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SURVEYING-I

Full Marks: 100

Time: Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer any five questions.

1. a) Explain the following methods of plane table surveying: [2x3=6]
(i) Radiation (ii) Intersection
- b) What is contour? What are the characteristics of contours? [1+5=6]
- c) The following bearings were observed with a compass: [8]
AB 74°0' BA 255°0'
BC 91°0' CB 270°0'
CD 164°0' DC 342°0'
DE 177°0' ED 0°0'
EA 189°0' AE 9°0'
Where do you suspect the local attraction? Find the correct bearings.
2. a) Write down the procedure for reiteration method to determine a group of [6]
horizontal angles having a common vertex point.
- b) Explain any four uses of contour map. [6]
- c) Differentiate between contour interval and horizontal equivalent. What are [4+4=8]
the factors on which the choice of proper contour interval depends?
3. a) What is orientation in plane table surveying? Explain the different methods [2+4=6]
of orientation.
- b) What is reciprocal levelling? Explain the difference between "Height of [2+4=6]
Instrument" and "Rise and Fall" method of reducing levels.
- c) Derive the formulae for height and distance of an object, when object and [8]
instrument stations are in the same vertical plane and base of the object is
inaccessible.
4. a) The following readings were obtained in running fly-levels from a bench [8]

mark of R.L. 384.705m.

3.215, 1.045, 1.095, 1.844, 2.224, 3.215, 2.058, 2.042, 2.060, 1.850

The instrument was shifted after 4th, 6th and 8th readings. Enter the readings in a level field book form and reduce the readings by height of instrument method.

- b) What is geodetic survey? Derive the expressions for correction of curvature and refraction. [2+6=8]
- c) Write down few advantages and disadvantages of plane table surveying. [4]
5. a) What is backsight and foresight in levelling? What do we mean by balancing backsight and foresight? [2+4=6]
- b) Explain the fundamental lines and their desired relations of a theodolite. [6]
- c) To determine the elevation of the top of a building, the following observations were made: [8]

<i>Instrument Station</i>	<i>Reading on B.M. (m)</i>	<i>Angle of elevation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
A	1.456	12°42'	RL of BM=250.480m
B	1.052	8°12'	

stations A and B and the top of the building are in the same vertical plane. Find the elevation of the top of the building, if the distance between A and B is 100m.

6. a) Define the following: [5x2=10]
- i) Contour gradient
 - ii) Parallax
 - iii) Benchmark
 - iv) Magnetic bearing
 - v) Local attraction
- b) What is indirect ranging? Explain [5]
- c) Explain the steps followed in temporary adjustments of a vernier theodolite. [5]
7. a) Differentiate between: [5x2=10]
- i) WCB and QB systems in compass surveying
 - ii) Traverse type and Johnson type plane table
 - iii) Open traverse and closed traverse



- iv) Metric chain and surveyor's chain
- v) Back bearing and fore bearing.
- b) Derive the formulae for height and distance of an object, when object and instrument stations are **not** in the same vertical plane. [10]

