# BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE (B.Arch.) 

## Term-End Examination



December, 2016
BAR-056 : TOPOGRAPHIC SYSTEMS

Time : 3 hours
Maximum Marks : 70
Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of calculator is permitted.

1. (a) Classify surveying on the basis of object of survey.
(b) What are the uses of contour maps? Discuss how the capacity of a reservoir is determined by a contour map.
2. (a) What is theodolite survey ? Explain the various parts of a theodolite.
(b) A and B are two points on the opposite sides of a pond. The Surveyor establishes a line AC clear of the pond such that B is visible from C. He establishes another point $D$ on the line $C B$ produced so that the line AD is also clear of the pond. If distances AC, CB, BD and DA are $300 \mathrm{~m}, 150 \mathrm{~m}, 175 \mathrm{~m}$ and 250 m respectively, find the distance AB .
3. (a) Explain true bearing, magnetic bearing, whole circle bearing and arbitrary bearing.
(b) In a closed traverse ABCDE the bearing of a line AB was $150^{\circ} 30^{\prime}$. The included angles were : $-\angle \mathrm{A}=130^{\circ} 10^{\prime}, \angle \mathrm{B}=89^{\circ} 45^{\prime}$, $\angle \mathrm{C}=125^{\circ} 22^{\prime}, \angle \mathrm{D}=135^{\circ} 34^{\prime}$ and $\angle \mathrm{E}=59^{\circ} 9^{\prime}$. Determine the bearings of all the lines.
4. (a) Define the terms - Height of Instrument, Backsight, Foresight, Turning point, Intermediate sight.
(b) Discuss the effect of curvature of earth and refraction in levelling.
5. (a) Explain how the vertical angles between two points are determined with the help of theodolite.
(b) What is sensitivity of bubble? What are the factors affecting it?
6. (a) What is reciprocal levelling ? Explain with a suitable example.7
(b) Discuss the three-point problem. 7
7. (a) Explain cross-sectioning and profile levelling.
(b) A river is flowing from west to east. For determining its width two points A and B are selected on the southern bank such that the distance $A B=80 \mathrm{~m}$. Point $A$ is westward. The bearings of a tree $C$ on the northern bank are observed to be $38^{\circ}$ and $338^{\circ}$ from A and B respectively. Find the width of the river.
8. Write short notes on any four of the following :

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(a) Fundamentals of GIS
(b) Site Survey Technique
(c) Aspects of Surveying for the Architect
(d) Degree of Accuracy
(e) Height of Instrument Method
(f) Radiation Method

