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End Semester Examination, May 2023			
Course: Safety in Rail & Road Transport Semester: V			
Program: B Tech- Fire & Safety EngineeringTime : 03		3 hrs.	
Course Code: HSFS4003 Max. Mar			
Instructions:			
SECTION A			
(5Qx4M=20Marks)			
Sr. No.	Questions	Marks	со
Q 1	Name the various component of the track.	4	CO1
Q 2	Enumerate the physical road user characteristics.	4	CO2
Q 3	Explain the factor affecting the choice of gauge.	4	CO2
Q 4	Differentiate psychological and environmental road user characteristics	4	CO3
Q 5	Brief the functions of rail track.	4	CO1
SECTION B			
(4Qx10M= 40 Marks)			
Q 6	Explain the cause or reasons for rail failures in Indian Railways.	10	CO4
Q 7	Discuss sight distance and its types. Also, discuss the factors affecting the sight distance.	10	CO2
Q 8	Being an expert, suggest the important consideration while planning and design of gradient,		
	OR	10	CO3
	Wear and tear of rails are major concerns for the Indian Railways, Discuss in detail of cause of wear and tear of rails.		
Q 9	Calculate safe SSD on a level road stretch for a design speed of 50kmph for; (a)Two-way traffic in		
-	two-lane road (b)Two-way traffic in single lane road		CO5
	Assume the coefficient of friction is 0.37 and the reaction time of the driver as 2.5 seconds.	10	000
SECTION-C			
(2Qx20M=40 Marks)			
Q 10	Defend the application or usage of signaling in Indian Railways. Discuss the objective and types of		
	signals.	30	COA
	OR Do the assessment of various sleepers used in the Indian railways and conclude with the best-suited	20	CO4
	requirements with respect to safety.		
Q 11	Based on the real condition evaluation of roadside incidences in India, highlight the safety measures	20	
	adopted in the last five decades for minimizing road accidents.		CO2

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