

**B.TECH. CIVIL ENGINEERING
(BTCLEVI)****Term-End Examination****December, 2013****BICEE-023 : TRAFFIC ENGINEERING***Time : 3 hours**Maximum Marks : 70*

*Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Scientific calculator is **permitted**. Assume missing data if any.*

1. (a) What are the objects and scope of traffic engineering ? Explain briefly. 7
(b) What are different vehicular characteristics which affect the road design? Briefly explain. 7
2. Explain the term traffic volume. What are the objects of carrying out traffic volume studies ? Indicate how the traffic volume data are presented and the results used in traffic engineering ? 14
3. (a) Define practical capacity. Discuss the factors, affecting the practical capacity of road in detail. 10
(b) Write the factors affecting PCU values. 4
4. (a) Discuss the various aspects to be investigated during parking studies. 4
(b) Explain the various measures to prevent accidents in detail. 10

5. (a) Write the advantages and disadvantages of Grade Separation. 7
 (b) Draw the neat sketch for diamond and partial clover leaf types interchanges. $3.5 \times 2 = 7$
6. (a) Compare between the angle parking and parallel parking. 4
 (b) Calculate the spacing between the lighting units to produce a lux equal to 7.0 from the following data: 10
 Width of road = 15m
 Mounting ht = 7.5m
 Lamp size = 7000 lumen
 Luminaire type II
 Coefficient of utilization for ratio value 2 is 0.44.
 Maintenance factor = 0.8.
7. (a) Compare between the channelized and unchannelized intersections with suitable neat sketches. 10
 (b) A vehicle travelling at 40 kmph was stopped within 1.8 seconds after the application of the brakes. Determine the average skid resistance. 4
8. Write short notes on **any four** of the following :
 (a) Regulatory signs $3.5 \times 4 = 14$
 (b) Traffic rotary
 (c) Origin and destination study
 (d) Spot speed study
 (e) Forms of intersections
 (f) Objectives of accident studies
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