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**[4361]-5**  
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**Basic Civil and Environmental Engineering**  
**(2008 Course)**

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**SECTION -I**

- Q.1 a) Explain in brief the role of Civil engineer in Infrastructure development of any country. [4]
- b) State Comparison between Highways and Railways. [6]
- c) State various practical applications of Geotechnical engineering and foundation engineering [6]

**OR**

- Q.2 a) Explain with a neat sketch the Working principle of remote sensing. [4]
- b) Define the term Gauge and Draw a neat sketch of Railway Track. [6]
- c) Explain in brief the merits and demerits of any major Irrigation project [6]

- Q.3 a) How will you check the quality of bricks and cement at construction site. [6]
- b) What is the Importance of Sand in construction. State any four advantages of artificial Sand. [4]
- c) Define foundation Settlement. Also state various causes of it. [6]

**OR**

- Q.4 a) Explain in brief the need of Automation in construction Industry. [4]

b) State Comparison between Framed Structure and Load Bearing Structure. [6]

c) Draw a neat sketch of the following : [6]

1) Pile foundation

2) Combined Footing

Q.5 a) What is Map? State various types of Map. Explain any one in brief. [5]

b) What is GPS? Explain in brief the various components of GPS [5]

c) Write a short note on Digital Planimeter [4]

d) Define the following terms used in levelling [4]

1) Reduced Level 2) Change point 3) Level Line

4) Height of instrument.

**OR**

Q.6 a) Define Surveying. state fundamental principles of surveying. [5]

Explain any one in brief.

b) What is Total station. State any four use of Total station. [3]

c) Write in detail the Stepwise procedure of levelling of dumpy level [4]

d) The following consecutive readings were taken with a dumpy [6]

level and 4 m levelling staff, 0.760, 0.900, 1.430, 1.750, 0.500,  
1.750, 1.525, 0.850, 1.800.

The level was shifted after 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> reading. The first reading taken on a B.M of R.L. 100.00 m calculate the Reduced Levels of all stations by using collimation plane method. Apply usual arithmetic check.

## SECTION -II

- Q.7 a) Enlist any four natural resources. Explain in brief the necessity of conserving natural resources. [4]
- b) Explain in brief the Biotic and A Biotic components of ecosystem [4]
- c) Write a short note no: [8]
- 1) Carbon Cycle
  - 2) E- waste

**OR**

- Q.8 a) What is EIA. State various methods of carrying out EIA. Explain any one in brief. [4]
- b) What do you mean by sustainable development. What techniques/ methods are used to achieve it. [4]
- c) Write a short note on: [8]
- 1) Solid waste management
  - 2) Hydrological Cycle

- Q.9 a) Explain in brief the necessity of building bye-laws. [4]
- b) Explain with a neat sketch the following: [4]
- 1) Circulation
  - 2) Elegance
- c) A owner wants to constructs a three storeyed building on a plot of size 30 m x 30 m. The Built up area on Ground floor is 400 m<sup>2</sup> and First floor is 350 m<sup>2</sup>. How much area can be construct on second floor if the permissible FSI is 1.2 [4]
- d) Write a short note on use of Ecofriendly materials in construction. [4]

Q.10 a) Distinguish between Aspect and Prospect [4]

b) Write a short note on Green Building. [4]

c) Determine the carpet area per floor of a two storeyed building [4]

from the following data :

1) Plot Area = 1200 m<sup>2</sup>

2) F.S.I. allowed = 1.0

3) Ratio of carpet area to built up area = 0.75 Assum equal built up area on each floor.

d) Write note on set back distance. [4]

Q.11 a) Write short notes of following : [18]

1) Land Pollution

2) Green House Effect

3) Primary and secondary air Pollutants

4) Water Pollution

**OR**

Q.12 a) Write short notes on following : [18]

1) Global warming

2) Conventional Sources of energy

3) Wind Energy

4) Solar Energy