

**B.Tech. Civil (Water Resources Engineering)**

**Term-End Examination**

00332

**December, 2016**

**ET-536(A) : HYDRAULIC STRUCTURES - I**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 70*

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**Note :** Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Support your answers with examples and neat diagrams, wherever necessary. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. Assume appropriate data, if not given.

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1. (a) What is meant by a reservoir ? Discuss briefly the different types of reservoirs and the purpose served by each type. 2+4=6
- (b) What types of dams could be selected for the following sites ? Justify your answers with reasons. 4×2=8
  - (i) A wide gorge with good foundation
  - (ii) A narrow deep gorge with strong abutments
  - (iii) A gorge with weak foundation but with abundant availability of material locally
  - (iv) A gorge in hilly terrain with poor access

2. (a) How do waves affect the stability of a dam ?  
How do you compute the wave pressure ? 7
- (b) Discuss how you will proceed for consolidation grouting in a fractured rock foundation. 7
3. (a) What is an arbitrary section of a gravity dam and how would you design one such section ? 7
- (b) What are the types of failures of earth dams ? 7
4. (a) How will you test the stability of an earth dam constructed of C- $\phi$  soils ? 7
- (b) What is a rule curve for a reservoir ? Illustrate with an example. 7
5. (a) Draw a neat layout of Diversion head-works and indicate various components of the system. Briefly indicate the function of each component. 7
- (b) Why is it necessary to control silt entry in the canal ? What methods are adopted for the purpose ? 7
6. (a) What are the criteria for safety against uplift pressure in case of weirs founded on permeable foundations ? Write an expression for the thickness of floor in terms of residual head and the specific gravity of the material of the floor. 5+2=7
- (b) Discuss the Slope-Area method for determining stream flow. 7

7. (a) "The profile of an ogee spillway is made in accordance with the shape of the lower nappe of a free falling jet." Explain the statement. 7
- (b) Explain energy dissipation arrangement for the following two cases :  $2 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 7$
- (i) T.W.C. coincides with H.J.C.
- (ii) T.W.C. is always above H.J.C.
8. Write short notes on any **four** of the following :  $4 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 14$
- (a) Joints in a Gravity Dam
- (b) Environmental Effect of Reservoirs
- (c) Hydraulic Jump
- (d) Exit Gradient and Safe Exit Gradient
- (e) Admixtures
- (f) Storage Zones in a Reservoir
- (g) Fish Ladder
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