Civil Engineering Licensure Exam – Mock Exam (Day 8: Surveying Fundamentals)

February 24, 2025

Instructions

- Time Limit: 60 Minutes
- Coverage: Surveying Instruments, Fieldwork, and Data Collection
- Total Questions: 10 (Multiple Choice & Problem-Solving)
- Show complete solutions for problem-solving questions.

Section A: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

Choose the best answer.

- 1. Which of the following is used for measuring horizontal and vertical angles in surveying?
 - (a) Dumpy Level
 - (b) Theodolite
 - (c) Total Station
 - (d) Plane Table
- 2. The main purpose of leveling in surveying is to:
 - (a) Measure distances between two points
 - (b) Determine elevation differences
 - (c) Measure horizontal angles

- (d) Locate points using GPS
- 3. Which type of surveying is used for large areas with Earth's curvature considered?
 - (a) Plane Surveying
 - (b) Geodetic Surveying
 - (c) Topographic Surveying
 - (d) Cadastral Surveying
- 4. What is the standard length of a Gunter's chain?
 - (a) 10 meters
 - (b) 20 meters
 - (c) 30 meters
 - (d) 66 feet
- 5. Which method of leveling is the most accurate?
 - (a) Barometric Leveling
 - (b) Trigonometric Leveling
 - (c) Differential Leveling
 - (d) Hand Leveling

Section B: Problem-Solving

- 1. A line was measured using a 30-meter tape and found to be 150 meters. However, the tape was later found to be 30.05 meters long. Find the correct length of the line.
- 2. Compute the reduced level (RL) of a point if the benchmark (BM) has an RL of 100.00 m and the backsight (BS) and foresight (FS) readings are 2.35 m and 1.80 m, respectively.
- 3. The distance between two stations was measured as 500 m on a slope of 5°. Determine the horizontal distance.
- 4. A closed traverse ABCD has interior angles of 95°, 85°, 92°, and an unknown angle at D. Compute the missing angle.
- 5. A 20 m chain was found to be 0.05 m too long after a survey. If the measured distance was 500 m, determine the correct distance.