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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:

DIPLOMA IN NAUTICAL SCIENCE

ANS 2201 : ELECTRONIC NAVIGATION SYS & MARINE INSTRUMENTS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: DECEMBER 2016

TIME: 2 HOURS

DATE: Pick Date Dec 2016

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question ONE

- a) Define the following terms **(10 Marks)**
- i. Navigation
 - ii. C/A code
 - iii. Loran C
 - iv. Hyperbolic Navigation
 - v. S/A
- b) Discuss the effect of Selective Availability to GPS position accuracy **(10 Marks)**

Question TWO

Discuss with appropriate illustrations the composition of the GPS, as a system **(20 Marks)**

Question THREE

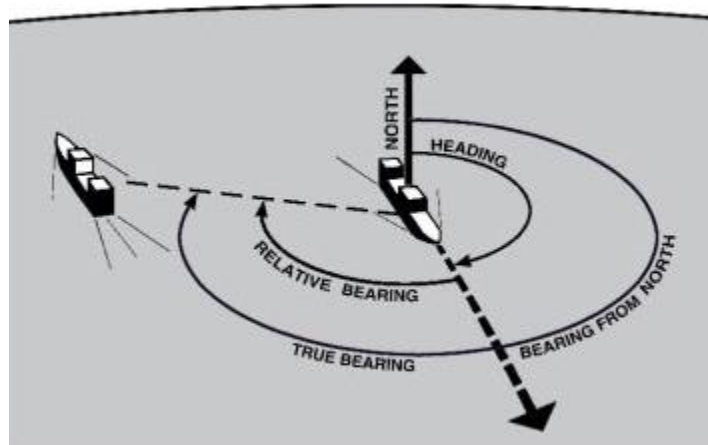
Discuss in details the following coordinate concepts

- i. Latitude (Lat.) (5 Marks)
- ii. Difference of latitude (DLat.) (5 Marks)
- iii. The middle or mid-latitude (L_m) (5 Marks)
- iv. Great-circle distance (5 Marks)

Question FOUR

Using the illustration below, discuss the concept of bearing and directions.

(20 Marks)



Question FIVE

Discuss in brief the following navigation

- a) Dead reckoning (DR) (5 marks)
- b) Celestial navigation (5marks)
- c) Radar navigation. (5 marks)
- d) Satellite navigation (5 marks)