

B. E. (Civil)

**ADVANCED TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING**

(2008 pattern) (Elective—IV) (Semester—II)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer Q. 1 or Q. 2, Q. 3 or Q. 4, Q. 5 or Q. 6 from section-I and Q. 7 or Q. 8, Q. 9 or Q. 10, Q. 11 or Q. 12 from section-II
- 2) Answer to the two sections should be written in separate books.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 5) Use of logarithmic tables slide rule. Mollier charts, electronic pocket calculator and steam tables is allowed.
- 6) Assume suitable data, if necessary.

**Section—I**

- Q. 1. a) Explain in brief the following projects. [6]
- i) Metro from Vanaj to Ramvadi.
  - ii) Eastern freeway link in Mumbai.
- b) Explain concept of zoning, cordon lines, screen lines, aggregation and segregation of data with an example. [6]
- c) Discuss the various factors affecting the trip generation within the study area [6]

OR

- Q. 2. a) Explain in brief the following projects. [6]
- i) International Airports in India
  - ii) Prime minister's solar energy mission for India.
- b) Explain types of primary and secondary data needed to plan a traffic and transportation project comprehensively. [6]
- c) Explain modal split with an example [6]

- Q. 3. What is MRTS? Explain the different ways in which MRTS can be achieved? [16]
- Discuss the present bottlenecks which exist during the implementation of an integrated approach to determine effective solutions for urban traffic management.

OR

- Q. 4. Explain in detail the following urban transport technologies:-
- i) Sky bus. [5]
  - ii) Automated cruise controlled traffic systems. [6]
  - iii) Automated park lifts and toll plazas. [5]
- Q. 5. a) Compare and contrast between. [12]
- i) ARR and IRR
  - ii) B T and B O T
  - iii) Tangible and intangible benefits to be considered in the alternative of flyovers used to reduce congestion.
  - iv) PCU and MSA
- b) What are pavement management systems? How are they useful in the management of Highway projects? [4']

OR

- Q. 6. a) Compare and contrast between. [12]
- i) NPV and PBP
  - ii) B O O and B O O S
  - iii) Accident costs and prevention cost.
  - iv) LCC and conventional costing of transportation projects.
- b) Differentiate between financial analysis and economic analysis with an example. [4]

### Section—II

- Q. 7 Elaborate on the following type of surveys. [18]
- i) Axle load surveys.
  - ii) Distress surveys.
  - iii) Licensed plate method of surveys.

OR

- Q. 8. Elaborate on the following type of surveys:- [18]
- i) Cordon and screen line surveys
  - ii) Turning movement surveys, intersection surveys.
  - iii) Traffic count surveys.
- Q. 9. a) Design a flexible pavement for the following data, as per IRC-37. [10+2=12]
- i) 4 lane dual carriageway
  - ii) Expected year of completion—2015.
  - iii) CVPD in one direction in the year 2010----3000.

- iv) Design life—15 days.
- v) Traffic growth rate—3%.
- vi) Terrain—plain
- vii) CBR for sulgrade—5%

Draw a complete cross-section of the pavement

- b) Differentiate between the rigid pavements and flexible pavements on 4 parameters. [4]

OR

- Q. 10. a) Design a flexible pavement by using IRC—37 and the data given in problem 9 a, except for the change that the road is a 3 lane single carriageway instead of the 4 lane dual carriageway; and the terrain is hilly. [10+2=12]

Draw a complete cross-section of the pavement.

- b) Explain the utility of the Benkelmen-beam method in the pavement design. [4]

- Q. 11. What is an overlay? What are different purposes of providing overlays? Which are the different types of overlays? Explain the philosophy adopted by IRC-81 for making the overlay design? [2+4+4+6]

OR

- Q. 12 Explain as per IRC-58 the following.

- a) Dowel bar design procedure. [4]
- b) Axle load surveys data utilization for design [4]
- c) Critical loading condition adopted for concrete pavement design. [4]
- d) Tie bar design procedure. [4]



# PAVEMENT DESIGN CATALOGUE

PLATE 2 - RECOMMENDED DESIGNS FOR TRAFFIC RANGE 10-150 msa

CBR 5%				
Cumulative Traffic (msa)	Total Pavement Thickness (mm)	PAVEMENT COMPOSITION		
		Bituminous Surfacing		Granular Base & Sub-base (mm)
		BC (mm)	DBM (mm)	
10	660	40	70	Base = 250
20	690	40	100	
30	710	40	120	
50	730	40	140	
100	750	50	150	Sub-base = 300
150	770	50	170	

