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# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

Autonomous Institute Affiliated to VTU

## September / October 2023 Supplementary Examinations

**Programme: B.E**

**Branch: Civil Engineering**

**Course Code: 19CV4PCWSE**

**Course: Water Supply Engineering**

**Semester: IV**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Date: 27.09.2023**

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

### UNIT - I

1	a) Define per capita demand. List the factors that affect per capita demand. <b>06</b>
	b) Describe fire demand. Calculate the fire demand of a city having a population of 2,50,000 using various formulae. <b>06</b>
	c) The census data for population of a town are as follows. Estimate the population in the year 2011 by Geometric increase method, AIM, IIM. <b>08</b>

Year	1951	1961	1971	1981
Population	93,000	111,000	132,000	161,000

### UNIT - II

2	a) Compare surface and underground sources of water with regard to quantity and quality. <b>06</b>
	b) Explain the factors governing the selection of a particular source of water. <b>06</b>
	c) Water has to be supplied to a Town with one lakh population at the rate of 150 l/capita/day from a river 2000m away. The difference in elevation between the lowest water level in the sump and the reservoir is 36m. If the demand has to be supplied in 8 hours, determine the size of the main and the brake horse power of the pumps required. Assume maximum demand as 1.5 times the average demand. Assume $f=0.0075$ , velocity in the pipe=2.4m/sec & efficiency of the pump is 80 percent. <b>08</b>

### UNIT - III

3	a) Write drinking water quality standards for the following parameters as per IS 10500-2012 and discuss their effects when they are not in their limits. (i) Fluoride (ii) Nitrate (iii) Hardness <b>06</b>
	b) Discuss the physical, chemical and microbiological characteristics of water. <b>10</b>
	c) Enumerate various water borne diseases and suggest preventive measures employed. <b>04</b>

**OR**

**Important Note:** Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

4 a) Explain the objectives of water quality Management. With the help of a flow diagram, explain briefly the complete sequence of water treatment plant. **10**

b) Illustrate the importance of sampling water for examination. Explain the sampling of water from a lake. **10**

#### **UNIT - IV**

5 a) A circular sedimentation tank fitted with standard mechanical sludge removal equipment is to handle 3.5 million liters per day of raw water. If the detention period of the tank is 5 hours, and the depth of the tank is 3m, what should be the diameter of the tank? **10**

b) A coagulation- sedimentation plant clarifies 50 million litres of water every day. The quantity of filter alum required at the plant is 20 mg/lit. If the raw water is having an alkalinity equivalent to 4 mg/lit of  $\text{CaCO}_3$ , determine the quantity of filter alum and the quick lime (containing 85% of  $\text{CaO}$ ) required per year by the plant. Take molecular weights as  $\text{Al}=27$ ;  $\text{S}=32$ ;  $\text{O}=16$ ;  $\text{H}=1$ ;  $\text{Ca}=40$ ;  $\text{C}=12$ . **10**

#### **UNIT - V**

6 a) Differentiate between a slow sand filter and Rapid sand filter. **06**

b) With the help of neat sketch explain working and cleaning of rapid sand filter. **08**

c) Calculate the quantity of bleaching powder required per day for disinfecting 4 MLD water. Dose of chlorine is 0.5 ppm and bleaching powder contains 30% of available chlorine. **06**

#### **OR**

7 a) With the help of neat sketch, explain ground water recharge and Roof top harvesting. **10**

b) Explain the following methods of treatment of water. (i) Reverse osmosis: (ii) Membrane filter technique **06**

c) Illustrate the various types of Chlorination. **04**

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