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B.TECH
PCC14302

5th Semester Regular / Back Examination 2015-16
TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING - I

BRANCH: CIVIL

Time: 3 Hours

Max marks: 70

Q.CODE: T251

Answer Question No.1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.
The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

- Q1 Answer the following questions: (2 x 10)
- a) What were the important features of Macadam construction?
 - b) Explain PIEV theory?
 - c) State the different shapes of camber and which shape is normally provided to suit mixed traffic?
 - d) What is grade compensation? What is the maximum value of grade compensation?
 - e) Bring out the main points of difference between cutbacks and emulsion.
 - f) What do you mean by Modulus of subgrade reaction and what is its use?
 - g) Draw the fundamental diagram of traffic flow and explain it.
 - h) Explain top down and bottom up cracking in rigid pavement.
 - i) What is afflux?
 - j) What do you mean by length of a bridge?
- Q2 a) State and explain the requirements of an ideal alignment along with the factors controlling highway alignment. (5)
- b) State the different surveys conducted for highway location highlighting the details of preliminary survey. (5)

- Q3 a) What are the various tests conducted on bitumen to judge its suitability for road construction. Describe penetration test. (5)
- b) What is traffic management? Describe the major traffic management techniques. (5)
- Q4 A two lane NH passing through rolling terrain has a horizontal curve of radius equal to ruling minimum radius. Design the geometrical features of the curve. Also calculate the SSD, assuming the road on a level stretch. The brake efficiency may be taken as 80 percent. Assume suitable data as per IRC. (10)
- Q5 a) What are the typical flexible pavement failures? Explain with neat sketches. (5)
- b) Discuss the factors considered in the design of rigid pavement. (5)
- Q6 a) Describe the procedure for design of flexible pavement as per IRC:37:2012 (5)
- b) List out the various data to be collected for design of a bridge. (5)
- Q7 a) Explain the details of a balanced cantilever bridge with a neat sketch. State its advantages. (5)
- b) Sketch a typical well foundation of a bridge indicating its various components. What are the problems associated with well sinking and state the remedial measures? (5)
- Q8 Write short notes on any two: (5 x 2)
- a) Sub-surface drainage
- b) Causes and prevention of road accidents
- c) General requirements of bituminous construction
- d) Properties of road aggregates