

**B.Tech. Civil Engineering**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2012**

**BICE-019 : TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING - I**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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*Note : Attempt any seven questions. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.*

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1. Describe in brief the objectives and steps involved in the preliminary survey for a new railway alignment. **10**
2. What are the different types of rails used in Indian Railways? Explain with neat sketches. **10**
3. What are the functions of sleepers? Discuss the requirements of an ideal sleepers. **10**
4. If a  $8^\circ$  curve track diverges from a main curve of  $5^\circ$  in a opposite direction in the layout of a B.G. yard. Calculate the super elevation and the speed of branch line; if the maximum speed permitted on the main line is 45 Km/hr. **10**

5. What are the functions of points and crossing in a railway track layout? Explain clearly with the help of neat sketches. **10**
6. What are the main objectives of signalling? Explain the engineering principles of signalling. **10**
7. Discuss in detail the factors affecting the choice of selection of site for an airport. **10**
8. What are the main features of terminal building? **10**
9. What are the different classification of harbours? Explain them. **10**
10. Write short note on *any four* of the following. **2½x4=10**
- (a) Modern techniques for safety in railways
  - (b) Windrose diagram
  - (c) Port building
  - (d) Construction of break waters
  - (e) Navigation aids
  - (f) Various tractive resistance