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# SAINTGITS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (AUTONOMOUS)

(AFFILIATED TO APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM)

FIRST SEMESTER M.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION (Regular), DECEMBER 2023 STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT (2021 Scheme)

Course Code: 21SC104-D

Course Name: Modern Construction Materials, Methods and Equipment

Max. Marks: 60 Duration: 3 Hours

### PART A

## (Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks)

- 1. Illustrate the different treatments given to fabric used in construction.
- 2. Write a short note on photocatalytic cement.
- 3. Discuss the stages of diaphragm wall construction.
- 4. Describe the procedure for erecting light weight components on tall structures.
- 5. Explain 3D volumetric construction.
- 6. Discuss modular coordination.
- 7. Describe the classification of trucks based on the method of dumping the load.
- 8. Explain finishing equipments used in construction.

### PART B

### (Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 6 marks)

### **MODULE I**

9. Explain the various heat treatment methods given to steel. (6)

OR

10. Describe the procedure of water jet cutting.

(6)

### **MODULE II**

11. What is the concept of smart materials and explain any two types of (6) smart materials.

OR

12. Illustrate the mechanical behavior of polymers.

(6)

#### MODULE III

13. Illustrate the different construction techniques used in tunneling. (6)

526A2  $\mathbf{E}$ Total Pages: **2** OR Define grouting and explain the various methods. 14. (6)**MODULE IV** 15. Write a short note on concrete paving methods. (6)OR Discuss on slip form techniques. 16. (6)**MODULE V** Explain the concept of prefabrication in construction industry. 17. (6)OR 18. Enumerate the reasons to choose modular construction (6)conventional construction practices. **MODULE VI** 19. Compare the various pile driving equipments. (6)OR

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(6)

20. Discuss the various dredging machineries.