

- \* Different types of transportation :-
  - (i) Highway / road way
  - (ii) water way
  - (iii) Railway
  - (iv) Air way

Highway :-  
 → Easy to construct and door to door service easily to communication.

\* Different types of road :-  
 There are two category of road

- (i) Rural road
- (ii) organ road

\* History of highway :-  
 → first remain started construction of road in 2312 BC

\* Main features of roman road :-

- They will state road regardation of gradient.
- Total thickness of the construction was 0.75m to 1.2 m.
- They built the road after the subsoil was removed and they hard stratum was reached.
- The wearing course consist of dressed large stone layers set time motion.

\* Treasured construction :-

→ It is an improve method of construction in France during 164 AD

\* Main features :-

- Thickness of the road was in order of 30cm
- consideration are given to subgrade moisture condition and drainage of surface water.
- Solone stopping is also provided in order of 1 in 20 to drink the surface water.

\* Talbot construction :-

→ It's work started in 19 century in england

Main features :-

- It's proposed a level subgrade of width 9m.
- Thickness of boundation stone various from 70cm at edge to 22cm at the centre.
- A binding layer of wearing course 4cm thick was provided with cross slope of 1 in 45.

→ If the value of  $f$  thus calculated is less than 0.15 the super elevation of 0.07 is safe. If not calculate the required speed.

Step-4

The allowable speed at the curve is calculated by considering the design coefficient of lateral friction and the maximum super elevation.

$$e + f = \frac{v^2}{gR}$$

② Design the rate of super elevation for a horizontal highway curve of radius 500m and speed of 100 km/h

$$e = \frac{v^2}{225R}$$

$$= \frac{100^2}{225 \times 500}$$

$$= 0.08 = 0.07$$

Friction :-

$$f = \frac{v^2}{gR} - 0.07$$

$$= \frac{100^2}{127 \times 500} - 0.07$$

$$= 0.08 = 0.15$$

$$0.07 + 0.15 = 0.22$$

$$e + f = \frac{v^2}{gR}$$

$$= 0.07 + 0.15 = \frac{v^2}{gR}$$

$$0.22 = \frac{v^2}{gR}$$

$$\sqrt{gR \times 0.22} = v$$

\* Extra winding :-

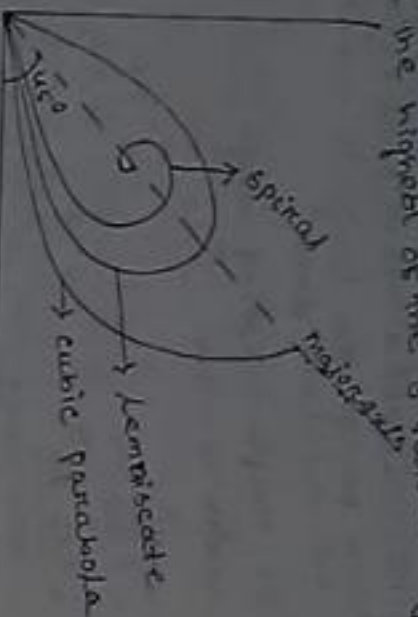
→ Additional width of carriage way that is required on horizontal curve is termed a extra winding.

Reasons to provide extra winding are :-

- (i) To avoid skidding due to rigidity of wheel base.
- (ii) To contract transverse grading.
- (iii) To increase the visibility of curve.
- (iv) To encounter psychological tendency of vehicle overtaking operation.

(ii) minimum length  
i.e. empirical formula

(iv) The length of transition curve but still in all the 3 condition for the highest of the  $g$  value is generally exceeded



(i) Rate of change of centrifugal acceleration

$$L_s = \frac{v^3}{Rc}$$

$c$  = Rate of  $cc/A$

$R$  = Radius

$L_s$  = Rate of transition curve

$v$  = velocity in m/s

$$c = \frac{80}{45+V} \rightarrow \text{km/h}$$

$e$  value = 0.5 to 0.8

(ii) Rate of introduction of super elevation

(a) centre line :-

$$L_s = \frac{eN}{a} \text{ (curve)}$$

$N$  = 150 to 160

$a$  = width of the pavement

$e$  = extra widening

(b) inner edge :-

$eN$  (curve)

(iii) Empirical formula :-

(a) plane or rolling

$$L_s = \frac{a \cdot F \cdot V^2}{R}$$

$V$  = 80 km/h

Here deviation angle will be maximum when an ascending gradient meets with a descending gradient.

→ when a fast moving vehicle travels along a summit curve centrifugal force will act upwards, against gravity and hence a part of the pressure on the tyres and spring of the vehicle suspensions is relieved. So there is no problem of discomfort to passengers.

The only problem in designing summit curves is to provide adequate sight distances.

there are 2 cases to be considered in deciding the length of summit curve.

(i) when the length of the curve is greater than the sight distance ( $L > SSD$ ).

~~(ii)~~ when

$$L = \frac{NS^2}{(2.15 + 2h)^2}$$

$L$  = length of summit curve, m

$S$  = stopping sight distance, (SSD), m.

$N$  = deviation angle, equal to algebraic difference in grades, radians or tangent of the deviation angle.

$H$  = height of eye level of driver above roadway surface, m

$h$  = height of subject above the pavement surface, m.

According to IRC  $H = 1.2$  m &  $h = 0.15$  m

$$\text{that } L = \frac{NS^2}{4.4}$$

$L < SSD$

$$L = 2S - \frac{4.4}{N}$$

$L > SSD$

$$L = \frac{NS^2}{9.6}$$

when  $L < SSD$

$$\text{when } L = 2S - \frac{4.4}{N}$$

Abrasion test:- this test are carried out to test the hardness properly of stone and to decide whether their suitable for road construction or not.

It is the three types:-

- (a) Los Angeles abrasion test.
- (b) Deval abrasion test.
- (c) Dornay abrasion test.

We used only Los Angeles abrasion test for bearing course test value should be less than 30% and for base course up to 50% are allowed.

Impact test:- This test is designed to evaluate the toughness of stone or the resistance of the aggregate to fracture under repeated impact.

The impact value should be 35% for bituminous macadam and 40% for WBM (water bound macadam) for base course, and should not exceed 30% for surface course.

Soundness test:- This test is intended to study the resistance of aggregate to weathering action by conducting the accelerated weathering test cycle.

→ It was intended to study the resistance of aggregate to weathering action by conducting accelerated weathering test cycle here two solution namely sodium sulphate or magnesium sulphate is used.

The average loss in weight of aggregate to be used in pavement construction after 10 cycles should not exceed 12% for sodium sulphate and 18% for magnesium sulphate.

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## Design of highway pavement:-

→ The surface of the road way should be stable and nonyielding to allow the heavy wheel loads of roads traffic to move with least possible rolling ~~and~~ resistance.

→ There are two different type of pavement.

- (i) Flexible pavement:-
- (ii) Rigid. "

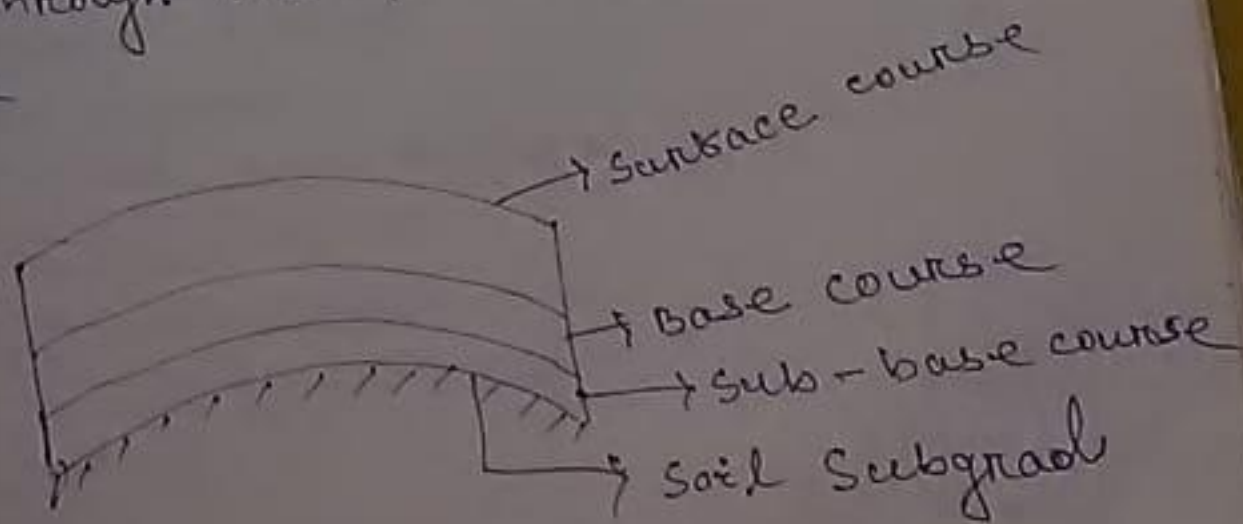
### (i) Flexible pavement:-

These are those pavement which on the whole help low or negligible flexural strength and are weather flexible in their structural action, under the load.

→ There are 4 components of flexible pavement.

- (i) soil subgrade
- (ii) sub-base course
- (iii) Base course
- (iv) wearing or surface course

→ Here in flexible pavement vertical or compressive stresses and transverse by grain to grain through the point of contact in the granular



these expressions are applicable only when the CBR value of the subgrade soil is less than 12 percent.

Q// CBR value of subgrade soil is 5%, calculate total thickness of a pavement using:  
 (i) design curve developed by California State Highway Department.

(ii) design chart recommended by IRC

(iii) design formula developed by the US Corps of Engineers  
 assume 4100 kg wheel load on medium light traffic of 200 commercial vehicles per day for design.

Tyre pressure =  $6 \text{ kg/cm}^2$   
 CBR value 5%.

$$P = 4100 \text{ kg}$$

$$p = 6 \text{ kg/cm}^2$$

$$t = \sqrt{P} \left[ \frac{1.75}{\text{CBR}} - \frac{1}{P \pi} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4100} \left[ \frac{1.75}{5} - \frac{1}{6 \times \pi} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$= 34.89$$

CBR Method of pavement Design by cumulative standard Axle load:-

$$N_s = \frac{365 A [(1+r)^n - 1]}{r} \times F$$

$N_s$  = Cumulative standard Axle load

$A$  = no. of commercial vehicles per day

$r$  = annual growth rate of commercial vehicles.

$n$  = design life of pavement, taken as (10 to 15 years)

$F$  = Vehicle damage factor.

$$A = P [(1+r)^{n+10}]$$

$P$  = no. of heavy vehicles per day at least count.

Calculate the at interior, edge & corner regions of a cement concrete pavement using Westergaard's stress equations. Use the following data

Wheel load,  $P = 5100 \text{ kg}$

$E = 3 \times 10^5 \text{ kg/cm}^2$

$h = 18 \text{ cm}$

$\mu = 0.15$

$k = 610 \text{ kg/cm}^3$

$a = 15 \text{ cm}$

$$L = \left[ \frac{Eh^3}{12k(1-\mu^2)} \right]^{1/4} = \left[ \frac{3 \times 10^5 \times 18^3}{12 \times 610 (1-0.15^2)} \right]^{1/4}$$

$$= 70.6 \text{ cm}$$

$$b = \sqrt{1.6a^2 + h^2} = 0.675h$$

$$= \sqrt{1.6 \times 15^2 + 18^2} = 0.675 \times 18$$

$$= 14.0 \text{ cm}$$

$$s_i = \frac{0.316P}{h^2} \left[ 4 \log_{10} \left( \frac{L}{b} \right) + 1.069 \right]$$

$$= \frac{0.316 \times 5100}{18^2} \left[ 4 \log_{10} \left( \frac{70.6}{14.0} \right) + 1.069 \right]$$

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Critical load position:-  
 This stresses acting on a rigid pavement are:-  
 (i) wheel load stresses.  
 (ii) temperature stresses.

temperature stresses:-  
 there are three typical locations namely the interior, edge and corner.

Equivalent Radius of Resisting section:-

$$b = \sqrt{1.6a^2 + h^2} - 0.675h$$

$b$  = equivalent radius of resisting section, cm when  $a$  is less than  $1.724h$ .

$a$  = radius of wheel load distribution, cm

$h$  = slab thickness cm.

Q) compute the equivalent radius of resisting section of 20 cm slab, given that the radius of contact area of wheel load is 15 cm.

$$b = \sqrt{1.6a^2 + h^2} - 0.675h$$

$$a = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$h = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$b = \sqrt{1.6a(15)^2 + 20^2} - 0.675 \times 20$$

$$= 14.068 \approx 14.7$$

Interior Loading:-

$$s_i = \frac{0.316P}{h^2} \left[ 4 \log_{10} \left( \frac{l}{b} \right) + 1.069 \right]$$

Edge Loading:-

$$s_e = \frac{0.572P}{h^2} \left[ 4 \log_{10} \left( \frac{l}{b} \right) + 0.359 \right]$$

Corner Loading:-

$$s_c = \frac{3P}{h^2} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{l} \right) \right]$$

Design of Rigid pavements :-  
modulus of subgrade reaction,  $k$  is proportional to the displacement.

$$k = \frac{P}{\Delta}$$

Relative stiffness of slab :-

$$L = \left[ \frac{Eh^3}{12k(1-\mu^2)} \right]^{1/4}$$

$L$  = radius of relative stiffness, cm.

$E$  = modulus of elasticity of cement concrete  $\text{kg/cm}^2$

$\mu$  = poisson's ratio for concrete = 0.15

$h$  = slab thickness, cm

$k$  = modulus of subgrade reaction in  $\text{kg/cm}^3$

Q// compute the radius of relative stiffness of 15cm thick cement concrete slab from the following data:

Modulus of elasticity of cement concrete =  $210,000 \text{ kg/cm}^2$   
poisson's ratio for concrete = 0.13

modulus of subgrade reaction,  $k = 7.5 \text{ kg/cm}^3$

Given data :-

$$L = 15 \text{ cm}$$

$$E = 210,000 \text{ kg/cm}^2$$

$$\mu = 0.13$$

$$k = 3$$

$$L = \left[ \frac{210,000 \times 15^3}{12 \times 3 (1 - 0.13^2)} \right]^{1/4}$$

$$= 66.895 \text{ cm}$$

- (1) Tyre pressure.  
 (2) Inflation pressure.  
 (3) Contact pressure.

→ Tyre pressure and inflation pressure are exact.

The contact pressure is found to be more than tyre pressure when the tyre pressure is less than  $7 \text{ kg/cm}^2$  and when the tyre pressure exceeds this value, the value becomes vice versa.

$$\text{contact pressure} = \frac{\text{Load on wheel}}{\text{contact area or area of imprint}}$$

The ratio of contact pressure to tyre pressure is called as rigidity factor.

Subgrade Modulus:-

Subgrade modulus computed plate bearing test data.

Boussinesq's equation:- for maximum vertical deflection  $\Delta$  at the surface and the centre of a flexible plate is given by  $\Delta = \frac{1.5 Pa}{E_s}$

for rigid pavement  $\Delta = \frac{1.18 Pa}{E_s}$

~~design of flexible~~

design of flexible pavement:-

Various approaches of flexible pavement design are classified into three broad groups.

- (a) Empirical methods
- (b) Semi-empirical methods
- (c) Theoretical methods.

Different methods are either

- (i) Group Index method
- (ii) CBR method
- (iii) California R value or stabilometer method.
- (iv) Triaxial test method

- (v) McLeod method  
 (vi) Burmister method

Q// A soil subgrade sample collected from the site was analysed and the results obtained are as given below.

- (i) Soil portion passing 0.075 sieve, percent = 50  
 (ii) Liquid limit, percent = 40  
 (iii) plastic limit, percent = 20

Design the pavement section by group index method for the anticipated traffic volume of over 300 commercial vehicles per day

$$GI = 0.2a + 0.005ac + 0.01bd$$

$$a = 50 - 35 = 15$$

$$b = 50 - 15 = 35$$

$$c = 0$$

$$d = 40 - 20$$

$$PI = 20 - 10 = 10$$

GI
0 - good
1-2 - fair
3-8 - poor
9-20 - very poor

$$= 0.2 \times 15 + 0.005 \times 15 \times 0 + 0.01 \times 35 \times 10$$

$$= 6.5$$

california bearing :-

$$t = \sqrt{P \left[ \frac{1.75}{CBR} - \frac{1}{P\pi} \right]^{1/2}}$$

t = pavement thickness, cm

P = wheel load, kg

CBR = California bearing Ratio, percent.

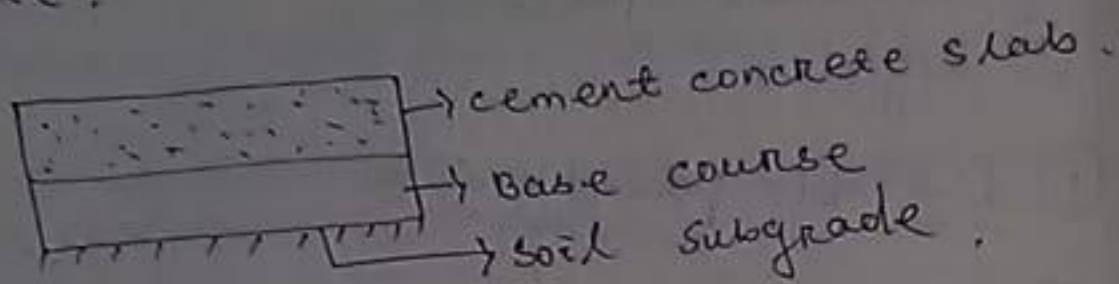
P = tyre pressure, kg/cm<sup>2</sup>

A = area of contact, cm<sup>2</sup>

$$t = \left( \frac{1.75P}{CBR} - \frac{A}{\pi} \right)^{1/2}$$

## (11) Rigid Pavement :-

Rigid pavements are those which possess high flexural strength or flexural rigidity. Hence the load is transferred by grain to grain. → The rigid pavements are made up of portland cement concrete, reinforced or pre-stressed concrete.



## Soil Subgrade and its Evaluation :-

### Flash and fire point test:-

→ The flash point of a material is the lowest temperature at which the vapours of a substance momentarily takes fire.

Fire point :- It is the lowest temperature at which the material gets ignited and burns under specified conditions of test.

Pensky-martens closed cup apparatus cup.

→ The minimum specified flash point of bitumen used in pavement construction is 175°C.

### Solubility test :-

Spot test :- This is the test for detecting the over heated or cracked bitumen.

### Loss on heating test :-

When bitumen is heated it loses the volatiles and gets hardened.

### Design of highway

→ The surface of stable and nony wheel loads of possible rolling

→ There are two

- (i) Flexible Pa
- (ii) Rigid.

### (i) Flexible Pa

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- (i) Soil
- (ii) Sub-b
- (iii) Base
- (iv) wea

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Viscosity test:- It is defined as inverse of fluidity. Viscosity defines the fluid property of bituminous material.

Orifice type viscometer may be used to indirectly find the viscosity.

→ The viscosity of tar is determined as the time taken in seconds for 50ml of the sample to flow through 10mm orifice of the standard tar viscometer at the specified temperature of 35, 40, 45, 55°C.

Float test:-

The consistancy of material is measured by float test. Higher the float test value the stiffer is the material.

Specific gravity test:-

→ The generally specific gravity of pure bitumen is in the range of 0.97 to 1.02. and tars have specific gravity 1.10 to 1.25.

Specific gravity bituminous materials is defined as the ratio of the mass of a given volume of substance to the same of an equal volume of water at specific temperature (27°C).

Softening point test:-

It is the temperature at which the substance attains a particular degree of softening under specified condition of test. It is usually determined by ring and ball test. The softening for the various bitumen one usually between 35 to 70°C.

### Bitumen penetration test:-

#### Bituminous Materials:-

→ Bitumen is the petroleum product obtained by the distillation of petroleum crude whereas road tar is obtained by the destructive distillation of coal or wood.

→ Bitumen is soluble in  $CS_2$ , cetyl carbon dioxide and carbon tetrachloride.

→ There are two types of bitumen used in India.

(i) paving bitumen from Assam petroleum, denoted A-type and designated as grades A65, A70 etc.

(ii) paving bitumen from other sources denoted as S-type and designated as grades S55, S90 etc.

### Tests on Bitumen:-

→ The various tests on bituminous materials are:-

#### (1) Penetration test:-

The penetration test determines the hardness or softness of bitumen by measuring the depth in tenths of a millimetre to which a standard loaded needle will penetrate vertically in five seconds temperature of  $25^\circ C$ .

→ The range should be between 20 and 225 in hot climates a lower penetration grade bitumen like 30/40 bitumen is preferred.

#### Ductility test:-

Ductility test is carried out on bitumen to test the property of the binder the test is believed to measure the receipt property of bitumen and its ability to stretch.

→ The ductility value of bitumen varies from 5 to over 100 for different bitumen grades.

→ minimum ductility value of 75cm has been specified by ISI.

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### Shape tests :-

The evaluation of shape of the particles made in terms of flatness index, elongation index and ~~angular~~ angularity number.

### Flatness Index :-

The flatness index of aggregate is the percentage by weight of aggregate particles whose least dimension or thickness is less than the  $\frac{3}{5}$ th or 0.6 of their mean dimension.

The test is applicable to sizes larger than 6.3 mm it is desirable that the flatness index of aggregate used in road construction is less than the 15% and normally does not exceed 25%.

### Elongation Index :-

The elongation index of an aggregate is the percentage by weight of particle whose greatest dimension or length is greater than 1 and  $\frac{4}{5}$ th or 1.8 times their mean dimension.

→ elongation index values in excess of 15% ~~are~~ there is known recognised limits have been laid down for elongation index.

### Specific gravity and water absorption tests :-

The specific gravity of an aggregate is considered to a measure of the ~~generally weaker~~ quality or strength of the material.

→ The specific gravity of rocks vary from 2.6 to 2.9.

and to 20).  
\* stone aggregate:-

Desirable properties of road aggregate:-

Strength:-

A aggregate to be used in Road construction should be sufficient strong to with stand the stress due to traffic wheel load.

They should possess sufficient strength resistance to crushing.

Hardness:-

The aggregate used in the surface course are subjected to constant rubbing or abrasion due to moving traffic. They should be hard enough to resist the wear due to abrasive action of traffic.

(The mutual rubbing of stones is called attrition)

Toughness:-

Aggregate in the pavement are also subjected to impact due to moving wheel load.

Durability:-

The stone used in the pavement construction should be durable and should resist disintegration due to the action of weather.

Adhesion with bitumin:-

The aggregate used in bituminous pavement should have less affinity with water when compared with bituminous materials.

\* Test for road aggregate:-

Crushing test:- The aggregate crushing value for good quality aggregate to be used in base course shall not exceed 45%, and the value of surface course shall be less than 30%.

d = Dead value of plasticity index according to and not more than 30. (Expressed as a hole no. from 0 to 20)

(Plasticity Index = liquid limit - plastic limit)

\* Strength of soil subgrade :-

Solid type :-

- (i) Moisture content
- (ii) Dry density
- (iii) Internal structure of the soil.
- (iv) The type and mode of stress application
- (v) Evaluation of soil strength

→ There are 3 types of test are shear test, Bearing test, penetration test.

\* Shear stress :-

- (i) Vane shear test
- (ii) Direct shear test
- (iii) Triaxial shear test.

\* Bearing test :-

These are the loaded test carried out on subgrade soil in situ in the bearing area.

\* penetration test :-

CBR (California bearing Ratio) test

It is expressed in percentage.

CBR % =  $\frac{\text{load or pressure substand by the specimen at 2.5 or 5mm penetration}}{\text{Load or pressure substand by standard}}$  X 100

egg aggregate at the corresponding penetration table.

2.5 standard loading value

= 1070 load.

5mm = 2055M

pressure 2.5mm = 70

5mm = 105

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$$= 22.22 + \frac{22.22^2}{2 \times 9.81 \times 0.35}$$

$$= 127.449$$

$$= \frac{-0.073 \times 127.449^2}{2 \times 0.75 + 2 \times 127.449 \times \tan \alpha}$$

$$= -199.312$$

$$\text{Comfort} = L = 0.38 (NV^3)^{1/2} \quad (V = \text{kmph})$$

$$= 0.38 (-0.073 \times 80^3)^{1/2}$$

$$= 73.465$$

### \* Highway material: -

→ Desirable properties of soil

- stability
- Incompressibility
- permanency of strength
- Good drainage
- easy to compaction
- minimum changes in volume and stability under adverse condition of weather and ground water.

### \* Index property of soil

Group Index

$$GI = 0.2a + 0.005ac + 0.01bd$$

where,

a = dead portion of material passing 0.05mm sieve, greater than 35 and not exceeding 75%. (expressed as a hole no from 40)

b = dead portion of material, passing 0.075mm sieve greater than 15 and not exceeding 35%. (expn 0 to 40)

c = The value of liquid limit in excess of 40 and less than 60 (expressed as hole no from 0 to 20).

$L < S$  :-

$$2.5 = \frac{1.5 + 0.085 S}{N}$$

Q// A vertical summit curve is formed at the intersection of two gradients, +3.0 and -5.0 percent. Design the length of summit curve to provide a stopping sight distance for a design speed of 80 kmph. Assume other data.

Sol<sup>n</sup> :-

$$V = 80 \text{ km/h}$$

$$T = 2.5$$

$$N = +3 - (-5)$$

$$F = 0.35$$

$$= 8$$

$$S = vt + \frac{v^2}{2gF}$$

$$S = 22.22 \times 2.5 + \frac{(22.22)^2}{2 \times 9.81 \times 0.35}$$

$$= 127.449 \text{ m} \approx 128 \text{ m}$$

$$L = \frac{NS^2}{4.4}$$

$$= \frac{0.08 \times 127.449^2}{4.4}$$

$$= 295.332 \text{ m (Approx)}$$

Q// A valley curve is formed by a descending grade of 1 in 25 meeting an ascending grade of 1 in 30. Design the length of valley curve to fulfill both comfort condition and head light sight distance requirements for a design speed of 80 kmph.

Sol<sup>n</sup> :-

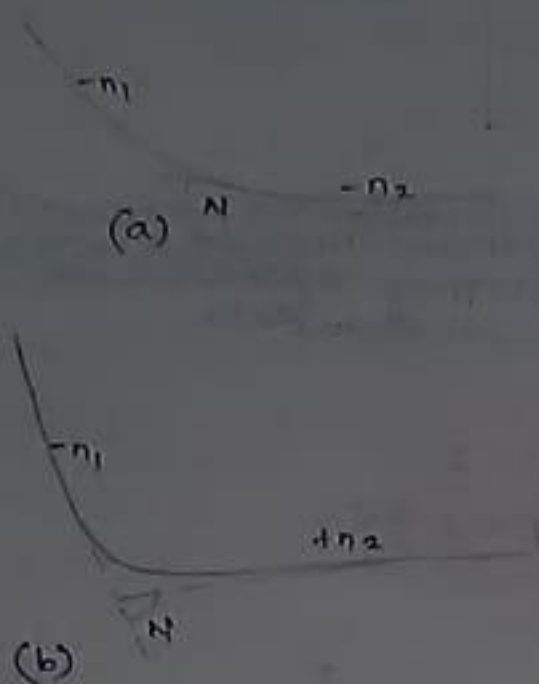
$$L = \frac{NS^2}{2h_1 + 2b \tan \alpha}$$

$$= N = \pm n_1 - (\pm n_2)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{25} - \left(\frac{1}{30}\right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{25} - \frac{1}{30}$$

## Valley curves :-



→ valley curves or sag curves are formed in any one of the cases illustrated in. In all the cases the maximum possible deviation angle is obtained when a descending gradient meets with an ascending gradient. In this type of curve there is no problem of restriction to sight distance in valley curves during day light. However during night driving under head lights of vehicles the sight distance available at valley curve is decreased. The most important factors considered in valley curve design are.

- (i) Impact-free movement of vehicles at design speed on the comfort to the passengers.
- (ii) availability of stopping sight distance under head lights vehicles for night driving.

## Length of valley curve :-

$$L > SSD$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{L = \frac{Ns^2}{2h_1} + 2s \tan \alpha}$$

If the average height of the head light is taken as  $h = 0.75 \text{ m}$  and the beam angle  $\alpha = 1^\circ$ , by substituting these in the above equation

$$\boxed{L = \frac{Ns^2}{1.5 + 0.0855}}$$

### Gradient Compensation:-

This reduction in gradient at the horizontal curve is called grade compensation, which is intended to offset the extra tractive effort involved at the curve. This is calculated from the relation.

$$\text{Grade compensation, percent} = \frac{30+R}{R}$$

$$\text{and maximum value of } \frac{75}{R}$$

R is the radius of the circular curve in metre.

### Gradients:- 4 types

- (1) Ruling gradient
- (2) Limiting gradient
- (3) Exceptional gradient
- (4) minimum gradient.

→ Ruling gradient is the maximum gradient within which the designer attempts to design the vertical profile of a road. IRC-1934 Ruling gradient value of 1 in 30 on plain and rolling terrain, 1 in 20 on mountainous terrain and 1 in 16.7 on steep terrain.

Q While aligning a hill road with a ruling gradient of 6 percent, a horizontal curve of radius 60 m is encountered. Find the compensated gradient at the curve.

Sol<sup>n</sup>:-  $\frac{30+R}{R}$

$$GC = \frac{30+60}{60} = 1.5$$

$$\text{maximum limit of grade compensation} = \frac{75}{R}$$

$$= \frac{75}{60} = 1.25$$

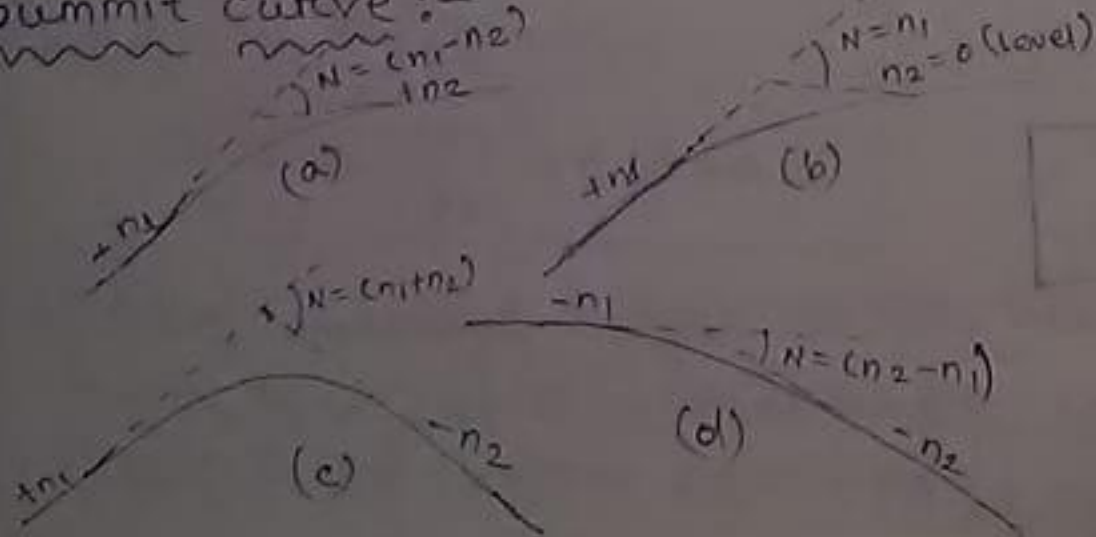
$$= 6 - 1.25$$

$$= 4.75 \text{ (Ans)}$$

\* Vertical curves are 2 types

- (1) Summit curves with convexity upwards.
- (2) valley curves with concavity upwards.

\* Summit curve:-



$$= \frac{3 \times 6^2}{2 \times 325}$$

$$= 0.16$$

$$\text{wps} = \frac{v}{9.5 \sqrt{R}}$$

$$= \frac{65}{9.5 \times \sqrt{325}}$$

$$= 0.36$$

$$\text{Total winding} = 0.16 + 0.36 \\ = 0.53$$

(iii) length of transition curve.

$$(a) L_s = \frac{v^3}{Rc} \\ = \frac{18.0^3}{325 \times 0.571} \\ = 31.42$$

$$c = \frac{80}{75 + v} \\ = \frac{80}{75 + 65} = 0.571$$

$$(a) L_s = \frac{eN}{2} (w + we) \\ = \frac{0.058 \times 100}{2} \times (10.5 + 0.49) \\ = 31.871 \text{ m}$$

(iii) Empirical formula.

$$(a) L_s = \frac{2.7 v^2}{R} \\ = \frac{2.7 \times 65^2}{325} \\ = 35.1 \text{ m}$$



(b) for mountaneous or steel.

$$L_s = \frac{v^2}{R}$$

Q. A National highway passing through rolling terrain in heavy rainfall area has a horizontal curve of radius 500m design the length of transition curve assuming the suitable data.

$v = 80$  kmph - Rolling stage

width  $w = 7$  m

$$(i) L_s = \frac{v^3}{Rc}$$
$$= \frac{22.22^3}{500 \times 0.51}$$

$$= 43.02 \text{ m}$$

$$(ii) L_s = \frac{en}{2} (w + w_e)$$

$$e = \frac{v^2}{225R}$$

$$= \frac{80^2}{225 \times 500}$$

$$= 0.056$$

$$n = 2$$

$$L = 6$$

$$w_m = \frac{nL^2}{2R}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 6^2}{2 \times 500}$$

$$= 0.072$$

$$w_{ps} = \frac{v}{9.5\sqrt{R}}$$

$$= \frac{80}{9.5\sqrt{500}}$$

$$= 0.37$$

$$w_e = w_m + w_{ps}$$

$$= 0.072 + 0.37$$

$$= 0.442$$

$$(a) L_s = \frac{0.056 \times 150}{2} (7 + 0.442)$$

$$= 31.2564 \text{ m}$$

(b) Inner edge

EN (curve)

$$= 0.056 \times 150 \text{ (7.40.442)}$$

$$= 8.4 \text{ (Approx)}$$

(iii) Plane Rolling:-

$$L_b = \frac{2.7 v^2}{R}$$

$$= \frac{2.7 \times 80^2}{500}$$

$$= 34.56$$

(b) simultaneous:-

$$L_b = \frac{v^2}{R}$$

$$= \frac{80^2}{500}$$

$$= 12.8$$

\* Vertical curve:-

→ vertical alignment of a road consist of vertical curve and gradients.

→ vertical curves are provided at the intersection of different grade smoothen the vertical profile.

Q While a lining a highway in a build area it was necessary to provide a horizontal circular curve of radius 325m. Design speed = 65 kmph  
length of wheel base = 6 m

Pavement width = 10.5 m.

Rate of super elevation = 1 in 100

(i) Super elevation (e)

(ii) Extra widening

(iii) length of transition curve

(i) Super elevation:-

$$e = \frac{v^2}{225R}$$

$$= \frac{65^2}{225 \times 325}$$

$$= 0.058$$

(ii) Extra widening  
$$W_m = \frac{nl^2}{2R}$$

Total winding = 0.196 + 0.446  
= 0.642 m.

#### \* Transition curves:-

Objective:-

- (i) Gradual introduction of centrifugal force.
- (ii) To avoid uneven joints.
- (iii) Gradual introduction of super elevation and extra widening.
- (iv) To enable the driver to see the stopping for comfort and security.

→ Length of transition curve is required on a horizontal highway curves depends upon the following factors.

- (i) Radius of circular curve (R)
  - (ii) Design speed (V)
  - (iii) Allowable rate of change of centrifugal acceleration (iv)
  - (iv) Allowable rate of introduction of super elevation. (v)
  - (v) Rotation of pavement cross-section either about the inner edge the centre line.
  - (vi) maximum amount of ~~super~~ super elevation  $e_s$  which depends on the maximum rate of super elevation  $e_2$  and the total width of the pavement  $(B)$  at the horizontal curve.
- Plane or rolling = 7%  
mount areas = 10%  
setback = 40%.

#### \* Different types of transition curve:-

- (i) Spiral
- (ii) Lemniscate
- (iii) parabola.

#### \* Length of transition curve:-

Length of transition curve in design to full till there is no operation.

- (i) Rate of change of centrifugal acceleration. to be developed gradually.
- (ii) Rate of introduction of design super elevation to be at a reasonable rate.

(iii) minimum

(iv) the condition except

(i) Rate

(ii) F

→ It is split into two parts  
 i) mechanical winding  
 → It is provided due to the rigidity of wheel base when a vehicle travels on a horizontal curve.

$$w_m = \frac{v^2}{2R}$$

where,

L = length of wheel base

R = Radius of the curve

n = no. of lanes.

### \* Psychological winding:-

There is a tendency for the drivers to drive closer to the edges of the pavements of curve so psychological winding is required.

→ IRC proposed an empirical formula for the psychological winding.

$$w_p = \frac{v}{9.5 \sqrt{R}} \quad v = \text{kmph}$$

$$\text{Total winding} = \text{mechanical winding} + \text{psychological winding}$$

Total winding

$$w = w_m + w_p$$

Q Calculate the extra winding required for a pavement on within 7m curve of radius 250m. If the longest wheel base of vehicle expected on a road complete the value obtained with IRC recommendation.

Data:-  
 speed = 70 kmph

mechanical winding

$$w_m = \frac{v^2}{2R}$$

$$= \frac{70^2}{2 \times 250}$$

$$= 0.196$$

$$w_p = \frac{v}{9.5 \sqrt{R}}$$

$$= \frac{70}{9.5 \sqrt{250}} = 0.466$$

## \* CURVE :-

→ Curves are provided in highway in order that it is change of direction at the intersection of plane alignment whether it is horizontal or vertical plane.

### \* Advantages of curve :-

→ The help to avoid mental strength induced by the monotony of continuous journey along straight part.

→ They provide comfort to the passenger.

\* → The drivers become alert due to the change in direction. factors affecting the design of curve :-

(i) Design speed.

(ii) allowable friction

(iii) maximum permissible super elevation.

(iv) Permissible centrifugal ratio.

### \* Design of horizontal alignment :-

#### → Super elevation

→ In passing from a straight to a curve path a vehicle is under that influence of two forces.

(i) centrifugal force

(ii) weight of the vehicle

$$e + f = \frac{v^2}{gr}$$

$e$  = Super elevation

$f$  = friction

$f = 0.15$  IRC recommended.

#### Step-1

→ The super elevation for 75% of design speed is calculated neglecting the friction.

$$e = \frac{(0.75v)^2}{gr}$$

#### Step-2

→ If the calculated value of  $e$  is less than 7% or 0.07, the value so obtained is provided.

→ If the value of  $e$  exceeds 0.07 then provided of the maximum super elevation = 0.07 and proceed further.

#### Step-3

→ check the coefficient of friction develop for the maximum value of  $e = 0.07$  at the full value of design speed.

Q  
 minimum length of OSD =  $5 \times \text{OSD}$   
 maximum length of OSD zone =  $1 \times \text{OSD}$

Speed of overtaking and overtaken vehicles are  $V_0$  and  $v_0$  kmph on a two way traffic road if the acceleration of overtaking vehicle is  $0.99 \text{ m/s}^2$

(a) calculate the safe OSD  
 (b) minimum length of overtaking zone  
 (c) maximum length of overtaking zone.

Ans:-

$V = 70 \text{ kmph} = 70 \times \frac{5}{18} = 19.44 \text{ m/s}$

$V_0 = 40 \text{ kmph} = 40 \times \frac{5}{18} = 11.11 \text{ m/s}$

$\text{OSD} = d_1 + d_2 + d_3$

$d_1 = V_0 \times t$

$= 11.11 \times 2$

$= 22.22$

$S = 0.7 V_0 + 6$

$= 0.7 \times 11.11 + 6$

$= 13.7$

$T = \sqrt{\frac{4S}{a}}$

$= \sqrt{\frac{4 \times 13.7}{0.99}}$

$= 7.43$

$d_2 = V_0 \times T + 2S$

$= 11.11 \times 7.43 + 2 \times 13.7$

$= 109.94$

$d_3 = V \times T$

$= 19.44 \times 7.43$

$= 144.43$

(i) OSD =  $22.22 + 109.94 + 144.43$

$= 276.59$

(ii) minimum length =  $3 \times \text{OSD}$

$= 3 \times 276.59$

$= 829.77$

(iii) maximum length =  $5 \times \text{OSD}$

$= 5 \times 276.59$

$= 1382.95$

$d_1$  = distance travelled by overtaking vehicle A during the time  $t$  sec

$d_2$  = distance traveled by vehicle B during the actual overtaking.  
operation in time  $T$  sec.

$d_3$  = distance traveled by the vehicle C comes from the opposite direction.

$v_m$  =  $V_b$  = speed of the slow moving vehicle.

→ It is the minimum distance visible to the driver during the overtaking slow moving vehicle without any collision.  
IRC recorded that total reaction time  $t = 2$  sec

$$OSD = d_1 + d_2 + d_3$$

$$d_1 = V_b \times t$$

$$V_b = 2 - 4.5 \text{ m/s}$$

$$V_b = 2 - 18 \text{ km/h}$$

$$d_2 = V_b \times T + 2.5$$

$$S = 0.7 \times V_b + 6$$

$$T = \sqrt{\frac{4.5}{a}}$$

$$d_3 = V \times T$$

Q Calculate the safe OSD for a design speed of 96 kmph assume all of the data

Data

$$V = 96 \text{ kmph} = 26.66 \text{ m/s}$$

$$d_1 = V_b \times t$$

$$= 26 \cdot$$

$$= 44 \cdot 32$$

$$d_2 = V_b \times T + 2.5$$

$$T = \sqrt{\frac{4.5}{a}}$$

$$S = 0.7 \times V_b + 6$$
$$= 0.7$$

$$d_3 = V \times T$$

$$OSD = d_1 + d_2 + d_3$$

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→ It is the distance travel by the vehicle after applying the brakes

$$SSD = vt + \frac{v^2}{2gf}$$

v = velocity (unit m/s)

t = Time (unit sec)

g = Acceleration due to gravity (m/s<sup>2</sup>)

f = friction

Q

data

velocity = 80 kmph

assume time = 2.5 sec

friction = 0.85

$$SSD = vt + \frac{v^2}{2gf}$$

$$= 80 \times 2.5 + \frac{80^2}{2 \times 9.81 \times 0.85}$$

$$= 127.44 \text{ s (Ans)}$$

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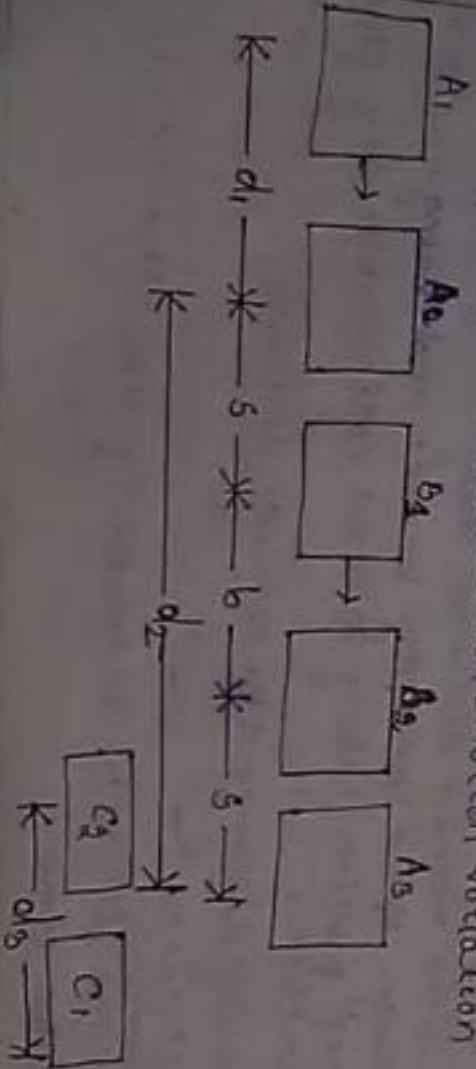
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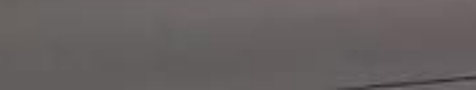
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### \* metacast construction:-

→ He had proposed sun method which was not used now a days even his techniques was not could as compare to different method discuss about.

### \* Mechadamic construction:-

→ It is given various methods of road construction in 1915.

→ This was the 1st method based on physicist thinking.

### \* main features:-

→ Total thickness was kept uniform for edge to centre

→ The size of broken stone for top layer was decided on the basis on stability on the animal drawn vehicle.

→ The importance of subgrade drainage and compaction was given so the subgrade was completed and prepared with cross slope of 1 in 66.

→ He was the 1st person state that heavy foundation stones are not atom required to be placed at the bottom is layer.

### \* Modern road development Reading:-

→ In 1927 government has proposed a plan to formed a organisation for the development on road in India.

→ In 1928 a community was formed JAYAKAR committee.

\* Recommendation given by Jayakar committee:-  
→ Road development in the country should be consider as a national interest.

→ An extra task should be levied on petrol from the road users to develop a road development bond called CRF (Central road fund). (1929 formation)

→ They kept more preference to the long term planning program for a period of 20 years.

### \* Objective of IRC:- (Indian road congress)

→ IRC was born the year 1924 in on the recommendation in Jayakar committee.

→ Sum of the objectives are:-

(i) To promote the construction of road building.

(ii) To advice the authority regarding the experiments and research connected with Road.

→ To hold preceding meeting to discuss technical thinks regarding roads.

→ To provide a Forum for regular experience and idea  
exchange the planning, construction and maintenance of  
road.

NHAI = National Highway Authority of India.

30 years road plan:-

three type.

(i) Makepur (1943-1963) but completed in 1961

(ii) Bombay (1961-1981)

(iii) Lakhno (1981-2001)

Moton vehicle act :- (MVA)

→ It was formed in year 1939. all the traffic rules  
and regulation given by MVA.

RTO :- Regional transport office

CRRI :- central road research institute.

→ It was formed in the year 1950 all the development  
projects under taken by CRRI.

### Geometric design of highway :-

→ A highway has many visible dimension and the design of  
visible dimension is known as geometric design.

Different types are :-

(i) Horizontal and vertical alignment.

(ii) sight distance.

(iii) Intersection element

(iv) cross-sectional component.

single lane = 3.75 width

slip :- rotational moment maximum

Stopping sight Distance :- (SSD)

→ It is the minimum distance over which the driver travelling  
at design speed can apply brakes and bring the vehicle  
to stop position safely without collision with any other  
abstraction.

SSD = leg distance + breaking distance.

leg distance :-

→ It is the distance travelled by the vehicles in total  
reaction time.