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SEVENTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) (09 SCHEME) DECREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2016

ME/PTME 09 705 L07—AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 70 Marks

Part A

Answer all questions.

- 1. Classify the automobiles.
- 2. List the functions of fuel pump used in engines.
- 3. Differentiate centrifugal and semi-centrifugal clutches.
- 4. What is a constant velocity universal joint? List its types.
- 5. How the automobile wheels are designated?

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$

Part B

Answer any four questions.

- 6. Draw the layout of automobile chassis and discuss the different types of chassis briefly.
- 7. Discuss the battery ignition system.
- 8. Sketch and explain single plate clutch.
- 9. Explain the working principle of sliding mesh gearbox.
- 10. State the advantages and disadvantages tubeless tyres.
- 11. Discuss the working principle of power steering with neat sketches.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ marks})$

Part C

Answer any four questions.

12. (a) Explain the various parts of an IC engine with neat sketches.

Or

- (b) Sketch and explain, how the valves are actuated in a four stroke petrol engine?
- 13. (a) With a neat sketch explain the working of simple carburettor with neat sketch.

Or

- (b) Explain the different methods cooling the engines.
- 14. (a) Draw the schematic diagram of a fluid coupling and state the working principle.

Or

- (b) Discuss in-detail the construction and working of hydraulically operated braking system.
- 15. (a) With neat sketch explain the Ackermann's steering system.

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(b) Discuss in-detail the constructional features of tubeless tyres for automotive use.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$