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Subject: Highway Design

Class: 3rd

Branch: Highway and Bridges Eng. Branch

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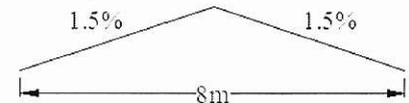
Note: Attempt four questions only including question (1)

Q1: Determine the elevations of CL, Right edge, and Left edge of a carriageway from Station (32+40) to Station (34+50) every 10m and at the control points (T.S, S.C) if you know that:

- Length of transition spiral curve = 150m.

- Superelevation rate = 5%

- Cross section of the carriageway is: 



- Station of T.S = 32+95 and its elevation = 40m.

- The roadway has an adjacent grade of -2% from station

30+00 to station 32+00, and a grade of -1% from station 32+00 to station 33+00, and a grade of +1% from station 33+00 to station 35+00 without using a vertical curve.

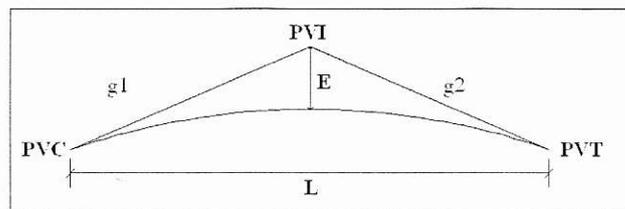
- The rotation of the roadway is about centerline.

- Use **three** digits of precision for elevation values, e.g. (40.000).

(25 marks)

Q2: (a) For the symmetrical vertical curve shown below, prove that $E=(A*L/8)$.

(15 marks)



(b) A simple circular curve has a length of 122m with 119m chord length. Determine all elements of this curve. (10 marks)

Q3: A compound horizontal curve having the following data: $R_1=400$, $R_2=600m$, $\Delta_1=10^\circ$, $\Delta_2=15^\circ$, Station of PI=70+00. Calculate the total deflection angle every 10m along this curve. (25 marks)

Q4: For an earthwork construction of a highway section, the following data has been obtained:

Station	0	4	7	11	13	16	20
Cum. Vol. (m ³)	0	-400	-500	+300	+300	-100	-500

Assuming that the cost of overhaul = 1000 ID/m³.station, cost of borrow = 5000 ID/m³, freehaul distance = 300m. Draw MHD and the longitudinal profile of the highway and find the following: (25 marks)

(a) Freehaul volume, (b) Overhaul volume, (c) Waste volume, (d) Borrow volume, (e) Limit of Economic Haul.

Q5: According to the Iraqi Highway Design Manual: (25 marks)

a- What are the types of pavement markings? Draw two types with dimensions. (6 marks)

b- What are the locations of using the warning traffic signs? Draw three warning signs and write the color of each sign part on the drawings. (6 marks)

c- Draw the fill side slopes of an embankment below a roadway if you know that the difference between them is 9m. (7 marks)

d- What are the locations of installing guardrails? (6 marks)

Good Luck...