

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-V (OLD) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2018****Subject Code:150601****Date: 04/12/2018****Subject Name: Highway Engineering****Time: 10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Explain with sketches the various factors controlling the alignment of roads. **07**  
(b) The speed of Overtaking and overtaken vehicles are 70 and 40 kmph respectively **07**  
on a two way traffic road. If the acceleration of overtaking vehicle is  $0.99 \text{ m/Sec}^2$ .  
Adopt  $t = 2.0 \text{ sec}$ . Calculate safe overtaking sight distance, Mention the  
minimum length of overtaking zone and Draw a neat-sketch of the overtaking  
zone.
- Q.2** (a) Explain the classification of roads based on location and function as **07**  
Suggested in the Nagpur Road Plan.  
(b) Calculate the extra width of a pavement required and super elevation on a **07**  
horizontal curve of radius 300 m on a two lane highway for speed of 80  
kmph. The design coefficient of lateral friction is 0.12 and wheel base is 6  
m.
- OR**
- (b) A National highway Passing through rolling terrain in heavy rain fall area has a **07**  
horizontal curve of radius 500m, design speed 80kmph, pavement width 7.0m,  
rate of superelevation 1 in 150 about the inner edges. Design the length of  
transition curve, Assuming suitable data.
- Q.3** (a) Compare tar and bitumen. Explain softening point test on bitumen. **07**  
(b) Discuss about maintenance of highway along with failures of flexible and **07**  
Rigid pavements.
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Draw the sketch of flexible pavement and rigid pavement with description of **07**  
components.  
(b) Explain CBR test. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Describe the step wise procedure of finding Specific Gravity of Aggregates. **07**  
(b) Explain various road signs with sketch. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Explain the road user characteristics. **07**  
(b) Enlist Methods of O and D Survey and Explain any one. **07**
- Q.5** (a) What are the purposes of parking studies? Explain method of on street parking. **07**  
(b) What is arboriculture? Explain in detail. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) What are the methods of subsurface drainage? Explain subsurface drainage **07**  
system with transverse drain with neat sketch.  
(b) Write Short note on : (i) IRC, (ii) CRRI **07**

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