

**S 9067**

**B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2006.**

**Third Semester**

**Civil Engineering**

**CE 234 — SURVEYING — I**

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Answer ALL questions.**

**PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)**

**Differentiate between :**

**Plane Surveying and Geodetic surveying.**

**List the various instruments / accessories used in chain surveying.**

**The bearing of line PQ is N 50° 25' E. Obtain the bearing of line QP in whole circle bearing system.**

**Explain the terms 'Dip of a magnetic needle' and 'magnetic declination'.**

**Bring out clearly the difference between 'back sight' and 'Fore sight' in running a Fly level.**

**Define 'contour'.**

**Name the two methods of measuring horizontal angles.**

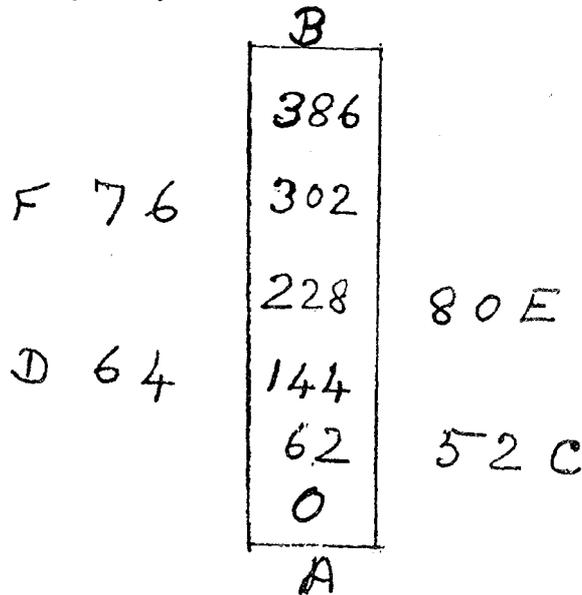
**What is meant by a 'closed traverse'?**

**With the aid of a neat sketch, draw in a simple circular curve.**

**Define 'sight distance'.**

PART B — (5 × 16 = 80 marks)

11. (a) (i) What is meant by 'Reciprocal Ranging'? How it is achieved? (2 + 4)  
 (ii) The observations of a cross staff survey is recorded below. Plot the boundary of the area ACEBFDA to a rough scale and compute its area analytically.



(10)

Or

- (b) (i) Explain the various classifications of surveying. (6)  
 (ii) A chain line ABC crosses a river. The points B and C are situated on the near and opposite sides of the river respectively. The bearing of a line BD, perpendicular to AC at B and 50 m long is  $45^\circ 20'$ . The measured bearing of DC is  $264^\circ 50'$ . Find the distance BC. (10)
12. (a) (i) Name the various characteristical methods of Plane Tabling. Explain with sketches any one of them. (2 + 4)  
 (ii) The following are the bearings taken on a closed compass traverse. Which of the stations are affected by local attraction? Obtain the corrected bearings of each line.

Line	F.B.	B.B.
AB	S $37^\circ 30'$ E	N $37^\circ 30'$ W
BC	S $43^\circ 15'$ W	N $44^\circ 15'$ E
CD	N $73^\circ 00'$ W	S $72^\circ 15'$ E
DE	N $12^\circ 45'$ E	S $13^\circ 15'$ W
EA	N $60^\circ 00'$ E	S $59^\circ 00'$ W

Hence obtain the interior angle at A.

(8 + 2)

Or

- (b) (i) Give, in a tabular form, the differences between prismatic compass and surveyor's compass. (5)
- (ii) List the various instruments/accessories used in Plane Table surveying and mention the purpose/use of each one. (5)
- (iii) What is 'orientation' in Plane Table survey? Explain any one method of achieving it. (2 + 4)

13. (a) (i) Explain, with a sketch and illustration, how you would find the available head room in a hall using a levelling instrument and a levelling staff. (6)

(ii) Details of perpendicular offsets from a survey line are given below. Calculate the area enclosed between the survey line, curved boundary and end offsets by

(1) Trapezoidal rule

(2) Simpson's rule. (5 + 5)

Chainage (m)	0	15	30	45	60	80	100
Offset (m):	3.8	6.2	5.1	6.8	5.6	4.3	4.1

Or

(b) (i) Draw hypothetical contours representing a 'hillock' and a 'pond' for levels between 10 m and 20 m with a contour interval of 2 m. (4)

(ii) The following successive staff readings were observed while running a fly level between two points, the instrument having been shifted after the third, fifth and eighth readings. Rule out a page of a level book and enter the readings. Hence find the R-L of each staff point, taking the R-L of the first point as 100.000 m. Apply the checks. (4 + 6 + 2)

1.285 ; 2.415 ; 0.780 ; 1.590 ;

1.860 ; 0.590 ; -1.265 ;

0.215 ; 1.155 ; 2.020.

14. (a) (i) Explain the temporary adjustments of a Transit Theodolite. (6)

(ii) A closed traverse was conducted round an obstacle and the following observations were made. Work out the missing quantities. (10)

Side	Length(m)	Bearing
AB	?	33° 45'
BC	300	86° 23'
CD	?	169° 23'
DE	450	243° 54'
EA	268	317° 30'

Or

(b) (i) What are 'face left' and 'face right' observations? Why is it necessary to take both these observations? (6)

(ii) Describe in brief the construction features of a Transit Theodolite. (10)

15. (a) (i) Why do curves become necessary along highway alignment? Bring out the various classifications of highway curves. (2 + 4)

(ii) A simple circular curve is to have a radius of 573 m. The tangents intersect at chainage 1060 m and the angle of intersection is 120°. Find

(1) Tangent distance

(2) Chainage at beginning and end of curve

(3) Length of long chord

(4) Degree of curve

(5) Number of full and sub-chords. (10)

Or

(b) Write detailed notes on :

(i) Surface surveys in tunnelling operations.

(ii) Setting out works.