



PROGRAM : NATIONAL DIPLOMA
MINING ENGINEERING

SUBJECT : MINE SURVEY AND VALUATION III

CODE : MSV3211

DATE : FINAL EXAMINATION
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DURATION : (X-PAPER) 08:30 - 11:30

WEIGHT : 40 : 60

TOTAL MARKS : 105

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INSTRUCTIONS : 1. ANY CALCULATOR IS ALLOWED.
2. SKETCHES ARE NOT DRAWN TO SCALE.
3. DRAWING INSTRUMENTS ARE ALLOWED.

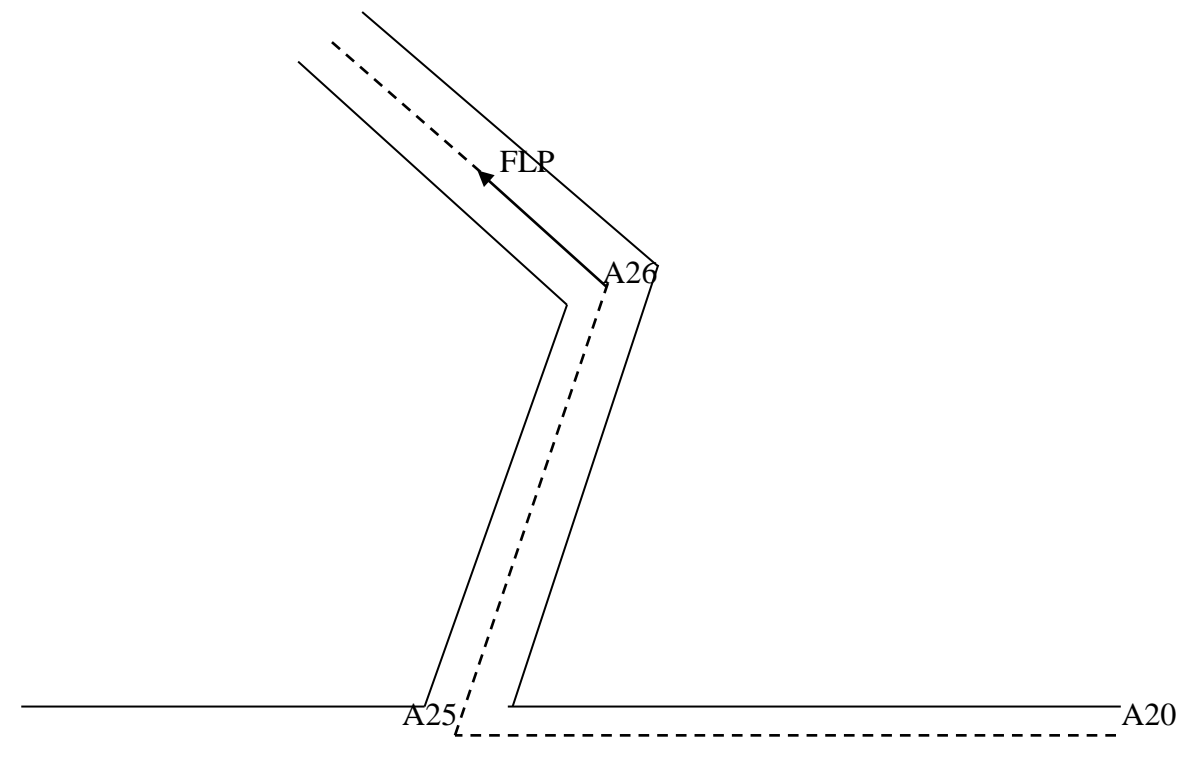
INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.
 2. MARKS WILL BE ALLOCATED FOR NEATNESS AND CHECKS
 3. NUMBER THE QUESTIONS CLEARLY
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QUESTION 1

The following observations were taken in an ore pass being developed. From the information given below and the cross-measurements taken at Peg B26, calculate:

- 1.1. The co-ordinates and elevation of Peg A26.
- 1.2. The direction A26 – FLP.
- 1.3. Elevation of the FLP.
- 1.4. The length of the chains to be suspended from Peg A26 and the FLP.



GIVEN:

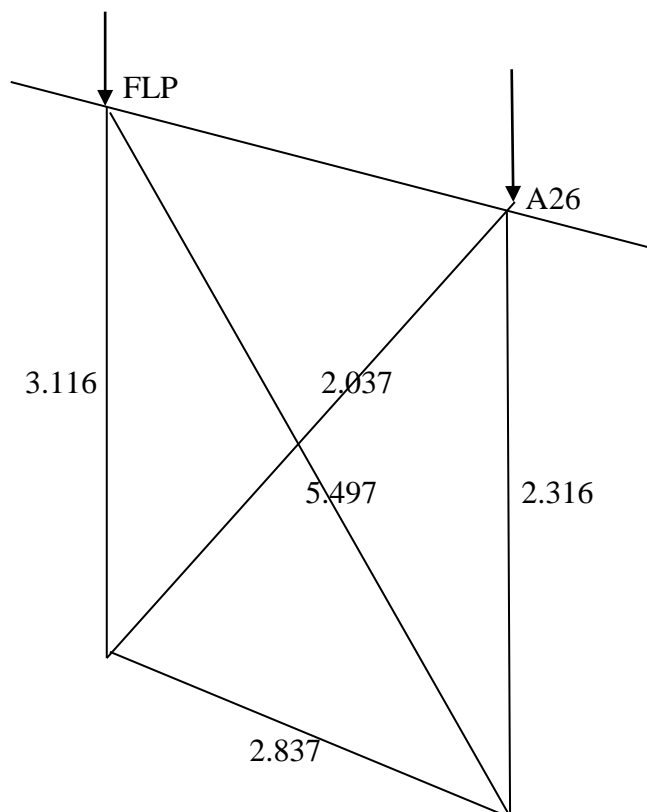
Co-ordinates Peg	A25	+ 730.516	- 293.518
Elevation Peg	A25	-1 613.516 metres	
Grade Elevation Peg	A25	- 1 614.939 metres	
Direction A25 – A20		152:13:10	
Required dip of the Ore Pass		+ 55	

Observations at Peg A25

Horizontal Clockwise angle A20 – A25 – A26	=	276:13:15
Vertical Angle A25 – A26	=	+ 54:17:10
Slope Distance A25 – A26	=	15.966 m
Bob Length at A26	=	1.013 m
Height of Instrument at A25	=	1.427 m

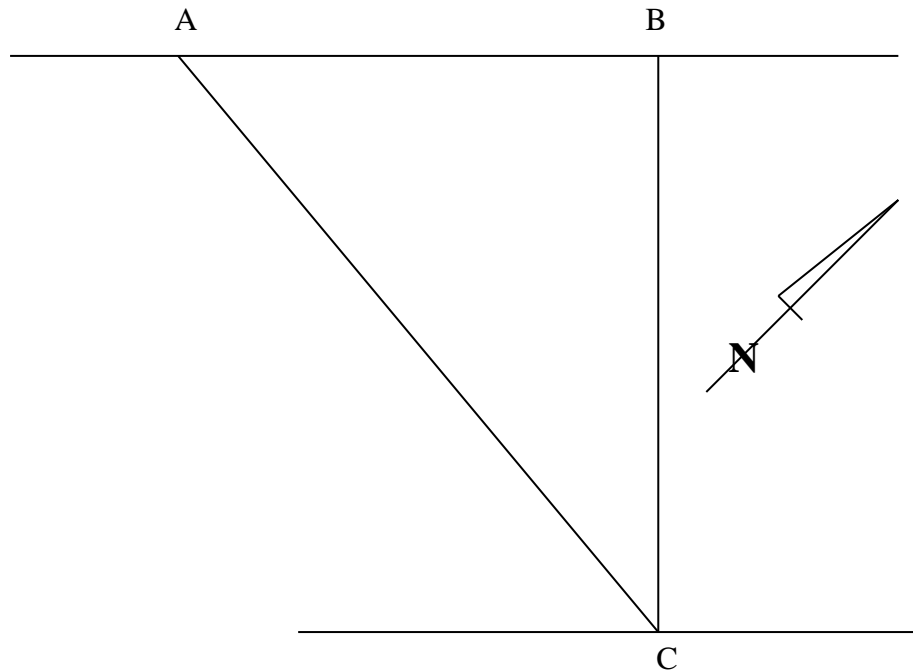
Observations at Peg A26

Horizontal Clockwise angle A25 – A26 – FLP	=	130:14:05
Vertical Angle A26 – A25	=	- 55:38:20
Slope Distance A25 – A26	=	16.508 m
Bob Length at A25	=	2.282 m
Height of Instrument at A26	=	1.201 m



QUESTION 2

Survey pegs A and C indicate the top and bottom corners of an underhand stope respectively. CB was the original raise, developed on the true dip of the reef.

**GIVEN :**

- | | <u>Y</u> | <u>X</u> |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------|
| • Coordinates of A] | + 6 153.208 | + 1 709.365 |
| C] | + 6 098.100 | + 1 697.960 |
- Elevation of A = - 2 605.750
- Elevation of C = - 2 644.790
- Direction of strike (i.e direction A – B) = 218:00:00

CALCULATE :

- 2.1. The dip of the reef along the stope face. (5)
- 2.2. The length of the stope face. (4)
- 2.3. The true dip of the reef. (3)
- 2.4. The inclined length of the raise. (3)

(15)

QUESTION 3

In the re-opening of an old section of a mine, it was decided to continue a drive from which the rails had been stripped.

Points on the footwall were levelled and the following results were obtained:-

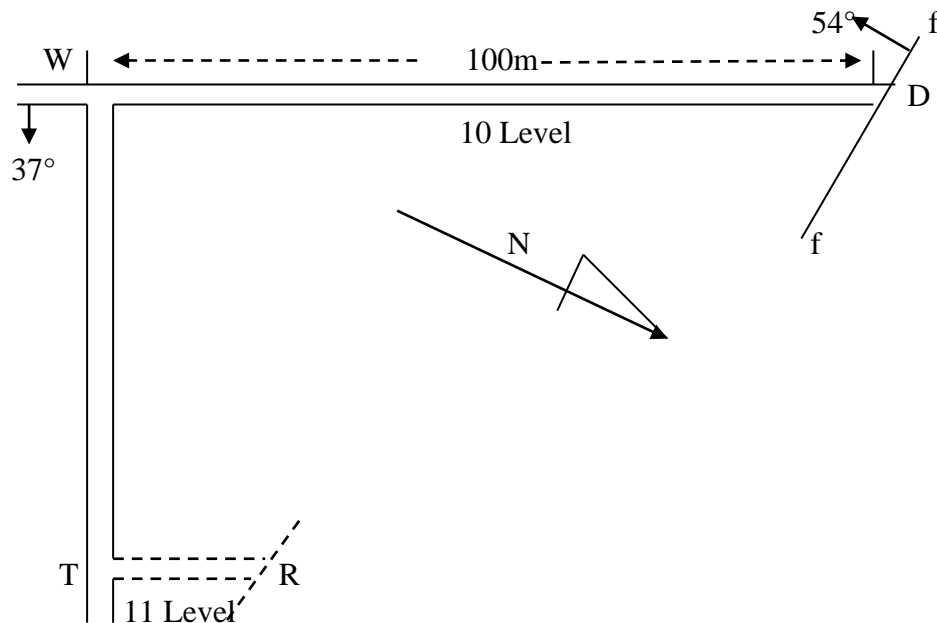
POINT NO	B/S	I/S	F/S	ELEVATION	HD. FROM <u>1</u> (m)	REMARKS
431	0.980			- 1225.790		An inverted staff reading of 0.980 at peg 431 was taken as an intermediate sight
1		1.480			0	
2		1.165			15	
3		1.100			30	
4	1.295		1.000		45	
5		1.160			60	
6		1.085			75	
7	1.450		1.010		90	
8		1.160			105	
9		1.015			120	
10			1.105		140	

It was decided to lay new rails on the average grade existing between 0m and 120m (i.e. points 1 to 9) thereafter to continue the drive at a grade of +1:150

Calculate:

- 1) The reduced elevations at points 1 to 10 .
- 2) The gradient between 1 and 9.
- 3) The grade elevation at points 1 to 10, if the grade elevation at point 1 is 1.0m above the footwall elevation at point 1.

(25)

QUESTION 4

The figure above shows a reef drive on 10 level which has been intersected by a fault “ff” at point D. A reef winze has been sunk at a point W, 100 metres south of D on the true dip of the reef. From a point T in the winze, 11 level drive north is developed and intersects the fault at point R.

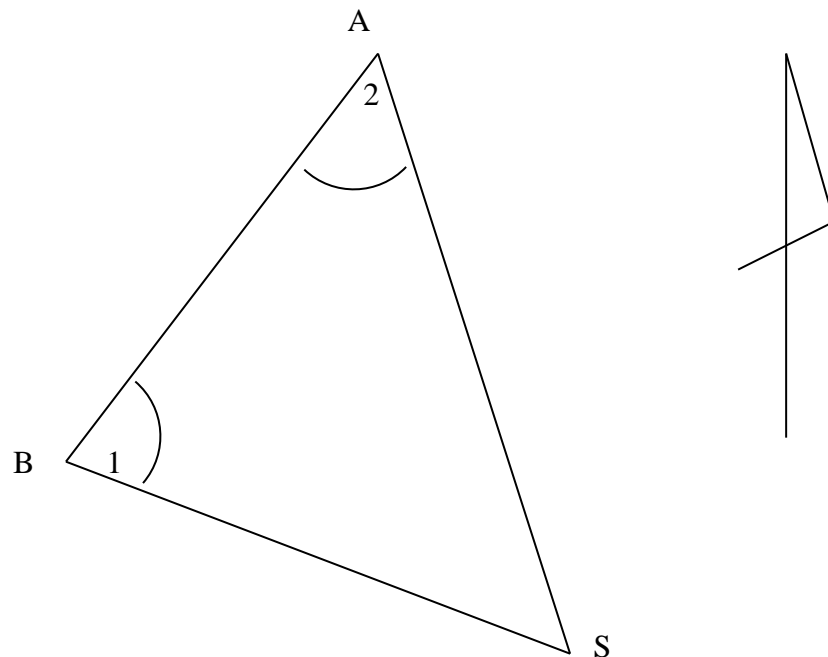
GIVEN:

True dip of reef	=	37° in an easterly direction.
Direction of strike of the reef	=	151° 00' 00".
Dip of the fault	=	54° in a southerly direction.
Direction of strike of the fault	=	269° 00' 00".
Elevation of 10 level	=	- 1 040. 000m
Elevation of 11 level	=	- 1 088. 000m

CALCULATE:

- 4.1. The direction of the line of intersection.
- 4.2. The dip along the line of intersection.
- 4.3. The distance the drive on 11 level will advance from point T to intersect the fault.
- 4.4. The length of the raise along the line of intersection.
- 4.5. The area available for mining from the winze to the reef/fault line of intersection.

(20)

QUESTION 5

Two new points [S] and [T] were triangulated from two known points [A] and [B].

The new point [S] lies to the **South** of the line A – B.

The new point [T] lies to the **North** of the line A – B.

	<u>Y</u>	<u>X</u>
Co-ordinates of A]	+ 1 301.349	+ 451.614
Co-ordinates of B]	+ 1 537.715	+ 763.883
Horizontal Clockwise Angle ABS	=	65° 32' 32" = 1
Horizontal Clockwise Angle SAB	=	51° 36' 38" = 2
Horizontal Distance from A to T	=	727.178 m
Horizontal Distance from B to T	=	683.412 m

Calculate:

5.1 The co-ordinates of S.

5.2 The co-ordinates of T.

(25)

Total marks = [105]