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## **B.Tech. Civil (Construction Management)**

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## **Term-End Examination**

**June, 2014** 

ET-535(A): ELEMENTARY HYDROLOGY

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 70

**Note:** Answer any **five** questions, all questions carrying equal marks. Give neat, well-labelled sketches. Answer in your own words.

- 1. (a) State the assumptions underlying the theory of a unit hydrograph.
  - (b) 4-hour ordinates of unit hydrograph are given as under. Derive the ordinates of an 8-hour unit hydrograph for the given basin. 9

| Time (hours) | Ordinate of 4-hour hydrograph |
|--------------|-------------------------------|
| 0            | 0                             |
| 4            | 16                            |
| 8            | 60                            |
| 12           | 108                           |
| 16           | 100                           |
| 20           | 95                            |
| 24           | 75                            |
| 28           | 52                            |
| 32           | 15                            |
| 36           | 0                             |
|              |                               |

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| 2. | (a) | Explain the process of formation of precipitation.  | 4   |
|----|-----|---|-----|
|    | (b) | Draw a neat sketch of hydrologic cycle and explain in detail the role of the following:  (i) Depression storage  (ii) Interception  (iii) Interflow | 10  |
| 3. |     | ne, explain and give the use of following:  | 14  |
|    | (a) | Standard project storm  |     |
|    | (b) | Probable maximum precipitation  |     |
|    | (c) | Maximum probable flood and its importance   |     |
| 4. | (a) | What do you understand by evaporation, actual evapotranspiration and potential evapotranspiration?  | 6   |
|    | (b) | Give, in detail, the two methods of estimating potential evapotranspiration, and one method of measuring evaporation. 3+3                           | 3+2 |
| 5. | (a) | Discuss in brief the factors that influence run-off over a catchment.   | 7   |
|    | (b) | Describe the non-recording type of stream gauging system.   | 7   |
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- 6. (a) List the methods of measuring rainfall and explain any one of the methods.
  - (b) Explain in detail the Radar-based procedure to measure rainfall over the given catchment.
- 7. Write short notes on any **four** of the following:  $4 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 14$ 
  - (i) Snowfall-Water Equivalent
  - (ii) Depth Area Duration, vis-a-vis, a storm analysis
  - (iii) Soil types and infiltration
  - (iv) Vegetal cover and its effect on hydrological processes
  - (v) Infiltrometer
  - (vi) Arithmetical method of computing average rainfall