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MVCT/MVCP-301(A)**M.E./M.Tech., III Semester**

Examination, June 2017

Advanced Highway Construction

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

- Note:** i) Attempt any five questions.
ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. a) List different methods of road construction. Discuss their advantages and limitations. 7
b) What are the problems in construction of roads over black cotton soils? How are the various problems dealt with? 7
2. Explain in brief with suitable sketches :- 4x3½=14
a) Surface dressing
b) OGPC with seal coat
c) Modified penetration macadam
d) Mastic asphalt
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3. a) Discuss the field and laboratory tests for quality control of embankment construction. 8
b) List different compaction equipments? Discuss suitability of various compaction equipments for different type of soils. 6
4. a) What is dry lean concrete? Discuss the specifications of DLC. Also explain detailed construction procedure of DLC. 6

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- b) What is the necessity for providing joints in cement concrete pavements? Discuss types of joints with neat sketches. 8
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5. a) What are the IRC specifications for dowel bars and tie bars? 6
b) Explain with sketches the Joint filler and sealers. Discuss the desirable properties and various materials in use. 8
6. a) What is the necessity for providing reinforcement in Cement concrete pavements? Discuss the uses and limitations of reinforced concrete pavements. 8
b) Explain briefly the fibre reinforced concrete pavements. Discuss advantages and disadvantages of fibre reinforced concrete roads. 6
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7. Explain in brief. 4x3½=14
a) CPM/PERT in highway construction
b) Benefit - cost analysis and its significance.
c) Highway financing
d) Master plan
8. Write short notes on (any four) : 4x3½=14
a) Lime stabilization and its suitability
b) Granular sub base and its specifications.
c) Separation membrane for concrete roads.
d) Prestressed concrete pavements.
e) Curing methods of CC pavements.

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