

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2023****Subject Code:3160617****Date:14-07-2023****Subject Name:Construction Equipment and Automation****Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

- Q.1** (a) Define: Scrap values, Obsolescence and Depreciation **03**  
(b) List the different construction equipment. **04**  
(c) What are the uses of power shovels? Describe basic parts and operation, giving with neat sketch. **07**

- Q.2** (a) Give classification of construction equipment. **03**  
(b) What are the importance of construction equipment in construction industry? **04**  
(c) What are the different types of mobile cranes? Describe any two mobile cranes with sketch. **07**

**OR**

- (c) Discuss in detail the factors affecting the selection of construction equipment. **07**

- Q.3** (a) What are the benefits of automation? **03**  
(b) Explain the advantages and disadvantages of automation. **04**  
(c) What is 3D printing? Explain advantages of 3D printing. **07**

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) Define automation. Write need of automation. **03**  
(b) Write short note on automation in highway. **04**  
(c) Explain working of 3D scanner for surveying. **07**

- Q.4** (a) What is robotic demolition in construction? **03**  
(b) Write the uses of robots in construction industry. **04**  
(c) Explain the automation in concrete technology. **07**

**OR**

- Q.4** (a) How robotics could change the future of construction? **03**  
(b) Explain benefits of robots in construction industry. **04**  
(c) Explain in detail the canal hydraulic properties for automation. **07**

- Q.5** (a) Give the full form of DRONE. Explain drone mapping. **03**  
(b) Explain real time data and structural health monitoring survey using drones. **04**  
(c) Explain Building Information Modelling. **07**

**OR**

- Q.5** (a) What are the uses of virtual reality technologies? **03**  
(b) Explain the concept of virtual reality technology. **04**  
(c) What is photogrammetry? Explain advantages of using drone in photogrammetry? **07**

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