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Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2017/Jan.2018 Traffic Engineering

Time: 3 hrs.

Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. What are the objects and scope of traffic engineering? Explain briefly. (10 Marks)
 - b. Briefly explain different vehicular characteristics which affect the road design. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. List and explain the various resistances, which acts against the motion of vehicle. (10 Marks)
 - b. Enumerate the different method of carrying out traffic volume studies. Indicate the principle of each. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. With usual notations. Explain the power performance of vehicle. (10 Marks)
 - b. Explain the different forms of presentation of traffic volume data. (10 Marks)
- 4 a. What are the uses of origin and destination survey? How the results are presented. (10 Marks)
 - b. A vehicle of weight 2 tonnes skids through a distance equal to 40m before colliding with another parked vehicle of weight 1 tonne. After collision both the vehicle skids through a distance equal to 12m before stopping.

Calculate the initial speed of moving vehicle. Assume coefficient of friction as 0.5.

(10 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Show the linear relationship between speed and concentration.
- (10 Marks)
- b. The speed and concentration of vehicles in a traffic stream were observed and the following data were obtained:

Concentration (yeh/km)	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
Speed (kmph)	72	68	61	52	47	39	32	27	20	13

Find the regression equation for determining the speed from concentration.

(10 Marks)

- 6 a. A toll booth at the entrance to a bridge can handle 120 Veh/hour, the time to process a vehicle being exponentially distributed. The flow is 90 Veh/hour with a Poisson arrival pattern. Determine:
 - i) The average number of vehicle in the system.
 - ii) The length of the queue
 - iii) The average time spent by the vehicle in the system
 - iv) The average time spent by the vehicle in the queue.

Briefly explain the steps involved in simulation model.

(10 Marks) (10 Marks)

- a. The average normal flow of traffic on cross roads A and B during a design period are 400 and 250 per/hr the saturation of flow values on these roads are estimated as 1250 and 1000 per/hr respectively. The all red time required for pedestrian crossing is 12 seconds. Design two phase traffic signal by Webster's method.

 (10 Marks)
 - b. What are the advantages and disadvantages of traffic signals?

(10 Marks)

- Write a note on:
 - a. Traffic rotary elements
- b. Street lighting
- c. Road side furniture
- d. Intelligent Transport system.

(20 Marks)

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