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**B. TECH. (CIVIL) (CONSTRUCTION  
MANAGEMENT)/B. TECH. CIVIL  
(WATER RESOURCES ENGINEERING)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2019**

**ET-505 : TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC  
ENGINEERING**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

*Note : Attempt all questions. All questions carry  
equal marks.*

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1. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) What are the advantages of containerisation in the transport of goods ?
  - (b) Which Act regulates traffic of motor vehicles ?
  - (c) A vehicle travelling at 100 km/hr is brought to halt by braking. What is the breaking distance if the coefficient of friction that develops between the tyres and the road surface is 0.45 ?

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2. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Write a short note on CBR.  
 (b) Observations from a Direct Shear Test on a soil sample gives the following values :

Compressive Force	Maximum Shear Force
5 kg	7 kg
10 kg	9.5 kg
15 kg	12 kg
20 kg	14 kg

The loaded area of the sample is 36 sq. cm. Determine the values of cohesion and internal friction of the soil sample.

- (c) Explain the need for camber. How is it provided in hill roads ?

3. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Write a short note on surface dressing.  
 (b) Find out the radius of contact area of the tyre subjected to an axle load of 150 kN with tyre pressure of 0.6 MN/m<sup>2</sup>.  
 (c) List out various roadway factors for controlling an accident. Discuss any *two* of them.

4. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) Explain the advantages and disadvantages of transport signals at road intersection.
  - (b) Why is Public Transport desirable ? What are the types of public transport systems ?
  - (c) What are the factors that govern traffic growth ?
5. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) What is meant by 'Permanent Way' ? What are 'check rails' and 'guard rails' ?
  - (b) Define platform and illustrate its requirements for Rly line. Make a sketch of its cross-section.
  - (c) Write briefly on the following :
    - (i) Buffer stop
    - (ii) Tunnels
6. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) What are the advantages and disadvantages of air transport ?
  - (b) How is the runway orientation decided ? What are the factors that influence runway length ?

- (c) What are various form of water transport ?  
What are the advantages of water transport ?

7. Answer any *two* of the following :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Can solids be transported through pipeline ? List out advantages of pipeline transport system.

- (b) Write briefly on the following :

(i) Freeport zone

(ii) Break waters

- (c) What are belt conveyors ? Explain in brief their various configuration.