inner edge to the outer edge. Determine the angular velocity of the merry-go-round when the person reaches the outer edge.

Angular velocity rad/s

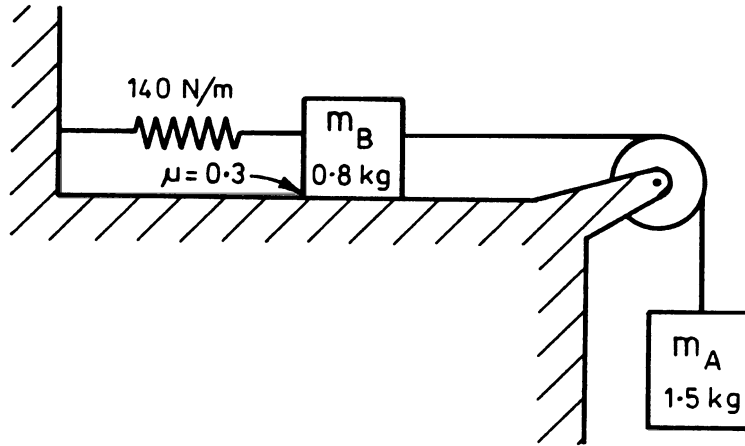
- (b) The person remains at the outer edge. Determine the torque required to return the speed of the merry-go-round to 6 r.p.m. in 2 s.

Torque N m

QUESTION 4

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Two masses are connected by a rope passing over a frictionless pulley, as shown below. The 0.8 kg mass is acted upon by a spring of stiffness 140 N/m. The coefficient of friction between the 0.8 kg mass and the horizontal surface is 0.3. At the instant that the 1.5 kg mass is moving downward with a velocity of 5 m/s, the spring has an extension of 0.2 m from its unstretched position.



- (a) Determine the kinetic energy of the system at the instant that the 1.5 kg mass is moving downward at 5 m/s.

Kinetic energy N m

- (b) Determine the velocity of the 0.8 kg mass after the 1.5 kg mass has moved downward a further 400 mm.

Velocity m/s



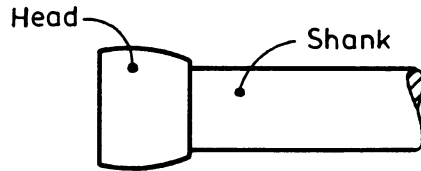
QUESTION 5

(a) A low-carbon-steel nail is immersed in an aqueous solution.

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(i) On the given diagram:

- indicate the area where corrosion is most likely to occur;
- show the anodic and cathodic areas.

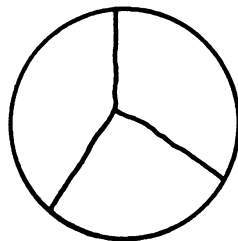


(ii) Explain the reason for this corrosion occurring.

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(b) A copper specimen is polished, then etched. The microstructure is shown below.

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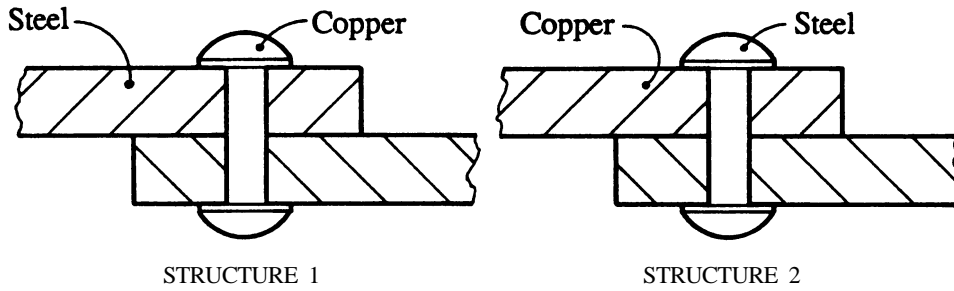
EQUIAXED GRAINS OF Cu

Explain the reason for corrosion occurring during the etching.

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QUESTION 5. (Continued)

- (c) Two structures, one of steel with copper rivets, the other of copper with steel rivets, are shown below. 1



- (i) Indicate the structure that would tend to have the longer life.

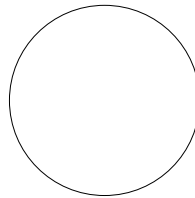
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- (ii) Explain the reason for the longer life of the structure.

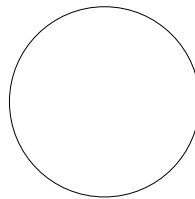
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- (d) Specimens of four different materials undergo various heat treatments. Draw and label the resultant microstructures. 2

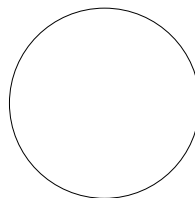
- (i) Copper is cold-worked, then annealed.



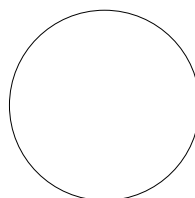
- (ii) An alloy of 90% Cu – 10% Al is homogenised, then quenched.



- (iii) An alloy of 96% Al – 4% Cu is solution-treated.



- (iv) Aluminium is cold-worked, annealed, and then again cold-worked.

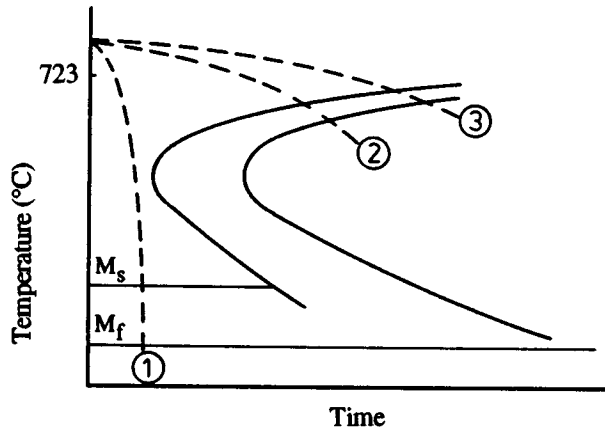




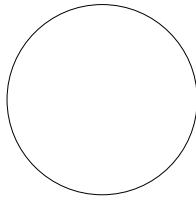
QUESTION 6

- (a) A time–temperature–transformation diagram for a eutectoid steel is given below. Three cooling rates, numbered 1, 2, and 3, are shown on the diagram.

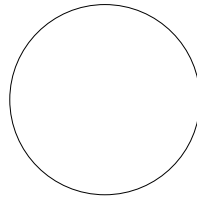
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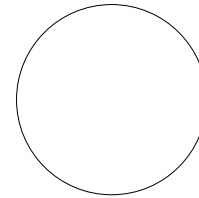
- (i) Draw and label the resultant microstructure for *each* of the cooling rates.



COOLING RATE 1



COOLING RATE 2



COOLING RATE 3

- (ii) Shrinkage cracking occurs in components with large cross-sectional areas when they are cooled at rate 1.

Name and describe a heat-treatment process that is used to prevent shrinkage, but still produces the same microstructure as rate 1.

Name

Description

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- (b) The theoretical value of the force required to cause slip in a single crystal is much higher than the actual value.

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Explain the reason for the difference in these values.

Reason

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SECTION III

(15 Marks)



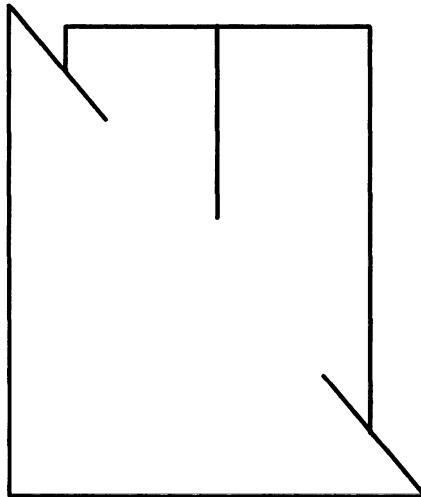
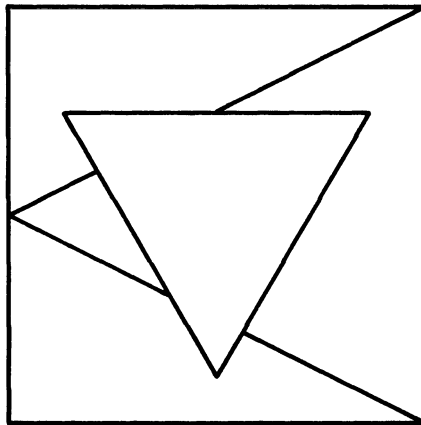
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QUESTION 7

The top view and partly completed front view of an equilateral triangular prism intersecting an oblique square pyramid are shown below in third-angle projection.

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Complete the front view.

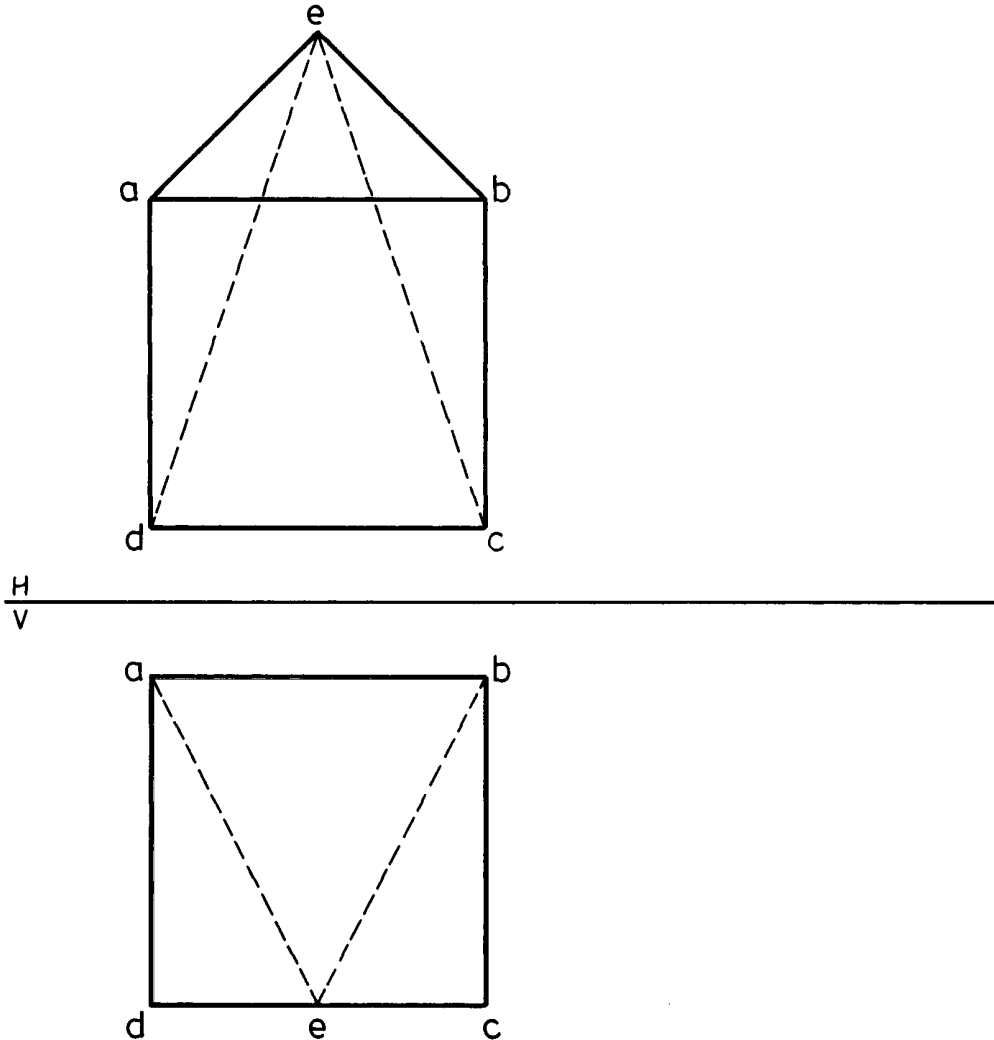


QUESTION 8

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The top view and front view of an oblique rectangular pyramid are shown below in third-angle projection.

Draw the top view and front view of the pyramid if the face *cde* remains horizontal, the base edge *cb* makes an angle of 30° to the principal vertical plane, and the apex is behind and to the right of the centre of the base.





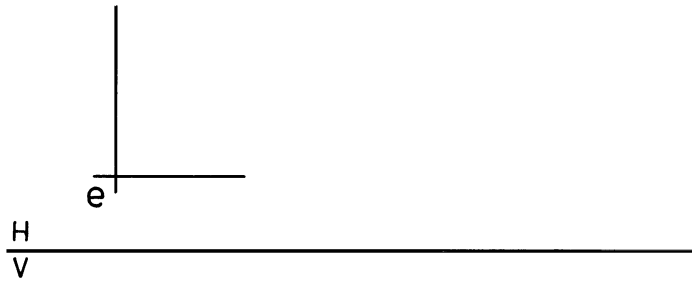
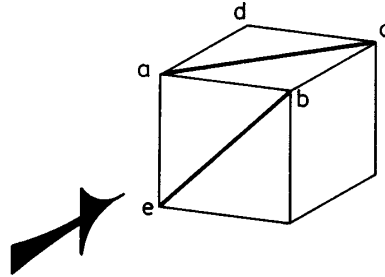
QUESTION 9

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A pictorial drawing of a cube is shown below. Diagonals *ac* and *eb* are given. The cube has edges of length 60 mm.

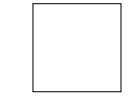
The top view and front view of the corner *e* of the cube are drawn below in third-angle projection. Complete the top view and front view of the cube, and the diagonals, when viewed in the direction of the arrow.

Determine the shortest distance between the diagonals *ac* and *eb*.



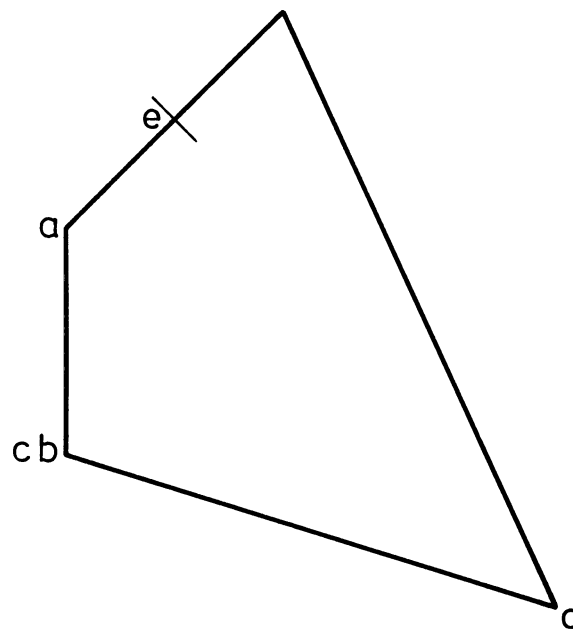
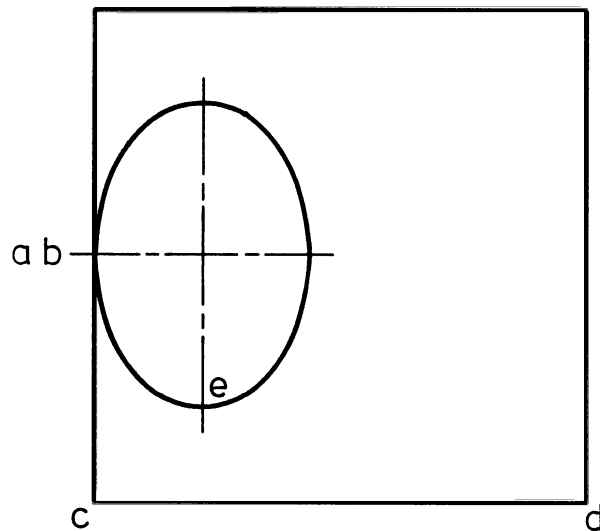
QUESTION 10

The top view and front view of a transition piece, used to join circular ducting to rectangular ducting, are shown below in third-angle projection.

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Draw a pattern for the surface *abcde*.

The starting position for the seam *ab* is indicated below.



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FORMULAE

Statics

If a body is in equilibrium then: $\sum F_x = 0$; $\sum F_y = 0$; $\sum M = 0$.
 $M = Fd$; $F = \mu N$

Machines

$MA = \frac{L}{E}$; $VR = \frac{d_E}{d_L}$; $\eta = \frac{\text{output}}{\text{input}} = \frac{MA}{VR}$

Strength of materials

$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$; $\varepsilon = \frac{e}{L}$; $E = \frac{\sigma}{\varepsilon}$

SE per unit volume = $\frac{\sigma^2}{2E}$

$I = \frac{bd^3}{12}$; $I = \frac{\pi D^4}{64}$; $I = \frac{\pi(D^4 - d^4)}{64}$

$\sigma = \frac{My}{I}$

Area of circle

$A = \frac{\pi}{4}d^2$

Circumference of circle

$C = \pi d$

FORMULAE

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Dynamics

$$v = u + at$$

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$s = \left(\frac{u+v}{2}\right)t$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$$

$$s = r\theta$$

$$v = r\omega$$

$$a = r\alpha$$

$$F = \mu N$$

$$F = ma$$

$$Ft = m(v - u)$$

$$M = mv$$

$$\text{KE} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$\text{PE} = mgh$$

$$\text{SE} = \frac{1}{2}kx^2$$

$$F = kx$$

$$P = \frac{W}{t}$$

$$W = Fs$$

$$\omega = \omega_0 + \alpha t$$

$$\theta = \omega_0 t + \frac{1}{2}\alpha t^2$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{\omega_0 + \omega}{2}\right)t$$

$$\omega^2 = \omega_0^2 + 2\alpha\theta$$

$$\sum M = T = I\alpha$$

$$\text{KE} = \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$$

$$P = T\omega$$

$$M = I\omega$$

$$I = mk^2$$

$$W = T\theta$$

$$F_c = \frac{mv^2}{r} = m\omega^2 r$$