

B.Tech. CIVIL ENGINEERING (BTCLEVI)

Term-End Examination

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BICE-015 : WATER RESOURCES ENGINEERING

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : Attempt any **seven** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Assume missing data, if any.*

1. Describe the use of hydrology in Irrigation Engineering. What do you mean by 'Hydrological Cycle' ? 10

2. What is meant by 'Duty' ? Enumerate the different terms by which 'Duty' can be expressed. What are the factors affecting Duty ? 10

3. (a) What are the various types of water losses which occur in reservoirs ? Explain in detail. 5
- (b) What are the different investigations required for reservoir planning ? 5

4. (a) Discuss Bligh's Creep Theory. What are its limitations ? 5
- (b) What are the different modes of failure of gravity dams ? Discuss in brief. 5

5. (a) What is Darcy's Law ? How will you measure the coefficient of permeability of soil ? 5
- (b) A 30 m well completely penetrates an unconfined aquifer of depth 40 m. After a long period of pumping at a steady rate of 1500 lpm, the drawdown in two observation wells 25 m and 75 m from the pumping well were found to be 3.5 m and 2.0 m respectively. Determine the transmissibility of the aquifer.
6. The Gross Command Area (GCA) of an irrigation canal is 1,20,000 hectares. The Culturable Command Area (CCA) is 75% of GCA and the intensities of irrigation for Kharif and Rabi crops are 40% and 55% respectively. If the duties of water at the canal are 800 and 1150 hectares/cumec for Kharif and Rabi crops respectively, determine the head discharge of the canal. 10
7. Explain the method for the design of a vertical drop weir. 10
8. (a) Describe the different types of aqueducts based on the canal cross-section at the crossing. 5
- (b) Explain the different types of canal falls. 5

9. With the help of neat sketches, describe a distributary head regulator. 10

10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 2×5=10

- (a) Design Floods
 - (b) Khosla's Seepage Theories
 - (c) Canal Outlets
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