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UNIT I PRECIPITATION, EVAPORATION AND ABSTRACTIONS

Hydrological cycle- Meteorological measurements – Types and forms of precipitation - Spatial analysis of rainfall data using Thiessen polygon and Iso-hyetal Methods-Interception– Evaporation: Measurement, Evaporation suppression – Infiltration: Horton’ equation- Double ring infiltrometer, infiltration indices.

PART-A (2MARKS)

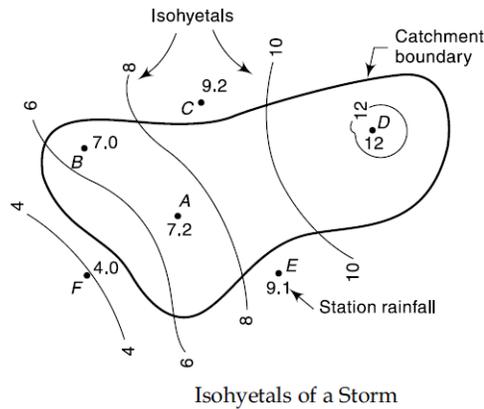
Q. No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Define Hydrology.	BT-1	Remember
2.	What are the objective of hydrological study?	BT-1	Remember
3.	List out the importance of hydrology.	BT-1	Remember
4.	List the various phases of a hydrological cycle?	BT-1	Remember
5.	Define Precipitation.	BT-1	Remember
6.	List out the factors governing selection of site for rain gauge stations.	BT-1	Remember
7.	State basic conditions which are required for the precipitation to occur.	BT-1	Remember
8.	Define transpiration.	BT-1	Remember
9.	What is runoff?	BT-1	Remember
10.	Enlist the various forms of precipitation.	BT-2	Understand
11.	What are all the types of precipitation?	BT-2	Understand
12.	How the precipitation can be measured?	BT-2	Understand
13.	What are all the demerits of Non-recording type rain gauge?	BT-2	Understand
14.	Enlist the three types of recording type rain gauge?	BT-2	Understand
15.	What do you understand by Isohyet?	BT-2	Understand
16.	Write the Horton’s Equation.	BT-2	Understand
17.	What are all the methods available to find the average depth of precipitation over an area?	BT-2	Understand
18.	What do you understand from infiltration indices?	BT-2	Understand
19.	What is the use of Double mass curve?	BT-2	Understand
20.	Write short notes on rain gauge density as per IS 4987.	BT-2	Understand
21.	Define infiltration.	BT-1	Remember
22.	Define evaporation.	BT-1	Remember
23.	What do you understand about normal Annual rainfall?	BT-1	Remember
24.	List the merits of Isohyetal method.	BT-1	Remember

PART-B (13 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Explain “Hydrological cycle” with neat sketch.	BT-3	Application
2.	The isohyets due to a storm in a catchment were drawn in the figure and	BT-3	Application

the area of the catchment bounded by Isohyets was tabulated as below.

Isohyets (cm)	Area (km ²)
Station-12.0	30
12.0-10.0	140
10.0-8.0	80
8.0-6.0	180
6.0-4.0	20



Estimate the mean precipitation due to storm.

3.	List the different types of evaporation and explain the factors affecting evaporation in detail.	BT-3	Application																		
4.	Estimate the PET of an area for the season November to February in which wheat is grown. The area is in North India at latitude of 30° N with mean monthly temperatures as below. <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Month</th> <th>Nov.</th> <th>Dec.</th> <th>Jan.</th> <th>Feb.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Temp. (°C)</td> <td>16.5</td> <td>13.0</td> <td>11.0</td> <td>14.5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Assume empirical coefficient $K=0.6$, and Monthly percent of total day time hours of the year 7.19, 7.15, 7.3, 7.03 for Nov., Dec., Jan., and Feb respectively. Use the Blaney-Criddle formula.	Month	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Temp. (°C)	16.5	13.0	11.0	14.5	BT-4	Analyse								
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5.	Results of an infiltrometer test on a soil are given below. Determine the Horton's infiltration capacity equation for this soil. <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Time since start in (h)</td> <td>0.25</td> <td>0.5</td> <td>0.75</td> <td>1</td> <td>1.25</td> <td>1.5</td> <td>1.75</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Infiltration capacity in cm/h</td> <td>5.6</td> <td>3.2</td> <td>2.1</td> <td>1.50</td> <td>1.20</td> <td>1.10</td> <td>1.0</td> <td>1.0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Time since start in (h)	0.25	0.5	0.75	1	1.25	1.5	1.75	2	Infiltration capacity in cm/h	5.6	3.2	2.1	1.50	1.20	1.10	1.0	1.0	BT-4	Analyse
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6.	The rain gauge station X was in operative for a part of a month during storm occurred. The storm rainfall recorded at the three surrounding stations A, B, and C was 75, 55, and 85 mm respectively. If the average annual rainfall of the stations A, B, C, and X are 780, 660, 850 and 700	BT-4	Analyse																		

	mm respectively. Estimate the storm rainfall of station X.																						
7.	<p>The rain fall recorded at the various rain gauge stations are as follows.</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Rain gauge station number</th> <th>Precipitation in mm</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>1</td><td>35</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>38</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>41</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>45</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>47</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>50</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>52</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>55</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Determine the average rainfall over the catchment</p>	Rain gauge station number	Precipitation in mm	1	35	2	38	3	41	4	45	5	47	6	50	7	52	8	55	BT-4	Analyse		
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8.	<p>Determine optimum number of rain gauges in catchment area from following data.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No. of existing rain gauge = 7 • Mean annual rain fall at the gauges are 1010, 980, 900, 870, 850, 800, 700 mm. <p>Permissible error = 8 %</p>	BT-3	Application																				
9.	Explain the process of infiltration and factor affecting its process.	BT-3	Application																				
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13.	Describe the working principle of a non-recording type rain gauge with neat sketch, Mentioning its advantages and disadvantages.	BT-3	Application																				
14.	What are the factors affecting the infiltration capacity of soil and discuss briefly the effect of any four?	BT-3	Application																				
15.	Explain the different methods of determining the average rainfall over a catchment due to a storm. Discuss the relative merits and demerits of the various methods.	BT-3	Application																				
16.	Write various types of precipitation and how do you measure rain fall?	BT-3	Application																				
17.	Detail different types of infiltration indices.	BT-3	Application																				

PART-C (15 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Discuss the application of hydrology in practice.	BT-4	Analyse
2.	Explain the process of evapotranspiration and its measurement.	BT-4	Analyse
3.	Explain any two Automatic Rain gauges.	BT-4	Analyse
4.	Define precipitation and explain various forms of precipitation.	BT-3	Analyse
5.	As the rainfall supply continues, the rate of infiltration decreases, why?	BT-5	Evaluate

UNIT II - RUNOFF

Catchment: Definition, Morphological characteristics - Factors affecting runoff - Run off estimation using Strange's table and empirical methods-Soil Conservation Service -Curve Number method- Stage discharge relationship- Flow measurements- Hydrograph – Unit Hydrograph – Instantaneous Unit Hydrograph.

PART-A (2MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	What is interflow?	BT-1	Remember
2.	What is base flow?	BT-1	Remember
3.	Define Effective Rainfall.	BT-1	Remember
4.	List the climatic factors which affect runoff.	BT-1	Remember
5.	Define Direct Runoff.	BT-1	Remember
6.	List the methods of estimation of rainfall.	BT-1	Remember
7.	Distinguish between runoff and stream flow.	BT-1	Remember
8.	What do you understand by ground water flow?	BT-1	Remember
9.	Define Runoff.	BT-1	Remember
10.	List the physiographic factors which affect runoff.	BT-1	Remember
11.	Define and draw hydrograph.	BT-2	Understand
12.	What are the methods to determine unit hydrograph?	BT-2	Understand
13.	What are all the applications of unit hydrograph?	BT-2	Understand
14.	Enumerate the types of synthetic hydrographs.	BT-2	Understand
15.	List the factors affecting hydrograph.	BT-1	Remember
16.	What are the limitations of unit hydrograph theory?	BT-2	Understand
17.	List the types of hydrograph.	BT-1	Remember
18.	Define subsurface runoff.	BT-1	Remember
19.	What is isochrones?	BT-2	Understand
20.	Enumerate the main components of a hydrograph of discharge against time	BT-2	Understand
21.	Define concentration time.	BT-1	Remember
22.	What is drainage density?	BT-2	Understand
23.	Define Base lag time.	BT-1	Remember
24.	Define S curve technique.	BT-1	Remember

PART-B (13 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Explain in detail about the runoff process.	BT-3	Application

2.	List the factors affecting runoff and elaborate in detail.	BT-2	Understand
3.	Elaborate components of hydrograph also explain in detail about the characteristics of streams.	BT-3	Application

4.	<p>Rainfall data of a magnitude 4 cm and 5cm occurring non two consecutive 4 hr duration of catchment area 25 km² . Produce the following hydrograph at an outlet of the catchment and estimate the rainfall and Ø-index. Draw the graph also.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="201 164 1646 410"> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 164 365 326">Time from the start of Rainfall</td> <td data-bbox="365 164 438 326">-6</td> <td data-bbox="438 164 512 326">0</td> <td data-bbox="512 164 611 326">6</td> <td data-bbox="611 164 716 326">12</td> <td data-bbox="716 164 821 326">18</td> <td data-bbox="821 164 926 326">24</td> <td data-bbox="926 164 1031 326">30</td> <td data-bbox="1031 164 1136 326">36</td> <td data-bbox="1136 164 1241 326">42</td> <td data-bbox="1241 164 1346 326">48</td> <td data-bbox="1346 164 1451 326">54</td> <td data-bbox="1451 164 1556 326">60</td> <td data-bbox="1556 164 1646 326">66</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 326 365 410">Observed flow</td> <td data-bbox="365 326 438 410">7</td> <td data-bbox="438 326 512 410">5</td> <td data-bbox="512 326 611 410">13</td> <td data-bbox="611 326 716 410">26</td> <td data-bbox="716 326 821 410">21</td> <td data-bbox="821 326 926 410">16</td> <td data-bbox="926 326 1031 410">12</td> <td data-bbox="1031 326 1136 410">9</td> <td data-bbox="1136 326 1241 410">7</td> <td data-bbox="1241 326 1346 410">5</td> <td data-bbox="1346 326 1451 410">5</td> <td data-bbox="1451 326 1556 410">4</td> <td data-bbox="1556 326 1646 410">4</td> </tr> </table>	Time from the start of Rainfall	-6	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	Observed flow	7	5	13	26	21	16	12	9	7	5	5	4	4	BT-4	Analyse																																												
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5.	<p>Annual runoff and runoff values (in cm) of a catchment spanning a period of 21 years are given below. (a) Analyse the data to estimate the 75% and 50% dependable annual yield of the catchment and (b) to develop a linear correlation equation to estimate annual runoff volume for a given annual rainfall value.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="201 529 1608 1045"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="201 529 438 610">Year</th> <th data-bbox="438 529 669 610">Annual rainfall (cm)</th> <th data-bbox="669 529 905 610">Annual runoff (cm)</th> <th data-bbox="905 529 1140 610">Year</th> <th data-bbox="1140 529 1371 610">Annual rainfall (cm)</th> <th data-bbox="1371 529 1608 610">Annual runoff (cm)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 610 438 651">1975</td> <td data-bbox="438 610 669 651">118</td> <td data-bbox="669 610 905 651">54</td> <td data-bbox="905 610 1140 651">1986</td> <td data-bbox="1140 610 1371 651">75</td> <td data-bbox="1371 610 1608 651">17</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 651 438 691">1976</td> <td data-bbox="438 651 669 691">98</td> <td data-bbox="669 651 905 691">45</td> <td data-bbox="905 651 1140 691">1987</td> <td data-bbox="1140 651 1371 691">107</td> <td data-bbox="1371 651 1608 691">32</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 691 438 732">1977</td> <td data-bbox="438 691 669 732">112</td> <td data-bbox="669 691 905 732">51</td> <td data-bbox="905 691 1140 732">1988</td> <td data-bbox="1140 691 1371 732">75</td> <td data-bbox="1371 691 1608 732">15</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 732 438 773">1978</td> <td data-bbox="438 732 669 773">97</td> <td data-bbox="669 732 905 773">41</td> <td data-bbox="905 732 1140 773">1989</td> <td data-bbox="1140 732 1371 773">93</td> <td data-bbox="1371 732 1608 773">28</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 773 438 813">1979</td> <td data-bbox="438 773 669 813">84</td> <td data-bbox="669 773 905 813">21</td> <td data-bbox="905 773 1140 813">1990</td> <td data-bbox="1140 773 1371 813">129</td> <td data-bbox="1371 773 1608 813">48</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 813 438 854">1980</td> <td data-bbox="438 813 669 854">91</td> <td data-bbox="669 813 905 854">32</td> <td data-bbox="905 813 1140 854">1991</td> <td data-bbox="1140 813 1371 854">153</td> <td data-bbox="1371 813 1608 854">76</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 854 438 894">1981</td> <td data-bbox="438 854 669 894">138</td> <td data-bbox="669 854 905 894">66</td> <td data-bbox="905 854 1140 894">1992</td> <td data-bbox="1140 854 1371 894">92</td> <td data-bbox="1371 854 1608 894">27</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 894 438 935">1982</td> <td data-bbox="438 894 669 935">89</td> <td data-bbox="669 894 905 935">25</td> <td data-bbox="905 894 1140 935">1993</td> <td data-bbox="1140 894 1371 935">84</td> <td data-bbox="1371 894 1608 935">18</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 935 438 976">1983</td> <td data-bbox="438 935 669 976">104</td> <td data-bbox="669 935 905 976">42</td> <td data-bbox="905 935 1140 976">1994</td> <td data-bbox="1140 935 1371 976">121</td> <td data-bbox="1371 935 1608 976">52</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 976 438 1016">1984</td> <td data-bbox="438 976 669 1016">80</td> <td data-bbox="669 976 905 1016">11</td> <td data-bbox="905 976 1140 1016">1995</td> <td data-bbox="1140 976 1371 1016">95</td> <td data-bbox="1371 976 1608 1016">26</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="201 1016 438 1045">1985</td> <td data-bbox="438 1016 669 1045">97</td> <td data-bbox="669 1016 905 1045">32</td> <td data-bbox="905 1016 1140 1045"></td> <td data-bbox="1140 1016 1371 1045"></td> <td data-bbox="1371 1016 1608 1045"></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	Annual rainfall (cm)	Annual runoff (cm)	Year	Annual rainfall (cm)	Annual runoff (cm)	1975	118	54	1986	75	17	1976	98	45	1987	107	32	1977	112	51	1988	75	15	1978	97	41	1989	93	28	1979	84	21	1990	129	48	1980	91	32	1991	153	76	1981	138	66	1992	92	27	1982	89	25	1993	84	18	1983	104	42	1994	121	52	1984	80	11	1995	95	26	1985	97	32				BT-4	Analyse
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6.	Monthly rainfall value of the 50% dependable year at a site selected for construction of an irrigation tank is given below. Estimate the monthly and annual runoff volume of the catchment area 1500 ha.						BT-4	Analyse				
	Month	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct						
	Monthly rainfall (mm)	90	160	145	22	240						
7.	In a 350 ha watershed the CN value was as 70 for AMC-III. Estimate the value of direct runoff volume for the following 4 Days of rainfall. The AMC on July 1 st was of category III. Use standard SCS-CN equations.					BT-4	Analyse					
	Date	July 1	July 2	July 3	July 4							
	Rainfall (mm)	50	20	30	18							
What would be the runoff volume if the CN _{III} value were 80?												
8.	A small watershed is 250 ha in size has group C Soil. The land cover can be classified as 30% open forest and 70% of poor quality pasture. Assuming AMC at average condition and the soil to be black soil. Estimate the direct runoff volume due to a rainfall of 75mm in one day.						BT-3	Application				
9.	The ordinates of storm hydrograph of a particular catchment are given below. Determine the ordinates of unit hydrograph and rainfall excess. Take catchment area as 50 km ²									BT-3	Application	
	Time (hr)	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7			8
	SHO (m ³ /s)	10	30	40	60	80	70	55	40			10
	Base flow (m ³ /s)	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10			10
10.	For a catchment area of 230 km ² the discharge in stream is given below. Calculate unit hydrograph ordinates and rainfall excess.									BT-4	Analyse	
	Date	Oct.15	Oct.15	Oct.15	Oct.15	Oct.16	Oct.16	Oct.16	Oct.16			Oct.17
	Time	0000	0600	1200	1800	0000	0600	1200	1800			0000
	SHO (m ³ /s)	15	90	705	227	148	94	61	35			15
	Base flow (m ³ /s)	15	10	5	7	8	9	11	13			15

11.	Explain ground water runoff in detail.	BT-4	Analyse
12.	Discuss the several assumptions underlying the UH method in hydrological analysis.	BT-4	Analyse
13.	Explain the climatic factors which affect the runoff.	BT-4	Analyse
14.	Explain in detail about the method of superposition.	BT-4	Analyse
15.	What are the factors affecting hydrograph? Explain.	BT-2	Understand
16.	What is a hydrograph? Draw a single peaked hydrograph and explain its components.	BT-2	Understand
17.	Explain climatic factors which affect runoff.	BT-4	Analyse

PART-C (15 MARKS)

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1.	<p>The land use and soil characteristics of a 5000 ha watersheds are as follows. Soil: Not a black soil, Hydrologic soil classification: 60% is group B and 40% is group C, Land use:Hard surface area 10%,Waste land 5%, Orchard (without understory cover) = 30%, Cultivated (Terraced) Poor condition = 55%, Antecedent rain: The total rainfall in past 5 days was 30 mm. the season is dormant season.</p> <p>I. Compute the runoff volume from a 125 mm rainfall in a day on the watershed.</p> <p>II. What would have been the runoff if the rainfall in the previous 5 days was 10mm?</p>	BT-4	Analyse																																																						
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3.	Explain in detail about the synthetic unit hydrograph method.	BT-5	Evaluate
4.	The following characteristic for a given water shed used to develop two hours' unit hydrograph from a basin having the water shed area of 400 km ² , the length of the main stream from the basin outlet to the point of string which is nearest to the centroid of basin is 25 km. The coefficient $C_p=0.576$ and $C_t=1.257$.	BT-4	Analyse
5.	What is a dimensionless unit hydrograph? How is it useful in constructing a synthetic unit hydrograph of a basin?	BT-5	Evaluate

UNIT III - HYDROLOGICAL EXTREMES

Natural Disasters-Frequency Analysis-Flood estimation- Flood management- Definitions of drought: Meteorological, hydrological, agricultural and Integrated- India Meteorological Department method-Normalized Difference Vegetation Index analysis- Drought Prone Area Programme.

PART-A (2MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	State the two attributes of the flood.	BT-1	Remember
2.	What is Maximum Probable flood?	BT-1	Remember
3.	What do you understand by the term Design flood?	BT-1	Remember
4.	List the methods of estimation of flood.	BT-1	Remember
5.	What is frequency of flood?	BT-1	Remember
6.	Define recurrence interval of flood.	BT-1	Remember
7.	A flood has return period of 23 years. What is probability exceedance of the flood?	BT-2	Understand
8.	Define standard Project flood.	BT-2	Understand
9.	According to Gumbel's extreme value distribution, how the probability of occurrence of a flood peak of magnitude greater than or equal to Q is expressed?	BT-2	Understand
10.	What are the uses of flood flow frequency analysis?	BT-2	Understand
11.	What is the use of frequency analysis?	BT-2	Understand
12.	Define flood.	BT-2	Understand
13.	State any two formulas for to calculate flood discharge.	BT-2	Understand
14.	Write short notes on flood control measures.	BT-2	Understand
15.	A flood of a certain magnitude has return period of 25 years. What is the probability of exceedance?	BT-2	Understand
16.	What are the uses of flood flow frequency analysis?	BT-2	Understand
17.	What are the routing methods?	BT-1	Remember
18.	What is flood routing?	BT-1	Remember
19.	What are the basic equations used for flood routing by hydrograph method?	BT-1	Remember
20.	What is attenuation?	BT-1	Remember
21.	Define storage coefficient with reference to the channel routing.	BT-1	Remember
22.	List the different methods of reservoir routing.	BT-1	Remember
23.	List the structural flood control methods.	BT-1	Remember
24.	What is prism storage?	BT-1	Remember

PART-B (13 MARKS)

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Q.No	Questions	Level	Competence																						
1.	Explain in detail about the various flood control measures and different types of droughts.	BT-3	Application																						
2.	Describe the various steps involved in method of reservoir routing. Explain any one of the method in detail.	BT-3	Application																						
3.	The inflow discharge during a flood in that channel has been given below. Take $k = 12$ hours, $x = 0.2$; $\lambda t = 6$ hours. Outflow discharge is $20 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. Determine the routed hydrograph and plot it. Also calculate the reduction in peak and lag time for peak.	BT-4	Analyse																						
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4.	List out the nonstructural methods of flood control explain in detail any one of the method.	BT-3	Application																						
5.	Elaborate on drought-prone area programme and agro-climatic planning.	BT-3	Application																						
6.	How do DPAP programmes help in the development of dry land agriculture in India?	BT-3	Application																						
7.	Explain in detail about NDVI analysis.	BT-3	Application																						
8.	A flood of a certain magnitude has a return period of 50 years. Determine the probability exceedance and probability of the flood of magnitude equal to or greater than the given magnitude occurring at least once in 10 successive years, two times in 10 successive years and once in 10 successive years.	BT-4	Analyse																						
9.	List out the structural methods of flood control explain in detail any one of the method.	BT-3	Application																						
10.	List the societal impacts of drought and also explain the Factors Aggravating Drought Impacts	BT-3	Application																						
11.	Find out the peak flood discharge for a return period of 600 years, if the corresponding peak flood discharge for return periods 100 years and 200 years are $225 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ and $400 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. Use gambels method. Also find the return period of $900 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ peak discharge.	BT-4	Analyse																						
12.	Elaborate in detail about methods of estimation of flood.	BT-4	Analyse																						
13.	Explain various methods of determining flood discharge in a stream.	BT-3	Application																						
14.	Explain the step by step procedure of log Pearson type III distribution used in flood frequency analysis.	BT-3	Application																						
15.	Write the types of flooding. Explain any two in detail.	BT-3	Application																						
16.	How do you determine the magnitude of flood of specific return period using gumbels method?	BT-3	Application																						
17.	Describe the procedure for estimating a T-year flood using gumbels method.	BT-3	Application																						

PART-C (15 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Differentiate between I. Hydraulic routing and hydrologic routing (5 Marks) II. Channel routing and reservoir routing (5 Marks)	BT-3	Application

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2.	The maximum annual floods for a river for 29 years are given below. i) Plot the frequency curve ii) Determine the magnitude of flood having return period of 30 years, 15 years and 7.5 years. iii) What is recurrence interval of a flood of a 300 m ³ /s.	BT-4	Analyse																																																																																																
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UNIT IV - RESERVOIRS

Water Resources - River basins - Development and Utilization in India and Tamil Nadu Irrigation - Classification of reservoirs, General principles of design, site selection- Spillways- Elevation – Area capacity curve - Storage Estimation-Sedimentation –life of reservoirs.

PART-A (2MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	What is the most important physical characteristics of reservoir?	BT-1	Remember
2.	What are criteria for selection of site for reservoir?	BT-1	Remember
3.	What is the difference between weir and barrage?	BT-1	Remember
4.	Why is leakage under dam undesirable?	BT-1	Remember
5.	Which condition is most Favorable at the site of the dam and reservoir?	BT-1	Remember
6.	Sketch the flow duration curve.	BT-1	Remember
7.	What are the types of dam?	BT-1	Remember
8.	What is reservoir planning?	BT-1	Remember
9.	How do you fix a capacity of reservoir?	BT-1	Remember
10.	What are the three major inputs in reservoir characterization?	BT-1	Remember
11.	What is reservoir Characterization?	BT-1	Remember
12.	What is spillway and its types?	BT-1	Remember

13.	Classify the various zones of storage in a reservoir.	BT-1	Remember
14.	Write down the steps for Water Resources planning.	BT-2	Understand
15.	Which is uncontrolled spillway?	BT-2	Understand
16.	What is reservoir capacity?	BT-2	Understand
17.	Enumerate the factors to be considered in selection of site for reservoir.	BT-2	Understand
18.	How the storage capacity of a reservoir is fixed?	BT-2	Understand
19.	What are the types of flood control reservoirs?	BT-2	Understand
20.	Compare storage and retarding reservoir	BT-2	Understand
21.	Why Spillway?	BT-2	Understand
22.	What is difference between Notch and Weir?	BT-2	Understand
23.	Explain the term storage capacity of the reservoir	BT-2	Understand
24.	Define Flood Walls.	BT-1	Remember

PART-B (13 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Explain in detail about classification of reservoirs.	BT-4	Analyse
2.	Describe about reservoir sedimentation and deposition.	BT-4	Analyse
3.	Write short note on single and multipurpose reservoir with its advantages and disadvantages.	BT-3	Application
4.	Define storage capacity of the reservoir. List out and explain various storage zones of reservoir with neat sketch?	BT-3	Application
5.	Explain in detail about physical characteristics of reservoir.	BT-3	Application
6.	Enumerate the different types of spillway	BT-3	Application
7.	Outline the general principles of design in reservoir.	BT-3	Application
8.	How will you find reservoir capacity using mass curve?	BT-3	Application
9.	Elaborate in detail about reservoir sedimentation control.	BT-3	Application
10.	Show the processes of reservoir operation in detail.	BT-3	Application
11.	Describe in detail about components of dams with neat sketch	BT-4	Analyse
12.	Enumerate the procedure for site selection for reservoir.	BT-4	Analyse
13.	Explain the term "Life of reservoir "in detail.	BT-4	Analyse
14.	How sedimentation reduces the reservoir capacity?	BT-4	Analyse
15.	Describe the various steps involved in any one method of reservoir routing.	BT-4	Analyse
16.	What is the basic principle in the Muskingum method of flood routing? Describe a procedure for estimating the values of the Muskingum coefficients K and x for a stream reach.	BT-4	Analyse
17.	List the different methods of reservoir routing and explain any three in detail.	BT-3	Application

PART-C (15 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	How GIS associated in determination of site selection for a reservoir?	BT-5	Evaluate
2.	Is used to measure dynamic loads in dams? Suggest your comments.	BT-5	Evaluate
3.	Explain the planning stages adopted in site selection of reservoir.	BT-4	Analyse
4.	Illustrate in detail about the storage capacity reservoir from mass curve	BT-4	Analyse

5.	Explain various storage zones of reservoir with neat sketch.	BT-4	Analyse
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UNIT V - GROUNDWATER AND MANAGEMENT

Origin- Classification and types - Properties of aquifers- Governing equations – Steady and unsteady flow - Artificial recharge - RWH in rural and urban areas.

PART-A (2MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	What is ground water?	BT-1	Remember
2.	Name the sources of ground water	BT-1	Remember
3.	Sketch the diagram of division of sub-surface water.	BT-1	Remember
4.	State Darcy's law and its limitation.	BT-1	Remember
5.	Define aquifer	BT-1	Remember
6.	Define hydraulic conductivity of an aquifer and state its units	BT-1	Remember
7.	What is intrinsic permeability and state its units?	BT-1	Remember
8.	What is drawdown?	BT-1	Remember
9.	Distinguish between specific capacities of a well on the specific yield of an aquifer.	BT-1	Remember
10.	What is rainwater harvesting?	BT-2	Understand
11.	What do you understand by pumping test?	BT-2	Understand
12.	Define drawdown	BT-2	Understand
13.	Write the governing equation for groundwater flow	BT-2	Understand
14.	Enumerate the term " Artificial Recharge	BT-2	Understand
15.	Distinguish between aquitard and aquiclude	BT-2	Understand
16.	Define storage coefficient	BT-2	Understand
17.	Write any two properties of aquifer.	BT-2	Understand
18.	Show the equation for steady state flow	BT-2	Understand
19.	What are the advantages of groundwater?	BT-2	Understand
20.	Write about Vadose zone	BT-2	Understand
21.	List the classification of saturated formation.	BT-2	Understand
22.	What do you infer from recuperation test?	BT-1	Remember
23.	Why rainwater harvesting is necessary?	BT-1	Remember
24.	Outline the need of groundwater management.	BT-2	Understand

PART-B (13 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Briefly elaborate on the formation constants which characterize an aquifer.	BT-3	Application
2.	Write in detail about leaky artesian aquifer.	BT-3	Application
3.	A field test for permeability consists in observing the required for a tracer to travel between two observation wells. A tracer was found to take 10 hour travel between two wells 50 m apart when the difference in the water surface elevation in them was 0.5 m. The mean particle size of aquifer is 2 mm and the porosity of the medium is 0.3. If kinematic viscosity is $0.01\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$. Estimate the coefficient of permeability and intrinsic permeability of the aquifer.	BT-3	Application
4.	In a field test time of 6 hours was required for a tracer to travel between two observation wells 42 m apart. If the difference in water table elevation	BT-3	Application

	in these wells is 0.85 m and porosity of the aquifer is 20%. Calculate the coefficient of permeability of aquifer.		
5.	Explain the classification of saturated formation	BT-3	Application
6.	Explain in detail about the Dupuit's theory	BT-4	Analyse
7.	Describe the method of determining the aquifer parameters using the pumping test data.	BT-4	Analyse
8.	Elaborate on the importance of GW and its historical background.	BT-3	Application
9.	Derive the ground water flow equations.	BT-3	Application
10.	A 30 cm diameter well completely penetrates an unconfined aquifer of saturated depth 40 m. After a long period of pumping at a steady rate of 1500 lpm, the drawdown in two observation wells are located at 25 m and 75 m from the pumping well were found to be 3.5 m and 2 m respectively. Determine the transmissibility of the aquifer.	BT-4	Analyse
11.	Explain in detail the Components of a rooftop rainwater harvesting system	BT-4	Analyse
12.	A 20 cm diameter tube well taps an artesian aquifer. Find the yield for a drawdown of 3m at the well. The length of the strainer is 30 m and the coefficient of permeability of aquifer is 35m per day. Assume the radius of influence as 300 m. If all other conditions remain same, find the percentage change in yield under the following cases. i. The diameter of the well is 40 cm. ii. The drawdown is 6m iii. The permeability is 17.25 m/day.	BT-4	Analyse
13.	Draw a neat sketch and show the various types of aquifers, confining units, wells and interfaces in them along with their equivalent terminology.	BT-4	Analyse
14.	Enumerate the major reasons for GW level fluctuations.	BT-4	Analyse
15.	Describe the method of determining the aquifer parameters using the Pumping test data.	BT-3	Application
16.	On the basis of occurrence and field situation, how aquifers are classified in general? With relevant sketches explain in detail the features of such aquifers.	BT-3	Application
17.	How transmissivity and storage coefficient affect well performance?	BT-3	Application

PART-C (15 MARKS)

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Sometimes the aquifers may be stratified with different permeability in each stratum. Consider a situation in which the flow is parallel to the stratification. Derive an expression for the transmissibility of such aquifer formation.	BT-4	Analyse
2.	What is the role of GW in hydrologic cycle? Provide the water balance equation and highlight the GW related components in it.	BT-4	Analyse
3.	How can isotope hydrology help in the GW age determination?	BT-5	Evaluate
4.	What are purposes of and methods for artificial GW recharge (AGWR)?	BT-5	Evaluate
5.	List the Factors affecting the Groundwater and explain any two in	BT-3	Application

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