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Programme	:	04001 MSc/PgD in Geomatics (Geographic Information Systems/Surveying)			
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Time Allowed	:	3 hours	Subject Examiner(s)	:	Dr. Wei Yao (LSGI)

This question paper has a total of 5 pages.

Instructions to Candidates: **This is a take-home examination.**

This paper has **SEVEN** questions.

Answer **ALL** questions.

Questions carry marks as indicated.

Total marks = 40

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Question 1

- (a) Distinguish the operation principles of Airborne Laser Scanning (ALS), Mobile Laser Scanning (MLS) and Terrestrial Laser Scanning (TLS) (3marks)
- (b) State 5 differences between LiDAR and Photogrammetry (1.5 marks)
- (c) List 6 applications of LiDAR (1.5 marks)

Question 2

Explain the following terms with an aid of diagram:

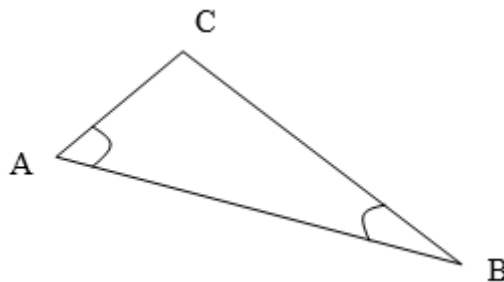
- (a) Geodetic and geocentric latitude (1 mark)
- (b) The geoid and ellipsoid (1 mark)
- (c) For a prolate spheroid: meridional radius and prime vertical radius (2 marks)

Question 3

Refer to the following diagram and given data, what are the coordinates of C?

(7 marks)

Given: Coordinates of **A** = (2589.40, 6717.85)
 Coordinates of **B** = (4717.77, 5625.10)
 Angle **A** = $63^{\circ} 40' 28''$
 Angle **B** = $42^{\circ} 02' 04''$



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Question 4

Refer to the Figure (1) and answer the following questions:

- (a) Define the term - map scale. (1 mark)
- (b) What kind of map projection does Figure (1) use? What is the parametric equation of this projection? (3 marks)
- (c) What are the characteristics of this projection? (1 mark)
- (d) Suggest a name for Figure (1). (1 mark)
- (e) What are the red dots in the Figure (1)? What are the indications of these dots? (1 mark)

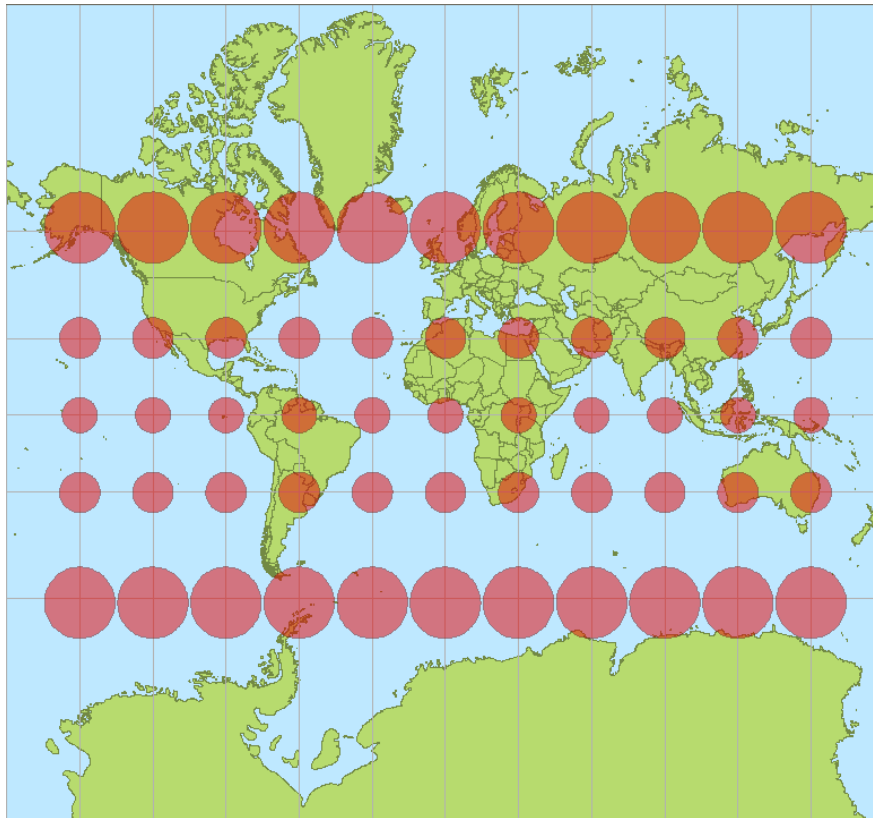


Figure (1)

Question 5

- (a) What is Traversing? List TWO instruments have to deploy for traversing. (1 mark)
- (b) With an aid of the diagrams, explain what are **Closed Link Traverse** and **Close Loop Traverse**. How many survey control points are needed for both traverses? Why? (3 marks)
- (c) Why open traverse is always not encouraged? (1 mark)
- (d) List the steps involved in manual traverse computation. (1 mark)

Question 6

Assume you have two satellites (a, b) and two receivers (q, r) and one epoch (t_1).

- State the four types of the GPS differencing. (2 marks)
- Refer to the GPS surveying configuration shown in Figure (2), determine the number of differences that can be done respectively for each type of GPS differencing? (2 marks)
- What kind of errors could be eliminated by each type of GPS differencing. (2 marks)

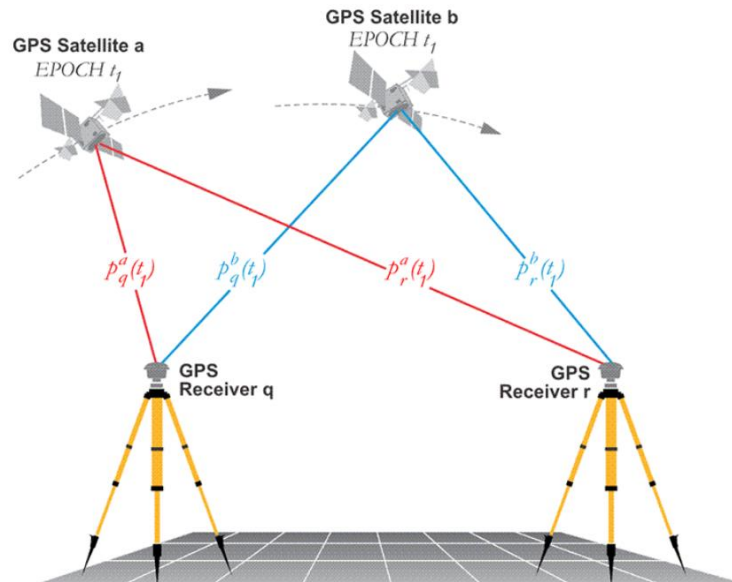


Figure (2)

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Question 7

Truth

Predicted		Asphalt	Concrete	Grass	Tree	Building
	Asphalt	3720	1	0	2	0
	Concrete	9	400	1	1	1
	Grass	3	0	999	8	7
	Tree	4	0	8	855	0
	Building	10	11	0	8	2411

Confusion matrix of land cover classification

Calculate the following items, you are required to present the intermediate steps of your calculation.

- (a) The Producer accuracy and User Accuracy of each class (2 marks)
- (b) The Overall accuracy (1 mark)
- (c) The Kappa coefficient (1 mark)

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