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SECOND ATTEMPT EXAMINATION	
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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Answer ALL questions from Sections A and B, and any three (3) questions from Section C
- 2. Number your answers clearly.
- 3. The number of marks per each question or part question is given in square brackets []. These should guide you in the content of your answers.
- 4. This is a Closed Book Examination. No books or notes may be consulted during the exam.

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SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

Question 1

a. ITS in fleet management is called telematics

[2 marks]

- b. Electronic toll collection, congestion pricing and variable parking fees are all examples of Advanced Traffic Management Systems, (ATMS) [2 marks]
- c. Trip planning involves three main parts, that is pre-trip, on-trip and post trip [2 marks]
- d. Intelligent Transport Systems are applicable to the human, vehicle, and environmental parameters [2 marks]
- e. Intelligent Transport Systems architecture are consensus-based, voluntary and open [2 marks]
- f. Intelligent Transport System standards refer to the design standards for various ITS components [2 marks]
- g. Good quality pre trip information from advanced traveller information systems enables travellers achieve route optimization, fare maximisation, costs minimisation and travel time minimisation.
 [2 marks]
- h. Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) in commercial vehicle operations deal with efficiency and effectiveness of the service that is being provided and can increase passenger safety, as well.

 [2 marks]
- i. Adaptive traffic signal control, ramp metering and traffic operations centres are specific applications for advanced traffic management systems.
 [2 marks]
- i. The I.T.S architecture is derived from I.T.S standards

[2 marks]

Subtotal: 20 marks

SECTION B: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

Question 2

Select the correct answer, each correct answer carries 2 marks

- a) Which of the following is **not part** of Advanced Traffic Management Systems strategies?
 - A. Congestion management
 - B. Network management
 - C. Pre-trip and en-route advisory management
 - D. Corridor management
- b) Select the **odd** one out under ITS data requirements.
 - A. Data collection and collation
 - B. Data fixing and manipulation
 - C. Data analysis
 - D. Data presentation
- c) Data generated by automated passenger counters is utilized for the following, except
 - A. Demand forecasting
 - B. Crew scheduling
 - C. Vehicle scheduling
 - D. Load planning
 - E. All these are correct
- d) Select the **odd** one out.
 - A. Geometrical data
 - B. Signal control data
 - C. Loop detector data
 - D. Traffic data
 - E. None of these is odd
- e) Global Positioning Systems are utilized in the following areas, except
 - A. Commercial Vehicle Operations
 - B. Advanced Traffic Management Systems
 - C. Advanced Vehicle Control System
 - D. Advanced Traveller Information Systems
 - E. None of these
- f) Select the **odd** one out
 - A. Advanced Traveller Information Systems, (ATIS)
 - B. Vehicle to Infrastructure Integration (V2I) and Vehicle to Vehicle (V2V) Integration.
 - C. ITS enabled Transportation Marginal Costing Systems, (TMSC)
 - D. Advanced Traffic Management Systems, (ATMS)
 - E. None of these is odd

- g) Integrated Vehicle Health Monitoring Systems, (IVHMS) check the following aspects on a vehicle, **except**
 - A. Vehicle upholstery
 - B. Engine monitoring
 - C. Gearbox
 - D. Suspension loads and dynamics
 - E. All these are checked
- h) Variable Messaging Signs, (VMS) assist travellers with the following decisions, except
 - A. Departure time choice
 - B. Route choice
 - C. Lane choice
 - D. Vehicle choice
 - E. All these are correct
- i) The basic structure of an I.T.S constitute the following technologies, expect
 - A. Sensing technology
 - B. Positioning technology
 - C. Mapping technology
 - D. Telematics technology
 - E. Networking technology
- j) ITS seek to address the following problems, except
 - A. Rapid urbanisation
 - B. Rapid motorisation
 - C. Air pollution
 - D. Noise pollution
 - E. Global warming
 - F. All these are correct

Subtotal: 20 marks

SECTION C: ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS

Question 3

Analyze the benefits and challenges of implementing I.T.S in developing countries [20 marks]

Question 4

Examine the key processes required to set up an Advanced Traffic Management System

[20 marks]

Question 5

Explain the key elements under each of the following steps in trip planning of the Advanced Travel Information Systems, (ATIS)

i. Pre-trip [7 marks]

ii. On-trip [6 marks]

iii. Post-trip [7 marks]

Subtotal: 20 marks

Question 6

Write short notes on the following layers of I.T.S

i. Transportation layer [8 marks]

ii. Communication layer [6 marks]

iii. Institutional layer [6 marks]

Subtotal: 20 marks

Question 7

Discuss the scope and goals of Incident Management Strategies (IMS) [20 marks]

TOTAL:100 MARKS

END OF QUESTION PAPER



