

QUALIFICATION : B COM (Hons) Transport Economics

MODULE : REGULATION OF PUBLIC PASSENGER

TRANSPORT

CODE : TRE8X06

<u>DATE</u> : SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

DURATION : 180 MINUTES

TOTAL MARKS : 176

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Question papers must be handed in.

- This is a closed book assessment.
- · Read the questions carefully and answer only what is asked.
- Number your answers clearly.
- Write neatly and legibly
- Structure your answers by using appropriate headings and subheadings.
- The general University of Johannesburg policies, procedures and rules pertaining to written assessments apply to this assessment.
- Answer each section on a different answer sheet.

QUESTION 1 (25 MIN: 25 MARKS)

a) Identify and explain the challenges to implementing congestion pricing (10)

- b) In terms of data surveys define the following: (10)
- Transfer Counts
- Fare Usage
- Passenger Travel Information
- Use of Timetables
- c) The analysis of passenger movements along a transit line can be conducted through various indicators. Identify and explain these indicators. (5)

QUESTION 2 (20 MIN: 16 MARKS)

- a) Define latent demand (3)
- b) To satisfy variable demand will require that services be tailored to cover the demand as closely as possible. Discuss briefly how this can be achieved. (3)
- c) Differentiate between Transit Speed & Delay Survey and Passenger Volume & Load Counts (10)

QUESTION 3 (30 MIN: 30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the importance of fares policy
- b) Discuss the purpose of fares.
- c) Identify and explain the factors that influence fare elasticity.
- d) Discuss effectively protecting revenue and controlling fare evasion

QUESTION 4 (10 MIN: 10 MARKS)

Distinguish between Radial Lines and Diametrical Lines (10)

QUESTION 5 (15 MIN: 15 MARKS)

A transit system consists out of mainly three major interest groups; namely (1) the passengers, (2) the operators and (3) the community, which includes the authorities. Analyse the requirements of the community.

QUESTION 6 (30MIN: 30 MARKS)

Discuss Transit Mode Evaluation (30)

QUESTION 7 (20 MIN: 20 MARKS)

- a) Define and explain the benefits of BRT
- b) Define and describe the benefits of LRT

QUESTION 8 (20 MIN: 20 MARKS)

- a) Compare RRT and LRT
- b) Differentiate between High-Performance (High-Perf.) Transit Modes and Medium-Performance (Med-Perf.) Transit Modes

QUESTION 9 (10 MIN: 10 MARKS)

- a) Integration **ca**n be achieved within different spheres of the transportation system. Motivate this statement.
- b) Discuss the benefits of Integrated Transport

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