

B.Tech. Civil (Water Resources Engineering)

Term-End Examination

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ET-533(B) : OPEN CHANNEL FLOW

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed.

1. (a) Explain the velocity distribution in rectangular channel, triangular channel, trapezoidal channel and shallow ditch, with the help of neat diagrams. 7
- (b) A straight rectangular channel is having a slope of 1 in 1000. The width is 1 m and depth of flow is 0.5 m, velocity of flow is 1 m/s. Construct the hydraulic grade line between two sections 1 km apart. Will it be parallel to the energy grade line ? If so, why ? If not, why so ? 7

2. (a) Explain the concept of specific momentum/specific force with neat diagram in detail. 7
- (b) After flowing over a spillway, a discharge of $4.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ passes over a level concrete apron ($n = 0.13$). The velocity at the foot of the spillway is 12.5 m/s and tail water depth is 3.0 m . In order that the jump be contained on the apron, how long should it be built? How much energy is lost from the foot of the spillway to the downstream end of jump? 7
3. (a) Explain the method of direct integration (Bresse method). 7
- (b) A trapezoidal channel of base width 6.0 m , and side slope $z = 1.5$ is laid on a bed slope of 0.001 . It carries a discharge of $28 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. The channel terminates in a free overfall. Compute the free overfall. Compute the flow profile from the free overfall point to a section where depth of flow is 2% less than the normal depth by the direct step method. Take $n = 0.025$. 7

4. (a) Explain Chow's method for computation of water surface profile in detail. 7
- (b) A trapezoidal channel having a bed width $b = 7$ m, side slope $z = 2$, bed slope $S_0 = 0.0016$ and Manning's $n = 0.025$ carries a discharge at $12.26 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. Compute the back water (Graphical integration) profile created by a dam which backs up the water to a depth of 2 m immediately behind the dam. The upstream end of the profile is assumed at a depth equal to 1% greater than the normal depth. Assume the energy coefficient = 1.0. 7
5. (a) Explain sub-critical flow with a hump with neat sketch. 7
- (b) A venturi flume is 1.3 m wide at the entrance and 0.65 m at the throat. Neglecting hydraulic losses in the flume, compute the flow if the depths at the entrance and throat sections are 0.65 m and 0.60 m, respectively. A hump of height 20 cm is to be installed at the throat, so that a standing wave is formed beyond the throat. What will be the increase in upstream depth if the same flow passes through the flume? 7

6. (a) Explain about negative surges in detail with the help of neat sketch. 7
- (b) A tidal wave is observed to travel at a velocity of 10.0 m/s. The initial uniform flow depth is 3.0 m at a velocity of 2.0 m/s. Estimate the height, overrun, final velocity and discharge. 7
7. (a) Explain Dam Break Problem in detail. 7
- (b) Enlist the factors that guide engineers in evaluating the wave force on structures and briefly explain them. 7
8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : $4 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 14$
- (a) Water hammer effect
- (b) Froude number
- (c) Gradually varied flow
- (d) Control structures
- (e) Parshall flume
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