B.Sc. (NAUTICAL SCIENCE)

Term-End Examination

June, 2012

BNA-014 : NAVIGATION-I (TERRESTRIAL AND CELESTIAL)

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Attempt all questions. Use of Nories or Burton's tables, nautical almanac 1992 and non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed. Use B.A chart - 813.

1. Define and Explain:

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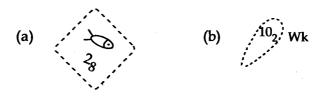
- (a) DR Position
- (b) Estimated Position
- (c) Leeway
- (d) Departure
- 2. (a) Define and Explain:

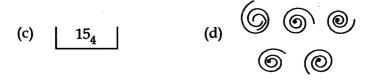
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- (i) True course
- (ii) Magnetic course
- (iii) Gyro Error
- (iv) Variation
- (b) A ship departs from position 07°20' North 079°10' East and arrives in position 07°20' N 077°18' East after sailing for 8 hrs Find the speed of the ship.

- 3. Give step by step procedure as to, How amplitude calculation is done using Norie's nautical table
- 4. (a) Explain with examples the standard time 8 and zone time.
 - (b) On 4th May 1992 AM at DR. 41°13' South 102°40' East, LHA of star Archenar by calculation was 286°02.4' at UTC 22h 59m 57s. Find the longitude of the observer.
- 5. Explain in detail the process of doing chart 8 correction on board.
- 6. At 0900 hrs. Weligama Lt. Ho. and Dondra Head 10 Lt. Ho. were in transit bearing 288° (G) and at same time Dondra Lt. ho. was 10 miles off.
 - (a) Find ship's position at 0900 hrs. and Gyro Error.
 - (b) From this position set a course by Gyro compass to pass 7' off Great Basses reef Lt. ho. Counteracting current which is setting 130° (T) at 3 kts, wind N' by leeway 4° (Ship's Engine speed : 15 kts)

7. Write the meaning of following chart symbols 10 used on metric chart









- 8. At 1500 hrs. Colombo SBM bore 102° (Var 13°W, Dev. 2°E) with a distance of 8 miles by Radar. From this position vessel sailed on a course of 165° (C) (Var 13°W, Dev 14°E) with engine speed of 15 kts. current was setting 220° (T)×3kts.
 - (a) Find estimated position at 1700 hrs.
 - (b) Also find what time Barbaryn Lt. ho. is estimated to be abeam, beam bearing and distance off when abeam.