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**1<sup>st</sup> INTERNAL EXAMINATION**  
**Diploma 5<sup>th</sup> Semester (Civil)**  
**Subject: R&BE**

**Time:1 hr 30 minutes**

**Total Marks:20**

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- a) Define permanent way with sketch?
- b) Write the advantages of railway?
- c) What do you mean by super elevation or cant?
- d) What is gauge ? What are different type of gauge used in I.R ?
- e) A locomotive has an axle load of 20 tones? Determine the weight of the rail section?
- f) What is creep of rail ?What are the different theories of creep?

**PART-B**

**Q2. Answer any two question. (5X2=10)**

- a) Explain different type f rail joints with diagram?
- b) Describe the function & requirement of rails?

**OR**

**Describe the function & requirement of sleepers?**

- c) Explain different types of rails with diagram. Describe the advantages and disadvantages of each type?



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- (1) Answer any five from the following questions.
- (2) Define permanent way with sketch?
- (3) Write the advantages of railway?
- (4) What do you mean by superelevation or cant?  
Draw a diagram of cant?
- (5) What is gauge? What are the different types of gauge used in P.R?
- (6) A locomotive has an axle load of 20 tonnes.  
Determine the weight of the rail section?
- (7) What is sleepers of rail? What are the different theories of sleepers?
- (8) Answer the following
- (a) Explain different type of rail joints with diagram?
- (b) Describe the functions & requirements of sleepers?  
OR  
Describe the function & requirements of sleepers
- (c) Explain different types of rails with diagram.  
Describe the advantages & disadvantages of each types?

(b) Ans// the railway practical all over the world  
Railway are cheap communication &  
cheapest & ~~compostable~~  
easy to transport ~~any~~ material

(c) Ans//  $\frac{\text{weight of the rail}}{\text{locomotive axle load}} = \frac{1}{50}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{50} \times 26 = 0.05 \quad (2)$$

the weight of the rail section is 0.05

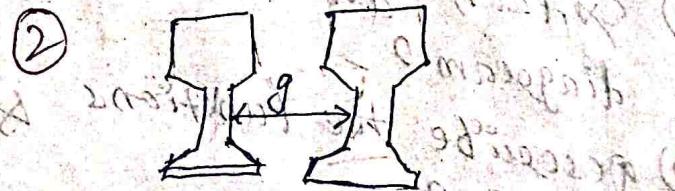
(d) Ans// the gauge is defined as a clear  
distance between the inner rail  
of two rails

there are three types of gauge

i) broad gauge

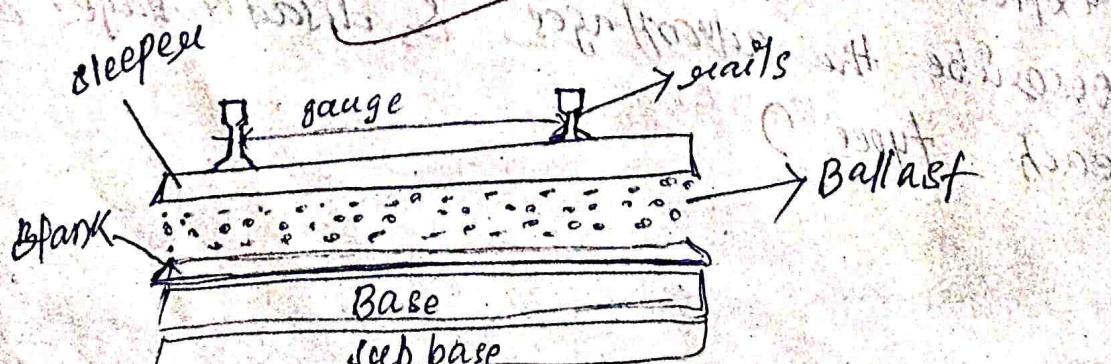
ii) metric gauge

iii) narrow gauge.



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(e) Ans// A permanent is a combination of sleepers  
ballast, rails.



(C) ANSI OR are counteract affect the centrifugal force  
the level of the outer rail is raised above the inner rail  
by a certain amount to introduce the centripetal force. This  
raised elevation of outer rail above the inner rail of a  
horizontal curve is called superelevation.

(Q) QANSI there are three types of rail

① double headed

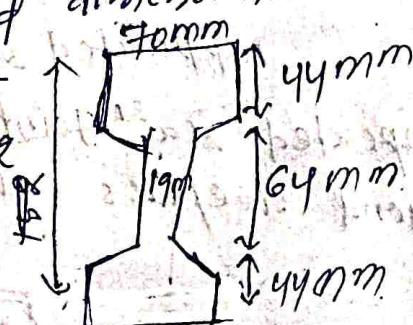
② bull headed

③ flat footed rail

① double headed rail

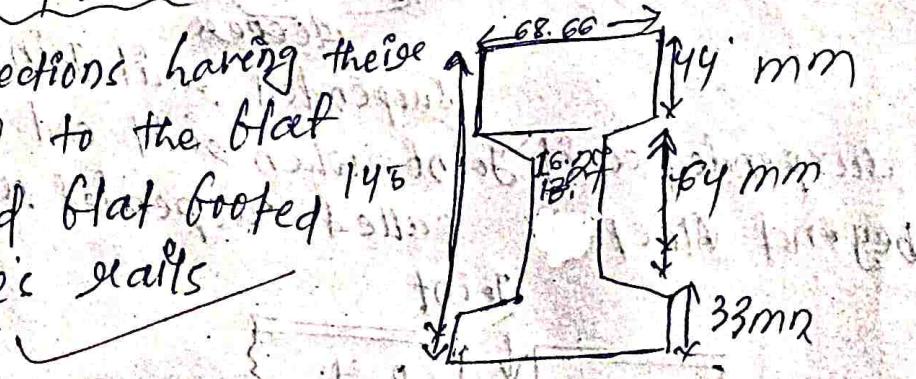
whose head are the same dimension this is  
called double headed rail.

→ the rail section whose head dimensions are  
more than that of their foot  
are called bull headed rail.



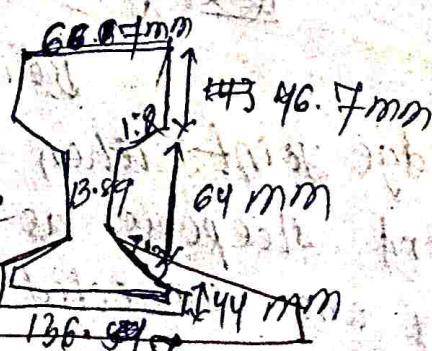
② Bull head rail

→ the rail sections having their  
foot rolled to the flat  
are called flat footed  
or vignole's rails



③ flat footed rail

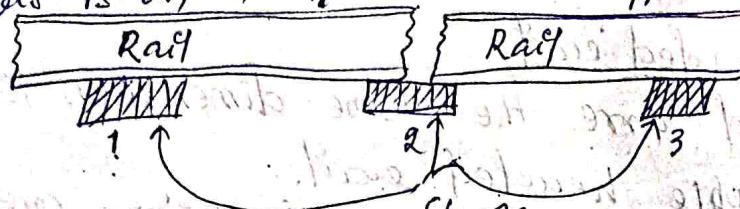
→ the sleepers are the  
transverse members of the  
track placed below the  
rails to support and fix them in position.



(a) Ans/ there are 10 types of rail joints

- (1) supported rail joint
- (2) unsupported rail joint
- (3) bridge rail joint
- (4) base rail joint.
- (5) Even rail joint

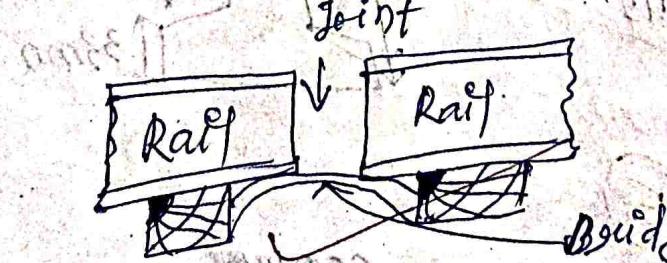
(6) supported rail joints:- when the rail ends rest on a single sleeper called a "Joint sleeper", if it terminates "unsupported joint" the duplex joint sleeper with other sleepers is an example of the supported joint.



~~supported rail joint~~ supported rail joint. when rail ends are projected beyond sleepers called "overhanging sleeper joint"



~~suspended rail joint~~ suspended rail joint. when rail end are projected beyond sleepers called suspended rail joint.



~~Bridge joint~~

~~Bridge joint~~ bridge joint. when the rail ends are projected beyond sleepers, as in case of suspended joint and they are connected by a flat flat or corrugated plate called a "bridge plate".

Base joint. this is similar to the bridge joint. with the difference that the inner fish plates are of bar type and outer fish plates are of the special angle type. in which the horizontal leg is further extended over the sleepers to be bolted to both bridge plate and sleepers.

(5)



Even Joint: in this also the position of gear joint is the basis of its nomenclature, the joints of one gear track are directly opposite to the joints of other gear track.

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- b) What is ballast?
- c) What is boxing and ballast crib?
- d) What is creep ?What are the theory of creep?
- e) What are the different type of rail joint?

**PART-B**

**Q2. Answer the following question. (5x2=10)**

- a) Explain the function and requirement of ballast?

**OR**

**Explain the function and requirement of sleeper?**

- b) Explain the function of components of a permanent way with a leveling sketch?

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1) Answer the following questions? (2x5=10 marks)

(a) Define gauge of a railway? mention different types of gauge?

(b) what is ballast?

(c) what is 'Boxing & Ballast crib'?

(d) what is creep? what are the theories of creep?

(e) what are the different types of rail joint

2) Answer the question:- (5x2=10 marks)

(a) Explain the functions & requirements of Ballast

(b) Explain the functions & requirements of sleepers

(c) Explain the functions of components of a permanent way with a leveling sketch?

(C) Ans (i) Boxing: - for process of filling the ballast around the sleeper is called boxing of the ballast, this ballast boxes the sleeper.

(ii) Ballast crib: - the loose ballast between the two adjacent sleepers is known as ballast crib.

(b) Ans (ii) the sleepers are bedded and packed with granular materials such as broken stones, gravel etc. which is known as ballast.

(a) Ans (iii) the gauge of the railway track is the clear minimum vertical distance or the spacing between the inner side of the rails two rails.

there are three types of railway gauge used in India.

(a) Broad Gauge (B.G.)

(b) meter Gauge (M.G.)

(c) Narrow Gauge (N.G.)

(e) ~~ARE~~ the following types of joints are commonly used by Indian and foreign railways.

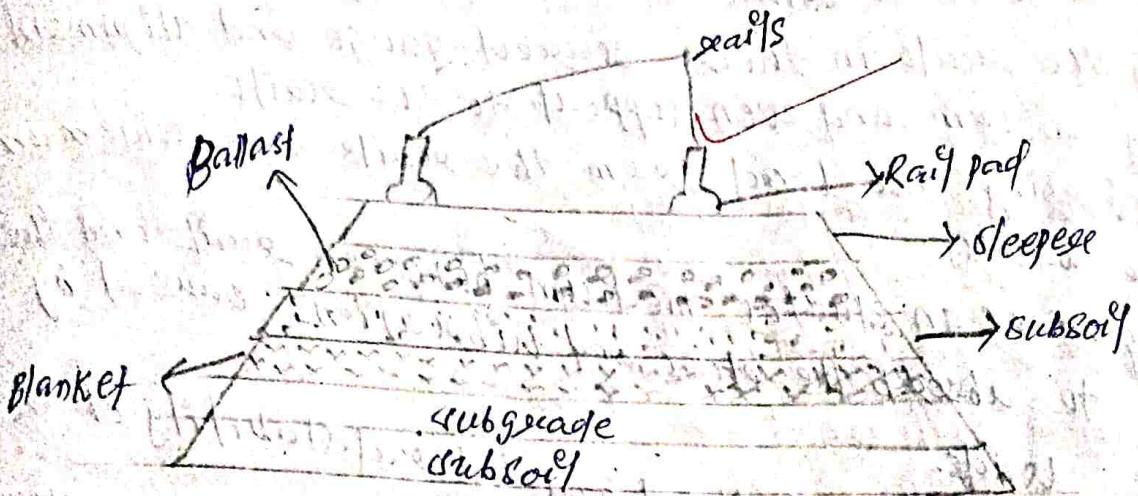
- (1) Supported rail joints
- (2) Suspended rail joint
- (3) Bridge joint
- (4) Base joint
- (5) Welded rail joints
- (6) staggered or broken joint
- (7) Square or even joint (2)
- (8) Compromised joint
- (9) Insulated joint
- (10) Expansion joint

(g) Ans<sup>n</sup> creep is defined as the longitudinal movement of rails with respect to sleepers in a track. Creep is common to all railway tracks but varies in magnitude considerably. The rail in some place moves by ~~several~~ centimeters in a month while in other locations the movement of rails may be negligible. It is observed that the rails have tendency to move gradually in the direction of dominant风 (wind).

Theories of creep: Various theories are propounded to explain the different causes of creep but none of them gives the precise picture for real cause (root cause) of creep in rails. The various theories propounded for explaining the probable causes of creep in rails are described in following paragraph.

- (a) Ans/ functions and requirements of sleeper the main functions of sleepers are as follows.
- (a) holding the rails in their correct gauge and alignment
  - (b) giving a firm and even support to the rails
  - (c) transmitting the load from the rails to a wider area of the ballast.
  - (d) Acting as an elastic medium between rails and the ballast to absorb the blows and vibrations caused by moving loads.
  - (e) preventing longitudinal and lateral stability of the permanent way.
  - (f) Providing the means to rectify the track geometry during their service life. Against from performing these functions the ideal sleeper should normally fulfil. The following requirements
- (a) the official as well as maintenance cost should be minimum
- (b) the weight of the sleeper and the fastenings should be such that it is convenient to handle.
- (c) the design of the sleeper and the fastenings should be such that it is possible to fix and remove the rail easily.
- (d) the sleeper should have sufficient bearing area so that the ballast under it is not crushed.
- (e) the sleeper should be such that it is possible to maintain and adjust the gauge properly.
- (f) the material of the sleeper and its design should be such that it does not break or get damaged during packing.
- (g) the design of the sleeper should be such that it is possible to have track circuiting.
- (h) the sleeper should be capable of resisting vibrations and shocks caused by the passage of fast moving trains.

(b) Any component of a permanent way.



(i) subgrade (ii) Ballast (iii) sleepers (iv) rails (v) fixtures & fastening  
in a permanent way. rails are joined either by welding or  
By using fish plates and are fixed with sleepers by  
using different types of fastening. sleepers are properly  
placed and packed with ballast. ballast is placed on the  
function of the prepared subgrade called formation  
function of components of permanent way.

functions of sleepers:

- (i) to hold the rails to proper gauge
- (ii) to transfer the loads from rails to the ballast
- (iii) to support and fix the rails in proper position
- (iv) to keep the rails at a proper level in straight tracks and at proper gauge elevation on curves
- (v) to provide elasticity to the permanent way on the ballast
- (vi) to provide stability to the permanent way on the whole.

functions of ballast:

- (i) to hold the sleepers in position and preventing the lateral and longitudinal movement
- (ii) to distribute the axle load uniformly from sleepers to a large area of formation
- (iii) to provide elasticity to the track. it acts as a

- elastic mat between subgrade and sleepers.
- (ii) To provide easy means of maintaining the correct levels of the tie rails in a track
  - (iii) To retain grain water from the track.
  - (iv) Functions of fixture and fastening:
  - (v) To joint the rails end to end to form full length of track

- To fix the rails to sleepers
- (i) To maintain the correct alignment of the track
  - (ii) To provide proper expansion gap between rails
  - (iii) To provide the required tilt of rails.

#### functions of rails:

- (i) Rail provide a continuous and level surface for the movement of the trains with minimum friction with steel wheels of the rolling stock
- (ii) Rail provide strength - durability and lateral guidance to the track.



#### functions of subgrade:

The base course and subgrade are structural elements of the pavements. in conjunction with the overlying asphalt of the pavements. their purpose is to distribute traffic load over the whole foundation. to perform this function. you build the base course and subgrade with the necessary internal strength properties in this respect. full-depth asphalt pavements have a special advantage over pavements with granular bases.

Asphalt pavements layers both tensile and compressive strength to resist internal stresses.

Magnitude