# NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND WATER ENGINEERING FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING (HONOURS) DEGREE PART I SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM.-SEPT.- 2008 <br> ENGINEERING SURVEY I - TCW 2102 

## INSRUCTIONS

Answer any four questions
Time : 3hours
Total Marks : 100

## QUESTION 1

(a) List any three types of tapes that you have learnt. (3 marks)
(b) List the classes of survey you know and explain the difference between them. (4marks)
(c) A baseline of exactly 635 m is to be set out. What measurement would you make with a 60 m tape which is known to be $0,5 \%$ too short to obtain the correct distance ?(3marks)
(d) What do you understand by coefficient of thermal expansion of a tape material ?(3marks)
(e) A steel tape of nominal length 30 m was used to measure a line AB by suspending it between supports. The following measurements were recorded :

| Line | Length measured $(\mathrm{m})$ | Slope angle | Mean temperature | Applied tension(N) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| AB | 29,872 | $+3^{0} 40^{\prime}$ | $5^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | 120 |

The standardized length of the tape was known to be $30,014 \mathrm{~m}$ at $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and 50 N tension. The tape has a mass of $0,170 \mathrm{kgm}^{-1}$ and cross-sectional area of $2 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}, \mathrm{E}=200 \mathrm{kN} / \mathrm{mm}^{2}$ and coefficient of thermal expansion of the tape material of $0,0000112 /^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Calculate the horizontal length of AB. (12 marks)

## QUESTION 2

(a) The following compass bearings were taken at Chipangali when magnetic declination was $10^{0} \mathrm{E}$.
$\mathrm{AB} \quad 175^{0} 30^{\prime}$
BC $246^{\circ} 30^{\prime}$
CD $142^{\circ} 00^{\prime}$
DE $\quad 357^{\circ} 00^{\prime}$
EF $\quad 96^{\circ} \quad 10^{\prime}$
Calculate the true compass bearings. ( 5 marks)
(b) Write the following compass bearings as whole circle bearings (5 marks)
(i) $\mathrm{N} 10^{\circ} \mathrm{W}$, (ii) $\mathrm{S} 50^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$, (iii) $\mathrm{S} 40^{\circ} \mathrm{W}$, (iv) $\mathrm{N} 50^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ and (v) $\mathrm{N} 45^{\circ} \mathrm{W}$.
© Eliminate the effects of local attraction from the given observed values. Tabulate your work, showing the amount of adjustment and the adjusted bearings. ( 15 marks)

| Line | Observed Value |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| AE | $137^{0}$ | $00^{\prime}$ |
| AB | $60^{\circ}$ | $30^{\prime}$ |
| BA | $230^{\circ}$ | $15^{\prime}$ |
| BC | $358^{0}$ | $00^{\prime}$ |
| CB | $182^{0}$ | $00^{\prime}$ |
| CD | $148^{0}$ | $15^{\prime}$ |
| DC | $328^{0}$ | 15 |
| DE | $219^{0}$ | $00^{\prime}$ |
| ED | $44^{0}$ | $30^{\prime}$ |
| EA | $316^{0}$ | 15, |

## QUESTION 3

Calculate the total area in square metres of a piece of land shown in fig. 3 , using any two methods for the irregular bounded area ( 25 marks)

## QUESTION 4

The following levels were taken over a stretch of ground where it is required to excavate a trench, 1,1metres wide with vertical sides for carrying a pipe at a downgrade of 1:50 from A to F.The bottom of the pipe is to be 1,7 metres vertically below A. Ground elevation at $\mathrm{A}=1300,000 \mathrm{~m}$.

| Station | Horizontal <br> distance from $\mathrm{A}(\mathrm{m})$ | B.S. | I.S. | F.S. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| A | - | 3,094 |  |  |
| B | 15 |  | 2,194 |  |
| C | 37 | 0,640 | 1,524 |  |
| D | 57 |  | 1,143 | 0,381 |
| E | 67 |  |  | 2,652 |
| F | 76 |  |  |  |

(i) Reduce the levels using the rise and fall method and hence determine the amount of cut at every station. (25marks)

## QUESTION 5

(a) Fig. 5a shows a 10 m square grid with the depth of excavation to formation level shown for a basement. Calculate the volume of excavation. (10 marks)
(b) Fig. 5 b shows contour lines that were obtained at a reservoir construction site. The plan area contained by each contour was obtained using a planimeter. Given the following information :

| Contour | Area enclosed $\left(\mathrm{m}^{2}\right)$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| 150 | - |
| 148 | 15100 |
| 145 | 13700 |
| 140 | 12300 |
| 135 | 11200 |
| 130 | 9800 |
| 125 | 7100 |
| 120 | 4600 |

Calculate the volume of water that is going to be contained in the reservoir using any two methods (15 marks)

## List of formulae

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\begin{aligned}
& V=\frac{d}{2}\left(A_{1}+A_{N}+2\left(A_{2}+A_{3}+\ldots \ldots . A(N-1)\right)\right. \\
& V=\frac{d}{3}\left(A_{1}+A_{N}+4 O+2 E\right) \\
& C=L_{m} \frac{\left(L^{\prime}-L\right)}{L} \\
& C=L_{m}\left(t_{f}-t_{s}\right) \alpha \\
& C=L_{m}(1-\operatorname{Cos} \theta) \\
& C=L_{m} \frac{\left(T_{\underline{f}}-T_{s}\right)}{A x E} \\
& C=\frac{L m}{24} \frac{(M g)^{2}}{T^{2}} \\
& A=\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} \\
& A=\underline{d}\left[O_{1}+O_{N}+2\left(O_{2}+O_{3}+O_{4}+\ldots . O_{(N-1)}\right]\right. \\
& A=\frac{d}{3}[X+2 O+4 E]
\end{aligned}
$$

FIG. 3


## FIG. 5A

| h1 |  | h2 |  | h3 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{h} 4 \\ & 78,10 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4,76m |  | 5,14m |  | 6,72m |  |  |
| h5 | h6 |  | h7 |  | h8 |  |
| 3,21m |  | 4,77m |  | 5,82m |  | 6,07m |
|  |  |  | h1 |  |  |  |
| 1,98m |  | 2,31m |  | 3,55m |  |  |

Fig. 5b


