

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**

M.E Sem-II Examination July 2010

Subject code: 721902

Subject Name: Transportation Planning

Date: 06 /07 /2010

Time: 11.00am – 1.30pm

Total Marks: 60

**Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Explain land-use transportation cycle with flow chart. **06**  
 (b) What is Four Stage Method of Transportation planning? Explain with examples. **06**

- Q.2** (a) What is trip? Explain significant factors in trip generation. Explain trip generation models. **06**  
 (b) Explain different structures (single hub, multi-hub and point-to-point) of air transport service supply. **06**

**OR**

- (b) Explain three levels of planning: strategic, tactical and project. **06**

- Q.3** (a) Explain intervening opportunity model for trip interchanges. **06**  
 (b) The number of trips produced in and attracted to three zones 1,2 and 3 are tabulated below: **06**

Zones	1	2	3	Total
O <sub>i</sub>	14	33	28	75
D <sub>j</sub>	33	28	14	75
Zonal L factors	0.04	0.02	0.04	-

The order of closeness of the zones is given as

i\j	1	2	3
1	1	2	3
2	2	1	3
3	3	1	2

Distribute the trips between the zones using intervening opportunity model.

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) Explain, Growth Factor Models of Trip Distribution with appropriate formulae. **06**  
 (b) Compute trip distribution from the observed trip matrix and future trips given below. Use average growth factor model. **06**

i\j	1	2	3	4
1	-	25	50	25
2	25	-	150	75
3	50	150	-	200
4	25	75	200	-

The future trips forecasted zone wise are given as:

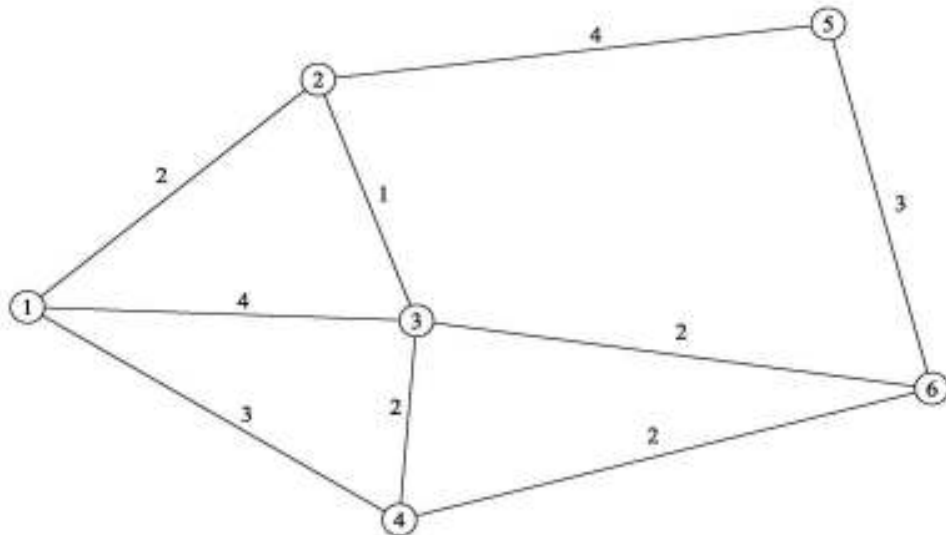
Zone	1	2	3	4
Forecasted trips	300	1000	800	300

**Q.4 (a)** Write note on following method of traffic assignment (any three)

**06**

- I. Diversion curves
- II. The Bureau of Public Roads(BPR) Method
- III. California Curves
- IV. Detroit Method

**(b)** Explain All-or-Nothing Techniques for traffic assignment. Find shortest path in the network below. Values on links are travel times in minutes. **06**



**OR**

**Q.4 (a)** Explain the basic difference between long term (Strategic) planning versus short or medium term Transportation System Management(TSM). **06**

**(b)** Explain, with flow chart, bottom-up approach for comprehensive Airport System Plan (NPIAS). **06**

**Q.5 (a)** Explain two-stage Mode-Split model with flow chart. **06**

**(b)** Consider the following Mode choice and Utility Models and based on calibration constants given in table below, compute the probability of mode choice for transit and automobile. **06**

$$\text{Mode choice model } P(m, M) = \frac{e^{U_m}}{\sum_{m' \in M} e^{U_{m'}}}$$

$$\text{Utility model } U_m = \theta_m + \theta_1 t_m + \theta_2 \frac{x_m}{d} + \theta_3 \frac{C_m}{y}$$

Calibration Constants:  $\theta_A = -0.13$ ,  $\theta_1 = -0.03$ ,  $\theta_2 = -0.34$ ,  $\theta_3 = -50$ .

$d$  = Distance one way = 7.25,  $y$  = Annual income = 5000 units.

Attributes	Automobile (A)	Transit (T)
$t_m$ = in vehicle time ( one way)	11.3	14.0
$x_m$ = out of vehicle time ( one way)	5.0	8.0
$C_m$ = out of pocket cost (one way)	122.5	50.0

**OR**

**Q.5 (a)** Derive equation for generated traffic using Gravity Model. **06**

**(b)** Explain Wilson Entropy Maximization Model for Trip Distribution. **06**

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