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## PART A Answer any three full questions, each carries 10 marks. Marks a) With a neat sketch explain about turbo charging. 1 (6) Sketch a Piston ring in an IC engine. What are the functions of piston rings to (4) perform in an engine? a) Sketch and explain the function of a flywheel in an IC engine? 2 (5) b) Compare MPFI and CRDI systems (5) 3 Sketch and explain the working of a synchromesh gear box (5) b) With a neat sketch explain pull type diaphragm clutch. (5) a) Define overdrive. What are the advantages of overdrive? (5) b) Explain the working of a fluid coupling with a neat sketch. (5) PART B Answer any three full questions, each carries 10 marks. 5 With a neat diagram explain the working of a hydraulic rack and pinion steering (6) system. b) List out the need of power steering system in a vehicle. (4) a) Explain caster in steering wheel alignment with a neat sketch. (6) b) Explain Ackermann steering mechanism with a neat sketch. (4) a) Explain telescopic suspension with a neat sketch. (5) b) With the help of a diagram explain short swing arm suspension. (5) 8 a) List out the advantages and disadvantages of hydro pneumatic suspension. (6) b) List out the functions of anti roll bars. (4)

## **PART C**

Answer any four full questions, each carries 10 marks.

9 a) With a neat diagram explain the working of a disc brake system. (8)

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	b)	What is the purpose of braking system?	(2)
10	a)	Explain mechanical braking system with sketch	(6)
	b)	What is braking efficiency? List out the factors affecting braking	(4)
11	a)	With a neat block diagram explain the working of pneumatic brake.	(6)
	b)	List out the advantages of ABS.	(5)
12	a)	What is the significance of aerodynamic lift in vehicles?	(5)
	b)	Explain the importance of under body dams in aerodynamic lift control of	(5)
		vehicle	
13	a)	What is drag coefficient?	(2)
	b)	With neat sketches explain the drag coefficients of body shapes	(8)
		i) sphere ii) cube iii) sixty degree cone iv) tear drop	
14	a)	Explain profile edge chamfering in vehicles sketches.	(5)
	b)	What is the need of a rear end spoiler in a vehicle?	(5)