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III B.Tech. II Semester Supplementary Examinations, January -2014

TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING-II

(Civil Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 75

Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks *****

- 1. a) What are the requirements of an ideal permanent way? Explain.
 - b) What is 'creep of rails'? Briefly discuss the theories related to the creep of rails.
- 2. What are the different gradients adopted in the geometric design of a railway track? Explain.
- 3. What is a 'crossing'? What are the requirements of a good crossing? Explain. Also give a neat sketch of an acute angle crossing indicating various components.
- 4. Write short notes on the following:
 - a) Repeater or co-acting signal
 - b) Shunting signal
 - c) Outer signal
 - d) Advance starter
- 5. What are the requirements of an ideal airport location? Explain.
- 6. What kind of defects can be expected in airport pavements and what are the possible causes for such defects? Explain.
- 7. Differentiate between a dry dock and a wet dock. What are the requirements and facilities needed for a dock? Support your answer with neat sketches.
- 8. Describe the various navigational aids used for guiding ships in harbours and ports.

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- 1. Giving a typical cross section of a permanent way on an embankment, indicate various component. Also describe the functions of various components of a permanent way.
- 2. a) What is the need for providing super elevation on curves of a railway track?
 - b) Derive a relationship between the rate of super elevation, Gauge, speed and radius of the curve.
- 3. Write short notes on the following:
 - a) Switches
 - b) Stock rails
 - c) Heel divergence
 - d) Throw of a switch
- 4. a) What is a semaphore signal? Explain the working principle of a semaphore signal.
 - b) Explain the modified lower quadrant semaphore signal system.
- 5. What are the aircraft characteristics that have an influence on the airport design? Describe.
- 6. a) What are the various parameters to be considered while planning for airport drainage? Discuss.
 - b) What are the methods used for drainage of subsurface water in case of airport pavements? Explain.
- 7. Differentiate between a port and a harbour. Give the classification of harbours and explain their features with the help of neat sketches.
- 8. Why dredging is required in ports and harbours? What are type different types of devices used for dredging purposes? Describe with the help of neat sketches.

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- 1. a) What are the functions of sleepers in a permanent way? Explain. Also give the requirements of sleepers to fulfill these functions.
 - b) What do you understand by 'adzing of sleepers'? Explain.
- 2. What is safe speed for a given railway track? On what factors safe speed depends? Explain the formulae used for computing the safe speed on curves as per Indian practice.
- 3. Give neat sketch of a left hand turnout and indicate various components. Describe how it functions.
- 4. What is automatic block system of controlling train movements? Explain the working principle of automatic block systems.
- 5. a) What are the various types of layouts possible for an airport terminal? Explain with the help of neat sketches.
 - b) What kind of passenger processing facilities are required in an airport terminal building? Describe.
- 6. What kind of defects can be expected in airport pavements and what are the possible causes for such defects? Explain.
- 7. a) How the ports are classified? Explain.
 - b) What are the requirements of a good port? Discuss.
- 8. Write short notes on the following:
 - a) Quays and Wharves
 - b) Dredging
 - c) Mooring Buoys
 - d) Break Waters

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- 1. Explain the role of chairs, keys and fish plates as track fittings and fastenings. Support your answer with neat sketches.
- 2. a) Explain about negative super elevation and the situation where negative super elevation is required in a railway track.
 - b) A 5⁰ curve diverges from a 3⁰ main curve in a reverse direction in the layout of a BG yard. If the speed on the branch line is restricted to 35 kmph, determine the restricted speed on main line.
- 3. a) Describe the arrangement of a double turnout in a railway track.
 - b) Explain about diamond crossing with the help of a neat diagram.
- 4. Explain about the working of absolute block system and also discuss the essential procedure to be followed in absolute block system.
- 5. a) What factors are to be considered while deciding the location and orientation of a runway? Explain.
 - b) Explain the use of wind rose diagram in deciding runway orientation.
- 6. a) What are the various parameters to be considered while planning for airport drainage? Discuss.
 - b) What are the methods used for drainage of subsurface water in case of airport pavements.
- 7. a) Why transit sheds and ware houses are needed at ports? Explain. Also discuss the features of Transit sheds and ware houses.
 - b) What are the requirements of a good port? Describe.
- 8. What are quays, wharves and jetties? Explain the difference among the three. Also describe the structural elements associated with them by giving suitable sketches.