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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 CB produced so that the line AD is also clear of the pond. If distances AC, CB, BD and DA are 300 m, 150 m, 175 m and 250 m respectively, find the distance AB.

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- **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°30′. The included angles were : ∠A = 130°10′, ∠B = 89°45′, ∠C = 125°22′, ∠D = 135°34′ and ∠E = 59°9′. Determine the bearings of all the lines.
- (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.
 - (b) Discuss the three-point problem.

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- 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 AB = 80 m. Point A is westward. The bearings of a tree C on the northern bank are observed to be 38° and 338° from A and B respectively. Find the width of the river.
- 8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following: $4 \times 3\frac{1}{2} = 14$
 - (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

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