

2024
(JUNE)

CONCRETE TECHNOLOGY

Full Marks: 100

Pass Marks: 30

Time: Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer any five questions.

		Question body	Marks
1.	a)	What are the chemical compounds of Portland cements? Write their characteristics	10
	b)	Define workability? Describe compaction factor test?	2+8=10
2.	a)	Describe the factors affecting the strength of concrete	10
	b)	Describe the tests to determine flakiness index and elongation index	5+5=10
3.	a)	Define efflorescence? Write down the remedies of efflorescence?	2+8=10
	b)	Describe the field tests of cement	10
4.	a)	Determine the aggregate crushing value for the following data Total weight of aggregate taken= 10 kg. Weight of aggregate passing through 12.5mm IS sieve and retained on 10mm IS sieve=3kg. Weight passing through 2.36mm IS sieve after testing= 756 gm.	5
	b)	Write a note on Hydration and heat of hydration of cement	5+5=10
	c)	Describe bleeding? Write the remedies of bleeding.	5
5.	a)	Write a note on the classification of aggregates based on shape	5
	b)	Write short note on rapid hardening cement and sulphate resisting cement.	5+5=10
	c)	Sand of 500gm is taken for sieve analysis. The weight retained on the sieve 10 mm, 4.75 mm, 2.36 mm, 1.18 mm, 600 μ , 300 μ , 150 μ and 75 μ are 0.0 gm, 2 gm, 4 gm, 21 gm, 79 gm, 291 gm, 95 gm and 7 gm respectively. Determine the fineness modulus of the sand	5