

Enrollment No.....



**Faculty of Engineering**  
**End Sem (Even) Examination May-2019**  
**AU3CO14 Vehicle Body Engineering**

Programme: B.Tech.

Branch/Specialisation: AU

**Duration: 3 Hrs.****Maximum Marks: 60**

Note: All questions are compulsory. Internal choices, if any, are indicated. Answers of Q.1 (MCQs) should be written in full instead of only a, b, c or d.

- Q.1 i. The following vehicle is an example of station wagon: 1  
 (a) Maruti Alto (b) Tata Indica  
 (c) Honda Mobilio (d) Hyundai Creta
- ii. The panel below bottom of doors and supports the door are: 1  
 (a) Sills (b) Pillers (c) Firewall (d) Cant Panel
- iii. Following bus has capacity of max 35 passengers plus driver: 1  
 (a) Micro Bus (b) Midi Bus (c) Mini Bus (d) Standard Bus
- iv. The minimum width of a seat cushion measured from the vertical plane passing through the centre of that seating position is: 1  
 (a) Seat Pitch (b) Seat Spacing  
 (c) Seat Base Height (d) Seat Width
- v. Galvanizing is the process of coating steel with: 1  
 (a) Aluminium (b) Nickel  
 (c) Magnesium (d) Zinc
- vi. Following reacts to form the films and binds the pigments together to the surface of body: 1  
 (a) Additives (b) Binders  
 (c) Thinners (d) None of these
- vii. Angular oscillation of the vehicle about the longitudinal axis is called: 1  
 (a) Yawing (b) Pitching (c) Rolling (d) None of these
- viii. The pressure difference from top to bottom of the vehicle causes: 1  
 (a) Profile Drag (b) Lift Drag  
 (c) Surface Drag (d) Interference Drag
- ix. 'Head restraints' are an 1  
 (a) Automotive style feature (b) Automotive safety feature  
 (c) Automotive performance feature (d) None of these

- x. Why 'Crumple Zones' are used in vehicles? 1  
 (a) To improve the aerodynamics of a car  
 (b) To increase the engine performance  
 (c) To absorb the impact and safeguard the occupants in case of collision  
 (d) None of these

- Q.2 i. List the importance of vehicle body engineering. 2  
 ii. Define drip Moulding, Fenders and Cant panel of car. 3  
 iii. Explain classification of passenger car with sketches. 5
- OR iv. Explain in detail various loads acting on vehicle body. 5
- Q.3 i. Define Single Deck and Articulated Bus. 2  
 ii. Explain classification of bus bodies with sketches. 8
- OR iii. What are the parameters to be considered while designing driver's seat of a bus? 8
- Q.4 i. List the uses of FRP in vehicle body. 3  
 ii. Explain the properties and usage of various body materials. 7
- OR iii. Explain painting process carried out for a car with sketch. 7
- Q.5 i. Define aerodynamics and drag force. 4  
 ii. Explain various types of drag force and its contribution towards overall drag force on a vehicle. 6
- OR iii. Explain the constructional and operational details of wind tunnel. 6
- Q.6 Attempt any two: 5  
 i. Explain various trim items used in a car. 5  
 ii. Briefly explain major and minor body repairs of a car. 5  
 iii. Draw and explain typical window winding mechanism. 5

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**Marking Scheme**  
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Q.1	i.	The following vehicle is an example of station wagon: (c) Honda Mobilio	1
	ii.	The panel below bottom of doors and supports the door are: (a) Sills	1
	iii.	Following bus has capacity of max 35 passengers plus driver: (b) Midi Bus	1
	iv.	The minimum width of a seat cushion measured from the vertical plane passing through the centre of that seating position is: (d) Seat Width	1
	v.	Galvanizing is the process of coating steel with: (d) Zinc	1
	vi.	Following reacts to form the films and binds the pigments together to the surface of body: (b) Binders	1
	vii.	Angular oscillation of the vehicle about the longitudinal axis is called: (c) Rolling	1
	viii.	The pressure difference from top to bottom of the vehicle causes: (b) Lift Drag	1
	ix.	'Head restraints' are an (b) Automotive safety feature	1
	x.	Why 'Crumple Zones' are used in vehicles? (c) To absorb the impact and safeguard the occupants in case of collision	1
Q.2	i.	Any four importance of vehicle body engineering.	2
	ii.	Drip Moulding	1 mark
		Fenders	1 mark
		Cant panel of car.	1 mark
	iii.	Classification of passenger car	3 marks
		Sketches.	2 marks
OR	iv.	Various loads acting on vehicle body.	5
Q.3	i.	Single Deck bus	1 mark
		Articulated Bus.	1 mark
	ii.	Classification of bus bodies with explanation	4 marks
		Sketches	4 marks
OR	iii.	Parameters to be considered while designing driver's seat of a bus	8

Q.4	i.	Uses of FRP in vehicle body.		3
	ii.	Properties of various body materials	3.5 marks	7
OR		Usage of various body materials	3.5 marks	
	iii.	Explanation of painting process	5 marks	7
		Sketch.	2 marks	
Q.5	i.	Aerodynamics	2 marks	4
		Drag force	2 marks	
	ii.	Types of drag force	5 marks	6
OR		Contribution towards overall drag force	1 mark	
	iii.	Wind tunnel		6
		Constructional	3 marks	
		Operational	3 marks	
Q.6		Attempt any two:		
	i.	Various trim items used in a car.		5
	ii.	Major and minor body repairs of a car.		5
	iii.	Typical window winding mechanism.		5
		Explanation	3 marks	
		Sketch	2 marks	

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