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**T.E. (Mechanical) (Insem.)
COMPOSITE MATERIALS**

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Time : 1 Hour]

[Max. Marks : 30

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer Q1 or Q2, Q3 or Q4.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Assume suitable data if necessary.

- Q1)** a) Define composite material. Explain the roles of matrix and reinforcement in composites. [5]
- b) State the properties of carbon fiber composites and list the advantages. [5]
- c) Classify the composites on a reinforcement based and explain the particle-reinforced composites. [5]

OR

- Q2)** a) Discuss the need for composite materials. What are the applications of composite materials in automotive? [5]
- b) State the different types of fibers. List the advantages and limitations of natural fiber. [5]
- c) What do you mean by hybrid composite and list out the advantages of hybrid composite materials? [5]

- Q3)** a) Differentiate between thermoplastic and thermoset resin. [5]
- b) How the composites are manufactured using the hand layup method. Briefly explain with processing steps. [5]
- c) Discuss the Glass Fiber Reinforced Polymeric (GFRP) Composites and their applications. [5]

OR

- Q4)** a) What is polymer resin? Discuss the natural resin and synthetic resin. [5]
- b) Explain compression moulding technique with a neat sketch. [5]
- c) Explain the various failures that occurred in laminated composites with a neat sketch. [5]

