

B.Tech II Year - II Semester Examinations, April/May-2012

AERODYNAMICS - I
(Aeronautical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 80

Answer any five questions

All questions carry equal marks

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