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Sixth Semester, B.E. - Civil Engineering
Semester End Examination; June/July - 2015
Environmental Engineering - II

Time: 3 hrs Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO full questions from each part.

PART - A

1	a.	Differentiate between conservancy system and water carriage system.	6
	b.	Explain the system of sewerage with its advantages and disadvantages.	10
	c.	Explain the rational method of estimation of storm water flow.	4
2	. a.	Distinguish between Time of entry and Time of flow.	6
	b.	Describe with neat sketches, any Three types of joints used in sewer lines.	10
(c.	c. Find the minimum velocity required to transport coarse sand through a sewer with s	
		particles of 1 mm dia. and specific gravity 2.66. Assume $\beta = 0.06$ and $f = 0.02$	4
3	a.	Write neat figures of different shapes of sewers.	6
	b.	What are the factors to be considered while selection of materials of sewer.	6
	c.	A combined sewer is to be designed to serve an area of 12 sq. km with a population density of	
		250 persons/ hectare. The average rate of sewage flow 250 litres/capita/day. The maximum	
		flow is 100% in excess of average together with a rainfall equivalent of 15mm in 24 hrs, all of	8
		which are runoff. Determine the capacity of the sewer. Taking the maximum velocity of flow	
		on 3 m/s, Determine the size of the circular sewer.	
4	a.	With flow diagram, explain Nitrogen cycle.	6
	b.	With neat sketch, explain the function of drop manhole.	8
	c.	Determine ultimate BOD for a sewage having 5-day BOD at 20°C as 160 ppm. Assume the	6
		deoxygenation constant as 0.2 per day.	U
		PART – B	
5	a.	Explain the various actions involved in self-purification process of a polluted stream.	10
	b.	Differentiate between:	
		(i) Aerobic and Anaerobic decomposition	10
		(ii) Sewage farming and Sewage sickness.	
6	a.	What do you understand by unit operation with respect to various unit operation and process	12
		involved in Municipal Waste-water Treatment plant?	14

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b.	Design a circular sewage sedimentation tank for a town having population of 50,000. Assume any suitable data.			
7 a	. Write a schematic diagram; explain the working of activated sludge process.	10		
b	. With the aid of a neat sketch explain the working principles of Trickling filter.	10		
8 a	. Explain the process of Anaerobic Sludge digestion.	10		
b	. Write short notes on:			
	(i) Operation problems of Trickling filter	10		
	(ii) Septic Tank			

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