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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09) OCT/NOV-2017

DME—SIXTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERING

Time : 3 hours]

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[Total Marks : 80

PART—A 3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answer should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** Write any three defects in frames.
- 2. List out advantages and disadvantages of frameless construction.
- **3.** What is meant by the term 'tractive effort'?
- 4. Mention any three types of gear selector mechanism.
- **5.** List out any three types of clutches.
- 6. State the working principle of mechanical clutch.
- 7. State the various loads that act on the rear axle.

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- 8. What are the various factors influencing of wheel alignment?
- 9. List out any three requirements of brakes.
- 10. Mention any three types of suspension springs.

Instructions : (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** What are the different components of an automobile? Explain them briefly.
- **12.** Explain the working of synchromesh gearbox with a neat line diagram.
- **13.** Explain the construction details and working of multiplate clutch.
- **14.** Explain clearly the working of differential with a neat line diagram.
- **15.** Explain the Ackermann steering gear mechanism.
- 16. Explain the working of mechanical brakes with a line diagram.
- **17.** Explain the working of air suspension system and label the parts.
- **18.** (a) Explain about semifloating axle.

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(b) Draw neat line sketch of front wheel assembly.

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