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Second Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2016

Site Surveying and Analysis

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: 1. Answer FIVE full questions, selecting ONE full question from each module..
2. Draw relevant sketches.

Module – 1

- 1 a. Distinguish between plane surveying and Geodetic surveying. (Any three). (06 Marks)
- b. Discuss briefly the classification of surveying based on i) Purpose ii) Instruments. (08 Marks)
- c. The area of the plan of an old survey plotted to a scale of 15m to 1cm now measures as 80.2 cm² as found by a planimeter. The plan is found to have shrunk, so that a line originally 10cm long now measures 9.8 cm only. Find the shrunk scale and the true area of the survey. (06 Marks)
- 2 a. Enumerate the principles of surveying. Explain with neat sketches. (08 Marks)
- b. What is ranging? Explain with a neat sketch indirect ranging. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain the use of line ranger with a neat sketch. (06 Marks)

Module – 2

- 3 a. Define the following terms used in chain survey :
 - i) Base line
 - ii) Offset
 - iii) Chainage. (03 Marks)
- b. Explain with neat sketches, how to erect a perpendicular to a chain line from a point on it. (any three methods) (09 Marks)
- c. What are the advantages and disadvantages of plane table surveying? (08 Marks)
- 4 a. Define the following terms :
 - i) Level line
 - ii) Plane of collimation
 - iii) Bench mark
 - iv) Change point
 - v) Back sight
 - vi) Fore sight (06 Marks)
- b. Briefly explain the temporary adjustments of a dumpy level. (06 Marks)
- c. The following readings were observed successively with a leveling instrument. The instrument was shifted after fifth and eleventh readings 0.585, 1.010, 1.735, 3.295, 3.775, 0.350, 1.300, 1.795, 2.575, 3.375, 3.895, 1.735, 0.635, and 1.605m. Draw up a page of level book and determine the RL of various points if the RL of the point on which the first reading was taken is 136.440m . (08 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

Module – 3

- 5 a. What is a contour line? List the various characteristics of contours (any six). (08 Marks)
- b. Write short notes on :
- i) Interpolation of contour
 - ii) Contour gradient
 - iii) Horizontal equivalent. (06 Marks)
- c. Discuss the various uses of contour maps. (06 Marks)
- 6 a. Define the terms :
- i) Transiting
 - ii) Telescope inverted
 - iii) Lining in. (06 Marks)
- b. How would you measure a horizontal angle by repetition method using a theodolite? Explain. (08 Marks)
- c. What are the components of a total station? List the uses of a total station. (06 Marks)

Module – 4

- 7 a. Explain the method of pacing of measurement of horizontal distances using ones own body. (06 Marks)
- b. Briefly explain the reconnaissance survey to read the terrain. (06 Marks)
- c. Using photography as a surveying method to survey 1 acre of land which is heavily contoured, explain your approach to figure out the terrain. (08 Marks)
- 8 Explain how the analysis of a site (upto 1 acre) is done with respect to the following factors:
- i) Microclimate (07 Marks)
 - ii) Vegetation (06 Marks)
 - iii) Topography. (07 Marks)

Module – 5

- 9 a. Explain different types of land survey drawings. (08 Marks)
- b. Draw symbols used on drawings :
- i) Smooth Wire Fence
 - ii) Wall and Gate
 - iii) Bench mark
 - iv) Rail fence (06 Marks)
- c. Write a note on grid references for measurements. (06 Marks)
- 10 a. Sketch to a scale the plan of a 2 – BR residence. Indicate all the dimensions including centre line. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the various process involved in setting out of centre lines of a building. (10 Marks)

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