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B. E. (Civil) (Semester - I)

SYSTEMS APPROACH IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

(2012 Pattern) (Elective - I)

Time : 2½ Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer Q.1 or Q.2, Q.3 or Q.4, Q.5 or Q.6, Q.7 or Q.8, Q.9 or Q.10.
- 2) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 3) Figures to the right side indicate full marks.
- 4) Assume Suitable data if necessary.

Q1) a) State application of optimization in Civil Engineering? [4]

b) State whether following functions are Convex or Concave [6]

i) $f(x) = x^4 + x^2 + 10x$

ii) $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 - 15x$

OR

Q2) a) What are the advantages of Newton's method over steepest gradient technique. [4]

b) Minimize $Z = 3x_1^2 + 4x_2 - 5x_1x_2 - 8x_2$,
Subject to $x_1 + x_2 = 4$ by Lagrange's multiplier method. [6]

Q3) a) Find the sequence that minimize the total elapsed time to complete the job in the order of AB [6]

Machine	Jobs Processing Time in Minutes				
	1	2	3	4	5
A	3	10	6	4	9
B	7	12	8	5	2

b) Explain Kendal's Notation. [4]

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OR

Q4) a) Explain the process of sequencing of n jobs on three machines. [4]

b) Ships arrive at a port at an average rate of 8 ships per week and their arrival pattern follows Poisson distribution. On an average 12 ships are loaded and unloaded with exponential distribution per week. Determine [6]

- i) The average queue length and the number of ships in the system.
- ii) The average time spent by the ships waiting in the queue and in the system.

Q5) a) Write short note on characteristics of Dynamic Programming. [4]

b) Find shortest path for a network with following data [12]

Node	Distance in kms	Node	Distance in kms
A-B	14	A-C	15
A-D	18	B-E	19
B-F	21	C-E	25
C-F	30	D-E	24
D-F	20	E-G	14
E-H	18	E-I	15
F-G	16	F-H	17
F-I	22	G-J	22
H-J	24	I-J	23

OR

Q6) a) Discuss Dynamic Programming applications to business. [4]

b) Maximize the sales by allocating salesman to different zones as per amount of sales contribution as given below [12]

No of salesman	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3
	Profitability in thousands of Rs.		
0	12	13	14
1	14	15	18
2	15	18	23
3	17	20	27
4	19	23	31
5	20	27	35
6	25	30	40

Q7) a) Minimize $Z = x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3$ [12]

Subject to $3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 7$

$-2x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 12$

$-4x_1 + 3x_2 + 8x_3 \leq 10$

$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$

Use Simplex method to solve the problem.

b) What do surplus variable and slack variables represent in Simplex method?
Also, explain when these are used. [4]

OR

Q8) a) What is the difference between simplex solution procedure for a maximization and minimization problem? [4]

b) Maximize $Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3$ [12]

Subject to $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \leq 9$

$2x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 \leq 30$

$2x_1 - x_2 - x_3 \leq 8$

$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$

Use Simplex method to solve the problem.

Q9) a) What do you understand by a balanced and unbalanced transportation problem? How are the unbalanced problems solved? **[8]**

b) Solve following assignment problem to minimize time (in minutes) required by 5 operators on 5 machines **[10]**

		Machines				
		I	II	III	IV	V
Operators	A	10	17	27	18	28
	B	11	24	16	19	33
	C	25	26	12	20	29
	D	32	23	15	13	34
	E	31	22	14	21	30

OR

Q10)a) Give the mathematical formulation of an assignment problem with the help of an example. **[6]**

b) Calculate transportation cost for following problem using Column minima, row minima and least cost method. **[12]**

		Destinations				
		D ₁	D ₂	D ₃	D ₄	Supply
Origins	O ₁	20	18	16	20	75
	O ₂	14	12	18	15	75
	O ₃	17	13	11	17	50
	O ₄	16	14	12	18	100
Demand		100	50	100	50	

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