

**B.E. CIVIL ENGINEERING (PART TIME)**  
**FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAM 2018 (Old)**  
**DESIGN OF FOUNDATION**

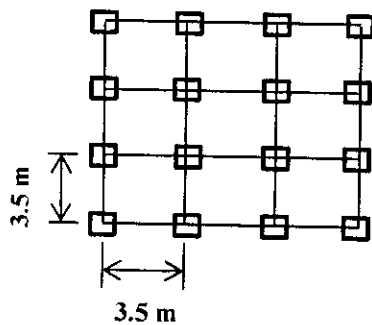
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Full Marks 100

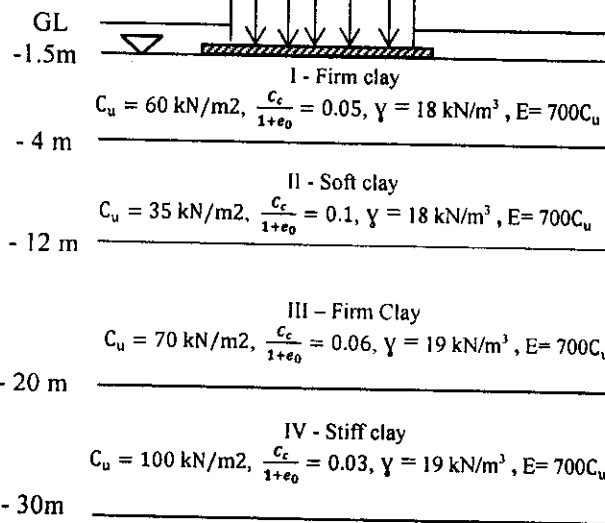
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**Q. 1 and Q. 2 are mandatory.**

1. Design a raft foundation for the building shown in Figure below:

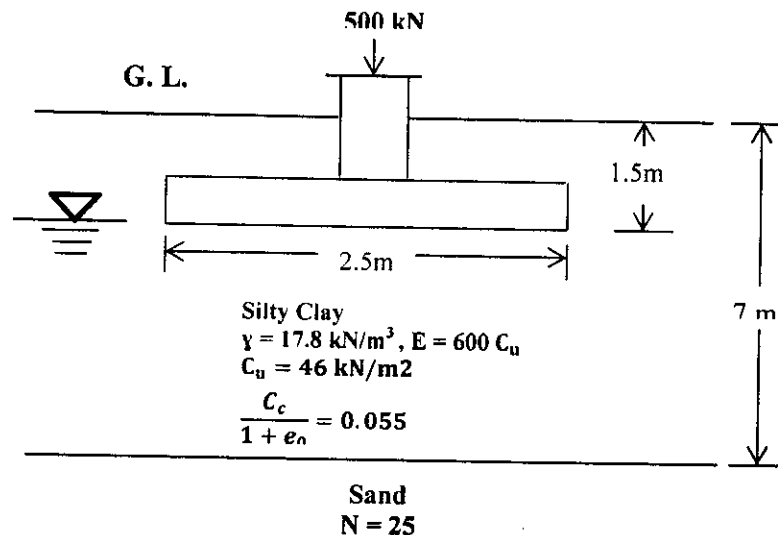


[ Inner Columns = 600 kN each ]  
 [ Outer Columns = 400 kN each ]



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2. (a) Figure shows an isolated footing which carries a vertical load of 500 kN and is supported on a footing, 2.5m x 2.5m, placed 1.5 m below the G. L. The subsoil consists of 7.0 m of silty clay ( $C_u = 46 \text{ kN/m}^2$ ) followed by a sandy layer ( $N = 25$ ). Calculate the settlement of the footing. (Assume reasonable correction factor for 3D consolidation).

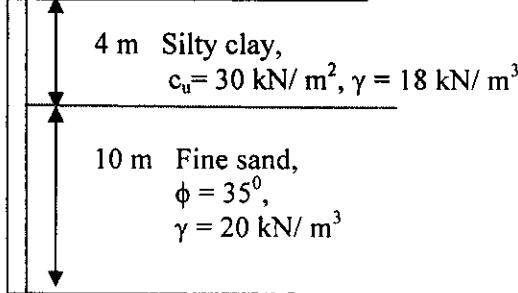


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(b)	Write a short note on "The choice of foundation".	[10]
<b>Q. 6 is compulsory and answer any two from the rest</b>		
3. (a)	What is pile foundation? What do you understand by end bearing pile and tension pile?	2+3
(b)	Write short note on (i) Compaction pile, (ii) Anchor pile	2.5+2.5
(c)	Calculate allowable load carrying capacity of a circular bored pile with diameter 60 cm and penetrating through two layers of soil. The soil properties in each layer are given.  For $c_u = 30 \text{ kN/m}^2$ , adhesion factor is 1.0 For $\phi = 35^\circ$ , $N_q = 50$  Ground water table is at 1 m below ground surface.	10
		
4. (a)	A group of 9 piles with 3 piles in a row was driven into a soft clay extending from ground level to a great depth. The diameter and the length of the piles were 40 cm and 12 m respectively. The unconfined compressive strength of clay is 80 kPa. If the piles were placed 90 cm c/c, compute the allowable load on the pile group on the basis of a shear failure criterion for a factor of safety of 2.5. Take $\alpha = 1.0$ .	9
(b)	What is meant by dynamic load carrying capacity of pile?	2
(c)	Explain "Engineering News formula" for dynamic pile load carrying capacity.	5
(d)	How can you classify a pile long or short with reference to stiffness factor of pile-soil system?	4
5. (a)	What is lateral resistance of pile?	2
(b)	Discuss I.S. code method of lateral resistance of pile foundation.	7
(c)	How can you estimate vertical pressure under uniformly loaded circular area? Explain.	7
(d)	State the assumptions used in Boussinesq equation?	4
6. (a)	What is meant by "Geostatic stress"?	2

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(b)	Three parallel strip footing 3 m wide and 5 m apart centre to centre transmit contact pressures of 200, 150, 100 kN/ m <sup>2</sup> respectively. Calculate vertical stress due to the combined loads beneath the centres of each footing at a depth of 3 m below the base. Assume the footings are placed at a depth of 2 m below the ground surface. Use Boussinesq's method for line loads.	8

[Necessary Graphs and Tables]

SHAPE	INFLUENCE FACTOR (I)		
	Centre	Corner	Average
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Circle	1.00	0.64 (edge)	0.85
Square	1.12	0.56	0.95
Rectangle:			
$L/B = 1.5$	1.36	0.68	1.20
2	1.53	0.77	1.31
3	2.10	1.05	1.83
10	2.52	1.26	2.25
100	3.38	1.69	2.96

