

Bihar Engineering University, Patna

B.Tech. 5th Semester Examination, 2023

Course: B.Tech.

Code: 101502

Subject: Environmental Engineering -I

Time: 03 Hours

Full Marks: 70

Instructions:-

- (i) The marks are indicated in the right-hand margin.
- (ii) There are **NINE** questions in this paper.
- (iii) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all.
- (iv) Question No. 1 is compulsory.
- (v) Assume data suitably, if not given

Q.1 Choose the correct option of the following (any seven only) :

[2 x 7 = 14]

- (a) _____ is an operation designed to force agitation in the fluid and induce coagulation.
(i) Sedimentation (ii) Flocculation
(iii) Disinfection (iv) Aeration
 - (b) The area of the filter is 1500. What is the number of beds to be provided?
(i) 1 (ii) 2
(iii) 3 (iv) 6
 - (c) Which of the following is the correct expression of the aeration period in hours?
(i) V/Q (ii) $24V/Q$
(iii) $V/24Q$ (iv) Q/V
 - (d) The filter material used in contact bed is _____
(i) Sand (ii) Stone ballast
(iii) Gravel (iv) Fine sand
 - (e) The chemical composition of Alum is _____
(i) $Al_2(SO_4)_3 \cdot 18H_2O$ (ii) $Al_2(SO_4)_2 \cdot 18H_2O$
(iii) $Al_3(SO_4)_2 \cdot 18H_2O$ (iv) $Al_4(SO_4)_3 \cdot 18H_2O$
 - (f) The depth of an enclosed tank of a slow sand filter lies in the range of _____
(i) 1-2m (ii) 2.5-4m
(iii) 2-5m (iv) 3-5m
 - (g) Which of the following is known as Shut off valve?
(i) Air relief valve (ii) Sluice valve
(iii) Pressure relief valve (iv) Altitude valve
 - (h) The maximum permissible limit for suspended solids is _____
(i) 10 mg/l (ii) 20 mg/l
(iii) 30 mg/l (iv) 40 mg/l
 - (i) The chemical compound which is insoluble in water, formed when alum is added to water is _____
(i) $Al(OH)_3$ (ii) $CaSO_4$
(iii) CO_2 (iv) $Ca(OH)_3$
 - (j) The most hazardous gaseous air pollutant for human health is
(i) nitrogen (ii) carbon dioxide
(iii) oxygen (iv) sulphur dioxide
- Q.2** (a) A water treatment plant is to treat water at the rate of $6000m^3/day$. If there are two rectangular sedimentation tanks (27m x 5m x 3.8m). Determine detention time and overflow rate. [7]
- (b) Explain point and line sources of noise pollution. Also write noise standards and sound pressure level. [7]
- Q.3** (a) Describe the principle of operation, advantages and limitations of the Gravitational settling chambers. [7]
- (b) Define troposphere, stratosphere with respect to the ranges of altitude also mention the range of temperature and important gases found in each of these layers. [7]

- Q.4** (a) What do you understand by design period of a water-supply scheme? Describe in brief the factors considered in estimating design period of a water supply scheme. [7]
- (b) For water supply of a small town with daily requirement of 225000 litres, it is proposed to build a distribution reservoir. The pattern of draw of water is as follows: [7]
- 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM : 30% of daily supply
 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM : 35% of daily supply
 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM : 30% of daily supply
 6:30 PM - 7:00 AM : 5% of daily supply
 The pumping is to be done for 8 hours per day between 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM.
 Determine the storage capacity of reservoir.

- Q.5** (a) Define air pollution. Explain primary and secondary air pollution. [7]
- (b) What is photochemical smog, how is it formed and how does it effect. [7]

- Q.6** (a) Write a note on air pollution caused by automobiles and its control. [7]
- (b) What is meant by the effective height of a chimney and how is it computed? [7]

- Q.7** (a) The population of 5 decade from 1930 to 1970 are given below in table . Find out the population after 2, 3, and 5 decades beyond the last known decade, by using Geometric increase method and decreasing rate method. [7]

Year	1930	1940	1950	1960	1970
Population	26,000	28,000	35,000	42,000	47,000

- (b) How can you remove permanent hardness by Lime Soda Process? [7]

- Q.8** Write short notes:- [2 x 7 = 14]

- (a) Non-Return valves
 (b) Coagulation and flocculation
 (c) Disinfection
 (d) Ozone layer
 (e) Acid Rain
 (f) Green House Effect
 (g) Global warming

- Q.9** (a) Briefly discuss the design principles involved in the design of a water supply network to be laid in multi-storeyed residential building. [7]
- (b) What factors will you keep in mind while designing plumbing system for water supply to a house? [7]

