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## VII SEMESTER B.TECH (AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2015

SUBJECT: VEHICLE BODY ENGINEERING AND AERODYNAMICS  
[AAE 451]

### REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

#### Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer **ANY FIVE FULL** the questions.
- ❖ Plot the graphs and draw the sketches wherever it is applicable

- 1A. Explain the velocity distribution of flow through a pipe. (03)
- 1B. Sketch and explain the behavior of the boundary layer along a thin flat plate. (05)
- 1C. Discuss the effect of separation of boundary layer flow at a wall. (02)
  
- 2A. Explain the variation in drag co-efficient of 2 bluff bodies with reference to circular disks and circular cylinders. (04)
- 2B. Describe and explain the main flow separations in regard with car body. (03)
- 2C. Discuss the main parameters which define the geometry of front windshield. (03)
  
- 3A. Explain the effect of yawing angle on the drag co-efficient of wheel with respect to stationary and rotating wheel. (plot the graph) (04)
- 3B. Explain the effect of front spoiler on drag and discuss the same with respect to the underbody of car. (04)
- 3C. Write a note on attachments connected to the external body of the vehicle. (02)
  
- 4A. Sketch and explain different components of wind tunnel and their functions. (05)

- 4B.** Explain two road testing method used to calculate aerodynamic drag. **(03)**
- 4C.** Write different methods used to avoid rust formation. **(02)**
- 5A.** Depending upon average distance of routes, how the buses are Classified and list its properties **(05)**
- 5B.** Explain three types of noise. **(03)**
- 5C.** List methods employed to remove rust. **(02)**
- 6A.** Sketch and explain Lateral loading with respect to car. **(03)**
- 6B.** What all suitable modifications can be recommended to improve aerodynamic drag for cab and trailer? Explain **(04)**
- 6C.** Explain different types of minibus or minivans **(03)**