

# END TERM EXAMINATION

FOURTH SEMESTER [B.TECH] MAY-JUNE 2018

Paper Code: ETCE-202

Subject: Water Engineering  
(Batch 2013 Onwards)

Maximum Marks: 75

Time: 3 Hours

Note: Attempt five questions in all including Q no.1 which is compulsory.  
Select one question from each unit. Assume suitable missing data if any.

- Q1 (a) Complete the following statements by inserting appropriate words/figures/sentences- **(10x1.5=15)**
- The per capita water demand of an unsewered city with population 0.30 lakh is \_\_\_\_\_ and for a modern Indian City with population 40 lakh the recommended per capita water demand will be \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Fire demand of a City is dependent on the following \_\_\_\_\_.
  - The following are waterborne viral diseases \_\_\_\_\_. In order to ensure the absence of virus in water supply we must check the following \_\_\_\_\_.
  - The adsorption capacity of an Adsorbent is found by \_\_\_\_\_ and calculated using \_\_\_\_\_ equations.
  - The population of a town in 3 consecutive decades are 40 lakh, 80 lakh, 125 lakh respectively. The saturation population will be \_\_\_\_\_ and population of the town in 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive decades will be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ by geometric increase.
  - Presence of Nitrate in drinking water above \_\_\_\_\_ causes \_\_\_\_\_, whereas \_\_\_\_\_ could be caused due to the presence of sulphate in Concentration above \_\_\_\_\_.
  - The difference between Type I, Type II and Type III sedimentation is the following \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Coagulant like  $\text{FeSO}_4$  and  $\text{FeCl}_3$  work well in following situation\_\_\_\_. Activated silica and polyelectrolyte serve following purposes \_\_\_\_\_. The mechanism of polyelectrolyte action is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - MPN is a measure of density/concentration of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - The factor affecting disinfection efficiency of chlorine are the following\_\_\_\_. **(5x2=10)**
- (b) Comment critically (answer any five)-
- pH is a very important parameter for coagulation and disinfection of water.
  - The mechanism of filtration remains same in slow sand and rapid gravity filter despite widely different sand media size.
  - Coagulation and flocculation are same.
  - It can be a good idea to use a rectangular shaped long tank ( $L/B=5$ ) for plain sedimentation of raw water.
  - Disposal of Heavy metals and pesticides even in small concentrations can have adverse effects on the water bodies.
  - Intermittent system of water supply results in reduced water consumption and better public health.

## UNIT-I

- Q2 (a) Write short note on **(6)**
- Well development
  - Infiltration well, Infiltration gallery and Ranney wells.
- (b) An artesian well is being pumped @96 m<sup>3</sup>/hr. Measurement made as follows:**(6.5)**
- Draw down in a test well 150m away = 0.75 m
  - Draw down in a test well 300 m away = 0.6 m
  - Thickness of Aquifer = 6 m
- Determine the Transmissibility of the well.

OR

- Q3 (a) What are the standards for discharge of treated wastewater in natural water bodies? **(3)**

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- (b) Explain the difference between different types of Surface water intakes and their specific suitability. **(3.5)**
- (c) Mention the common impurities in water, which should be taken into account while deciding the potability of water. State the harmful effects if these impurities exceed the prescribed limits. **(6)**

**UNIT-II**

- Q4 (a) Name and briefly describe the major physical and chemical processes involved in helping or obstructing the natural purification process in water courses. **(4)**
- (b) A city discharges 1500 lps of waste water into a stream with minimum discharge 6000 lps.  $BOD_5$  of waste water is 200 mg/l. &  $BOD_5$  of stream water = 1.0 mg/l. DO of waste water = 0. Assume the stream to be 90% saturated with oxygen. Take  $K_1 = 0.10 \text{ d}^{-1}$ ,  $K_2 = 0.3$  and DO saturation of stream water = 9.2 mg/l. If, minimum DO to be maintained in all the stretches of stream is 4.5 mg/l., Find the required degree of treatment of  $BOD_5$ . **(8.5)**

**OR**

- Q5 (a) Discuss thermal stratification and its importance in temperature of stream and lakes. **(5)**
- (b) What do you understand by Oxygen-Sag Curve? Derive Streeter-Phelps Equation. **(7.5)**

**UNIT-III**

- Q6 (a) Find the aeration time required to treat water with iron conc. = 2.4 mg/l to level 0.3 mg/l. **(7.5)**  
 Given: saturation Conc. of  $O_2$  at  $28^\circ\text{C} = 7.92 \text{ mg/l}$ .  
 Gas transfer coeff (base 10) = 70 cm/hr.  
 Diameter of spray aerator nozzle = 25 mm.
- (b) What is an ideal sedimentation tank? Derive an expression for overflow rate for discrete particle settling in a rectangular tank. **(5)**

**OR**

- Q7 (a) Explain the mechanism of coagulation. List various coagulants giving special emphasis on the chemistry of water treatment using alum. **(7.5)**
- (b) Write short notes on:- **(5)**  
 (i) Water softening methods  
 (ii) Rapid mixing and Flocculator design

**UNIT-IV**

- Q8 Write notes on:- **(4+4.5+4=12.5)**  
 (a) Balancing storage  
 (b) Hydraulic analysis of pipe network  
 (c) Layout of distribution system

**OR**

- Q9 Write short notes:- **(3+3+3.5+3=12.5)**  
 (a) Appurtenances in Water supply  
 (b) Components of distribution system  
 (c) Calculating the capacity of distribution reservoir from Hourly Supply, demand data.  
 (d) Optimal design of rising main

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