

# C.U.SHAH UNIVERSITY

## Winter Examination-2015

**Subject Name: Water Resources Engineering**

**Subject Code : 4TE05WRE1**

**Branch : B.Tech(Civil)**

**Semester : 5      Date : 2/12/2015      Time : 2:30 To 5:30**

**Marks : 70**

**Instructions:**

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator & any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
- (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
- (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
- (4) Assume suitable data if needed.

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| Q-1 | (a) Define sub-surface runoff.  | 1 |
|     | (b) Define direct runoff.   | 1 |
|     | (c) Explain the term confined aquifer.  | 1 |
|     | (d) Explain the term unconfined aquifer.  | 1 |
|     | (e) What is an area of catchment is suitable for unit hydrograph theory?                      | 1 |
|     | (f) Which chemical compound is generally used to reduce the evaporation from water surface?   | 1 |
|     | (g) What is consumption use?  | 1 |
|     | (h) What is hydrology?  | 1 |
|     | (i) Which instrument is used to measures the variation of the atmospheric humidity with time? | 1 |
|     | (j) What is the use of double mass curve technique?   | 1 |
|     | (k) What is bank storage?   | 1 |
|     | (l) Define transmissibility.  | 1 |
|     | (m) Define permanent wilting point.   | 1 |
|     | (n) What is flood routing?  | 1 |

**Attempt any four from Q-2 to Q-8.**

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| Q-2 | (a) Explain how will you find out missing rainfall data?  | 5 |
|     | (b) Write short notes on the ultrasonic methods for the measurement of discharge.   | 5 |
|     | (c) A rain gauge 'D' was inoperative during a specific storm. The rainfall recorded at three surrounding stations A, B and C during that storm was 52, 85 and 70 mm respectively. If the average annual rainfall of stations A, B, C and D are 650, 900, 820 and 700 mm respectively, estimate the storm rainfall of station D. | 4 |
| Q-3 | (a) Discuss Slope-Area method for the measurement of discharge of a river.  | 5 |
|     | (b) What are the different types of aquifers? Explain each in brief.  | 5 |
|     | (c) The total observed runoff volume during a 6 h storm with a uniform intensity of 1.5 cm/h is $21.6 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^3$ . If the area of the basin is $300 \text{ km}^2$ , find the average infiltration rate for the basin.   | 4 |
| Q-4 | (a) Explain methods for improvement of duty.  | 5 |
|     | (b) A 12-hr unit hydrograph (UH) of a catchment is triangular in shape with a   | 5 |



- base width of 144 hr and peak discharge of  $23 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ . Calculate the area of the catchment.
- (c) Find the delta for a crop if the duty for a base period of 140 days is 3456 hectares/cumec. 4
- Q-5 (a) What is watershed management? What are the needs of Watershed management? 5
- (b) Discuss the objectives of water resources development. 5
- (c) A fully penetrating well of diameter 0.4 m is drilled in a confined aquifer 2.5 m thick. If the steady state draw downs at 10 m and 50 m are observed to be 2.50 m and 0.5 m. Determine the discharge. Take  $k = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/s}$ . 4
- Q-6 (a) Write a short note on flood control by constructing levees and flood walls. 5
- (b) The runoff from a drainage basin area  $4320 \text{ km}^2$  is estimated as 10000 cumec-days. What is the depth of runoff? 5
- (c) Differentiate between hyetograph and hydrograph. 4
- Q-7 (a) For a drainage basin of  $600 \text{ km}^2$ , isohyets drawn for a storm gave the following data: 7
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| Isohyets (cm)                             | 40 | 35 | 30 | 25  | 20  | 15  | 10  |
| Catchment area enclosed ( $\text{km}^2$ ) | -  | 35 | 90 | 150 | 310 | 430 | 600 |
- Estimate the average depth of precipitation over the basin.
- (b) Explain Horton's equation of infiltration with neat sketch. 7
- Q-8 (a) Explain  $\phi$ - index and W-index with the procedure to determine the same. 7
- (b) What is unit hydrograph? How it is constructed? Write assumptions and limitations of the unit hydrograph. 7

