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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM AND ENERGY STUDIES
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Course: Aircraft Design
Program: B. Tech Aerospace Engineering
Course Code: ASEG 461

Semester: VIII
Time 03 hrs.
Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: Use of Design DATA permitted. Assume appropriate value for missing DATA

SECTION A (15x2=30 Marks)

S. No.		Marks	CO
Q1	There are _____(5/9) number of phases in mission profile of agricultural aircraft.	02	CO1
Q2	There is one crew for _____ (15/30) passengers in executive class.	02	CO1
Q3	Tail arm of a Sailplane is _____percent of its fuselage length (40-50/50-55/about 60/about 65).	02	CO2
Q4	Main wheels carry upto _____(40/50/60/70/80/90)percent of the gross takeoff weight of Aircraft.	02	CO2
Q5	A high aspect ratio wing has a____(High/Low) Induced Drag.	02	CO3
Q6	A swept wing tends to stall first at the____(root/tip) of the wing.	02	CO3
Q7	Medium lift Launch Vehicles can carry _____(0-2/2-20/20-50/50+) ton payload	02	CO4
Q8	Engine weight of spacecraft is included in _____ (payload/propellant/structure/equipment) weight category.	02	CO4
Q9	High taper ratio wing can make ailerons ineffective during flight (True/False).	02	CO1
Q10	The mission profile of Agricultural aircraft does not include cruise-back phase. (True/False)	02	CO1
Q11	Exposed wing planform area is higher than wing reference area(True/False)	02	CO2
Q12	Landing gear drag has additional 20 percent drag as Interference drag (True/False)	02	CO3

Q13	Top stage of Launch Vehicle has bigger diameter than lower stage (true/false).	02	CO4
Q14	Thrust gimbaling helps in stability of Launch vehicles(True/False).	02	CO4
Q15	Staging helps in reduction in thrust requirements of Launch Vehicles (True/False).	02	CO4
SECTION B (5x8=40 Marks)			
Q 16	Compare performance requirements <i>Civil</i> and <i>Military</i> aircrafts.	08	CO1
Q 17	Compare Wing, Wing-tip, and Tail and landing gear configurations for subsonic and supersonic Aircrafts.	08	CO1
Q 18	What is gross take-off weight of aircraft? Give final expression for its estimation. An airplane design has following features: <i>Payload weight=26000 N; Estimated fuel fraction=0.387; Empty Weight fraction=0.837</i> . Obtain gross weight of aircraft.	08	CO2
Q 19	Consider a private four-place aircraft with following characteristics: Cruise Mach No. 0.2; Cruise Altitude=10,000 ft; wing loading-20lb/ft ² ; take-off weight=15,000 lbs. Design the main wing that would be suitable for this aircraft by estimating	08	CO2
Q 20	What parameters affect stability of space launch vehicle? Or Compare different mission profiles of launch vehicles, briefly.	08	CO4
SECTION-C (1x30=30 Marks)			
Q 21	Design (layout sizing) an agricultural aircraft with following performance requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • stall speed 22 m/s • Loiter 30 minutes • Cruise range 300 km • cruising speed of 60 m/s • take off/landing distance 300 m Airplane should be powered by one conventional reciprocating engine	30	CO3