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Diploma in Electrical Power Engineering

***ILLUMINATION
EEP 2306***

**SERIES: APRIL/MAY 2019
TIME: 2 HOURS**

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

Answer any THREE of the FIVE questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question ONE

(a) Define:

- (i). lumen
- (ii). Lux
- (iii). Depreciation factor
- (iv). Luminous flux

(8 marks)

- (b) The front of a building 35×18 m is illuminated by 15 lamps; the wattage of each lamp is 80 W. The lamps are arranged so that uniform illumination on the surface is obtained. Assuming a luminous efficiency of 20 lumens/W, the coefficient of utilization is 0.8, the waste light factor is 1.25, $DF = 0.9$. Determine the illumination on the surface.

(12marks)

Question TWO

- (a) State the Two laws of illumination (4 marks)
- (b) Explain the STROBOSCOPIC EFFECT for discharge lamps. (4 marks)
- (c) A living room 8m long and 5m wide is to be illuminated with 100W tungsten filament Lamps to the level of 120 lm/m^2 . The lamps have a efficiency of 12 lm/w. The coefficient of utilization is 0.7 and the maintenance factor is 0.75. How many 100w lamps will be required? (12 marks)

Question THREE

(a) Define:

- (i). Illumination
- (ii). Brightness
- (iii). Reflection factor
- (iv). Diffusing lighting

(8 marks)

- (b) A pathway is illuminated by two lamps A and B having a luminous intensity of 200 candelas and 250 candelas mounted on lamp post at a height of 8M and 10M respectively. The lampposts are erected 40M along the pathway. Determine the illumination on the pathway half way between the two posts.

(12 marks)

QuestionFOUR

- (a) State FOUR lighting schemes. (4 marks)
- (b) Define a luminaire. (2 marks)
- (c) State the requirements in the design of a lighting scheme. (4 marks)
- (d) A lamp having a luminous intensity of 720 cd is fixed 6M above a working plane
Calculate the illumination:
 - (i). At point A vertically below the lamp
 - (ii). At a point B 6m from point A on the same horizontal plane(10 marks)

Question FIVE

- (a) Define the following terms:
 - (i). Glare
 - (ii). Maintenance factor
 - (iii). Space height ratio
 - (iv). Utilisation factor(8 marks)
- (b). State THREE factors affecting the value of utilization factor. (3 marks)
- (c) Explain the following:
 - (i). Semi direct lighting systems
 - (ii). Semi indirect lighting system
 - (iii) Polar curves
 - (iv) colour rendering
 - (v) cavity reflectance(9 marks)