

**INDIAN MARITIME UNIVERSITY**  
(A Central University, Government of India)

**End Semester Examination December 2017**

**Programme: B.Sc (Nautical Science)**

**Semester: I**

**Subject Name: Terrestrial Navigation**

**Subject Code: UG21T3106**

**Date: 18.12.2017**

**Maximum Marks: 70**

**Time: 3 Hrs**

**Pass Marks: 35**

**Note: Norrie's Nautical Table, Nautical Almanac and Non-programmable Scientific calculator is permitted. Outline World map to be provided by Examination centre.**

**Section – A**

**Question No 1 is Compulsory**

**5 x 2 = 10 Marks.**

1. Define the following :
  - a. Departure, b. Nautical mile, c. Great Circle, d. Equator,
  - e. Geographical Mile.

**Section – B**

**Answer any five out of eight questions, 5 x 12 = 60 marks**

2. Find the Position arrived if the starting position is  
Latitude  $10^{\circ} 20.0' N$  Longitude  $060^{\circ} 20' E$  Course  $155^{\circ} (T)$   
Distance 300 NM.
3. Explain with simple diagram Gnomonic Projection and the Mercator projection and compare its advantages and the disadvantages.
4. Find by Mercator Sailing, the course and distance between the positions:  
From:            Latitude  $24^{\circ} 00' N$             Longitude  $074^{\circ} 15' W$   
  
To:                Latitude  $46^{\circ} 00' N$             Longitude  $053^{\circ} 45' W$ .
5. A vessel sailed from lat  $27^{\circ} 12' N$ , long  $178^{\circ} 42' E$  doing 15kts by engines. She steered  $067^{\circ}(C)$ , {Dev. $3^{\circ} E$ }, for 10 hours. Course was then altered to  $096^{\circ} (C)$  {Dev. $1^{\circ} E$ } and this course was maintained for 8 hours. Thereafter she steered,  $230^{\circ} (C)$ , {Dev. $3^{\circ} W$ } for

another 6 hours. Find the position arrived, if she experienced a current setting  $324^\circ$  (T) at 2.5 knots throughout. Variation  $7^\circ$  W, throughout.

6. Find the Initial Course, Final Course, distance along the great circle track.

From: Latitude  $30^\circ 20.0'S$  Longitude  $142^\circ 45.0'W$

To: Latitude  $50^\circ 40.0'S$  Longitude  $170^\circ 30.0'E$ .

7. Find the Initial Course, Final Course, distance along the Composite circle track.

From: Latitude  $45^\circ 54.0'S$  Longitude  $170^\circ 45.0'E$

To: Latitude  $49^\circ 06.0'S$  Longitude  $075^\circ 50.0'W$ . Max lat  $55^\circ S$ .

8.

- a. Define Variation and Deviation (4)
- b. Explain Vertex on a great circle track (4)
- c. If Compass Error is  $5^\circ$  (W) Dev is  $5^\circ$  (E) then how much is the Variation? (2)
- d. If the Variation is  $13^\circ$  (E) Compass Error is  $13^\circ$  (E) what is the Deviation? (2)

9. Indicate the following on the world map :- (12x1 =12marks)

English Channel, Mediterranean Sea, Black sea, Red sea, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Aden, Wider Caribbean region, Strait of Gibraltar, Great Barrier Reef, Gulf of Mannar, Panama Canal, Suez Canal

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