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VEHICLE DYNAMICS

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INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.
- 4. Assume any missing data suitably.

SECTION-A

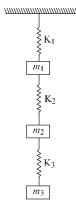
1. Write briefly:

- a) What is meant by magnification factor?
- b) Define transmissibility.
- c) Is there any difference between Eigen value and natural frequency? Explain.
- d) What is meant by wheel whop?
- e) What is meant by rigid mode of vibration?
- f) What is modal analysis?
- g) What are various cornering forces?
- h) What is meant by characteristic speed?
- i) What is meant by roll center?
- j) What is meant by a banked road?

SECTION-B

- 2. Compare free and forced vibrations based upon inputs and outputs of the vibrating system.
- 3. Estimate the fundamental frequency of vibration of a system shown in figure below.

Assume that $m_1 = m_2 = m_3 = m$; $k_1 = k_2 = k_3 = k$ and the mode shape is $X = \begin{cases} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{cases}$.



- 4. Explain the factors influencing the choice of suspension spring rate.
- 5. Describe the ride characteristics of tyre.
- 6. Differentiate between low speed turning and high speed turning.

SECTION-C

7. Calculate the pitch and bounce centers and their frequencies for a car with following characteristics:

Front ride rate =127 lb/in

Front tire load = 957 lb

Rear ride rate = 92.3 lb/in

Rear tire load = 730 lb

Wheelbase = 100.6 in

Dynamic Index =1.1

8. Determine the eigen values and eigenvectors of a vibrating system given by

$$m = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ -2 & 4 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

9. Write a detailed note on stability of a vehicle on a slope and on a curve.