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Environmental Engineering

Text Book: Theory with worked out Examples and Practice Questions

Environmental Engineering

(Solutions for Text Book Practice Questions)

Water Supply Engineering

01. Population Forecasting & Water Demands

01. Ans: (c)

Sol:

Year	Population	Per decade increased in Population
1970	40000	100
		6000
1980	46000	6
		7000
1990	53000	
		5000
2000	58000	

$$\overline{x} = \frac{6000 + 7000 + 5000}{3} = 6000$$

$$P_{2010} = P_0 + n\bar{x}$$

$$n = \frac{2010 - 2000}{10}$$

$$n = 1$$

$$P_{2010} = 58000 + 1 \times 6000$$

$$P_{2010} = 64000$$

02. Ans: (c)

Sol:

Time	Population	Per decade % increased in Population
1	1	
2	1.4	$\frac{1.4 - 1}{1} \times 100 = 40$
3	1.68	$\frac{1.68 - 1.4}{1.4} \times 100 = 20$

$$\bar{\mathbf{r}} = (\mathbf{r}_1 \times \mathbf{r}_2)^{1/2}$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{r}} = (40 \times 20)^{1/2}$$

$$\bar{r} = 28.28 \%$$

$$P_0 = 1.68 \, \text{lakh}$$

$$P_1 = P_0 \left(1 + \frac{\overline{r}}{100} \right)^1$$

$$P_1 = 1.68 \left(1 + \frac{28.28}{100}\right)^1$$

$$P_1 = 2.15 \text{ lakh} \approx 2.20 \text{ lakh}$$

03. Ans: 1.37 billion

Sol:
$$K = 1.6\%$$
 per year

$$P_{2000} = 1$$
 billion

$$P_{2020} = ?$$

Since

$$P_{2020} = P_{2000} e^{k(2020-2000)}$$

$$P_{2020} = 1 \times e^{\frac{1.6}{100}(20)}$$

$$P_{2020} = 1.37 \text{ billion}$$

Alternative Method

$$P_{2020} = P_{2000} \left[1 + \frac{r}{100} \right]^{n}$$

$$= 1 \left[1 + \frac{1.6}{100} \right]^{20}$$

$$= 1.373$$

$$\approx 1.37 \text{ billions}$$



04. Ans: 68000

Sol: $\overline{x} = 5000$ per decade

 $\overline{y} = 500$ per decade

 $P_{2020} = ?$

 $P_{1990} = 50000$ (given)

 $n = \frac{2020 - 1990}{10} = 3$

 $P_{2020} = P_{1990} + 3\overline{x} + \frac{3(3+1)}{2}.\overline{y}$

 $P_{2020} = 50000 + 3 \times 5000 + \frac{3 \times 4}{2} \times 500$

 $P_{2020} = 68000$

05. Ans: 743900

Sol:

Year	Population	Per decade increased in Population	Incremental increase in population
1960	250000		
		230500	
1970	480500		-160700
		69800	
1980	550300		+18500
		88300	
1990	638600		-31700
		56600	
2000	695200		

$$\overline{x} = \frac{230500 + 69800 + 88300 + 56600}{4}$$

$$\bar{x} = 111300$$

$$\overline{y} = \frac{-160700 + 18500 - 31700}{3}$$

$$\overline{y} = -57966.67$$

$$P_n = P_0 + n\overline{x} + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}.\overline{y}$$

$$P_{2020} = ?$$

$$P_0 = 695200, \quad n = \frac{2000 - 1980}{10} = 2$$

$$P_{2020} = 695200 + 2 \times 111300 + \frac{2(2+1)}{2} (-57966.67) P_{20}$$

$$_{20} = 743900$$

06. Ans: 1540000

Sol:

Time	Population	Per decade increased in Population	Per decade % increase in population
1	400000		
		158500 (dP ₁)	
2	558500		$\frac{158500}{} \times 100 = 39.6\%$
		217500 (10)	400000
		217500 (dP ₂)	
3	776000		$\frac{217500}{1} \times 100 = 38.94\%$
			558500
		322500 (dP ₃)	
4	1098500		$\frac{322500}{100} \times 100 = 41.5\%$
5	?	10	776000

If
$$dP_1 < dP_2 < dP_3$$
 \rightarrow Geometric increase used $\bar{r} = (39.6 \times 38.94 \times 41.5)^{1/3} = 39.99\%$ $= 40\%$

$$P_{n} = P_{0} \left(1 + \frac{\overline{r}}{100} \right)^{n}$$

$$P_5 = 1098500 \left(1 + \frac{40}{100} \right)^1$$

= 1537900

≈ 1540000 [to the nearest 5000]



Sol: $P_0 = 28,000$

Average increase per decade,

$$\overline{x} = \frac{44,000 - 28,000}{2} = 8,000$$

4200m³/d required for 28,000 persons 6000m³/d sufficient for ----- persons

$$=\frac{28000\times6000}{4200}=40,000$$

$$P_n = P_0 + n \overline{x}$$

$$40,000 = 28,000 + n \times 8000$$

$$n = 1.5$$
decades = 15years

08. Ans: 100765

Sol:

		Per decade	Decrease
		Perce	in
		ntage	Perce
Year	Population	Incre	ntage
		ase in	Incre
		Popu	ase
		lation	A A
1960	55,500	14.77	2.84
1970	63,700	11.93	0.43
1980	71,300	11.5	_
1990	79,500	_	_

Per decade percentage increase in population

$$= \frac{63700 - 55500}{55500} \times 100 = 14.77\%$$

$$r_0 = 11.5$$

$$P_{n} = P_{o} \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - \overline{D}}{100} \right] \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - 2\overline{D}}{100} \right] \dots \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - n\overline{D}}{100} \right]$$

 $P_o = latest known population$

 P_n = prospective population after n year

 r_o = latest per decade percentage increase in population

 \overline{D} = average decrease in percentage increase

$$\overline{D} = \frac{2.84 + 0.43}{2}$$

$$\overline{D} = 1.635$$

$$n = \frac{2020 - 1990}{10} = 3$$

$$P_{n} = P_{o} \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - \overline{D}}{100} \right] \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - 2\overline{D}}{100} \right] \left[1 + \frac{r_{o} - 3\overline{D}}{100} \right]$$

$$P_{n} = 79500 \left[1 + \frac{11.5 - 1.635}{100} \right] \left[1 + \frac{11.5 - 2(1.635)}{100} \right]$$
$$\left[1 + \frac{11.5 - 3(1.635)}{100} \right]$$

$$= 100765.29 \simeq 100765$$

:. Population for the year 2020 by decreasing rate of growth = 100765

09. Ans: (c)

Sol: P = 1102500

$$r = 5\%$$

$$n = 2$$
 years

the population of city '2' years ago is given

$$P = P_o \left[1 + \frac{r}{100} \right]^n$$

$$1102500 = P_o \left[1 + \frac{5}{100} \right]^2$$

$$P_0 = 1000000$$

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03. Quality of Water

Sol:
$$Ca^{2+} = 160 \, \text{mg} / \ell$$

$$Mg^{2+} = 40 \, mg / \ell$$

$$TH = Ca^{2+} \times \frac{50}{20} + Mg^{2+} \times \frac{50}{12}$$

$$TH = 160 \times \frac{50}{20} + 40 \times \frac{50}{12}$$

$$TH = 567 \text{ mg/} l \text{ as } CaCO_3$$

04. Ans: (c)

Sol: FTN =
$$\frac{A+B}{A} = \frac{25+175}{25}$$

$$FTN = 8$$

05. Ans: (d)

Sol: The product of H⁺ ions and OH⁻ ions in a stronger acids = 10^{-14}

$$[H^{+}][OH^{-}] = 10^{-14} \text{ mol/lit}$$

11. Ans: (a)

Sol: TH = 200 mg/l as CaCO₃

$$TA = 250 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$$

$$CH = TH = 200 \text{ mg/}l$$

14. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$(PH)_I = 7.2$$
, $(H^+)_I = 10^{-7.2} \text{ mol/lit}$

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$$(PH)_0 = 8.4$$

$$(PH)_0 = 8.4$$
, $(H^+)_0 = 10^{-8.4}$ mol/lit

$$\overline{\overline{H}}^{\scriptscriptstyle +} = \frac{\left(\!H^{\scriptscriptstyle +}\right)_{\!\scriptscriptstyle I} + \!\left(\!H^{\scriptscriptstyle +}\right)_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 0}}{2}$$

$$\overline{H}^+ = \frac{10^{-7.2} + 10^{-8.4}}{2} = 3.3 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$P\overline{H} = \log_{10} \frac{1}{H^{+}} = \log_{10} \frac{1}{3.3 \times 10^{-8}}$$

$$P\overline{H} = 7.47$$

15. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$(pH)_A = 4.4, (H^+)_A = 10^{-4.4} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$(pH)_B = 6.4, (H^+)_B = 10^{-6.4} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$\frac{\left(H^{+}\right)_{A}}{\left(H^{+}\right)_{B}} = \frac{10^{-4.4}}{10^{-6.4}} = 100$$

16. Ans: (a)

Sol: Sample A,
$$V_A = 300 \text{ m}l$$

$$(pH)_A = 7$$

$$(H^{+})_{A} = 10^{-7} \text{ mol/lit}$$

Sample B,
$$V_B = 700 \text{ m}l$$

$$(pH)_{R} = 5$$

$$(H^{+})_{B} = 10^{-5} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$C_{mix} = \frac{V_A C_A + V_B C_B + ...}{V_A + V_B + ...}$$

$$\left(H^{+}\right)_{mix} = \frac{300 \times 10^{-7} + 700 \times 10^{-5}}{300 + 700}$$

$$(H^+)_{mix} = 7.03 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$(pH)_{mix} = \log_{10} \frac{1}{(H^+)_{mix}} = \log_{10} \frac{1}{7.03 \times 10^{-6}}$$
$$(pH)_{mix} = 5.15$$



17. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$CO_3^{--} = 90 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$HCO_3^- = 61 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$TA = CO_3^{--} \times \frac{50}{30} + HCO_3^{-} \times \frac{50}{61}$$

$$TA = 90 \times \frac{50}{30} + 61 \times \frac{50}{61}$$

 $TA = 200 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$

18. Ans: (d)

$$MPN = 33$$

$$MPN = 33 \times \frac{Table dilution}{Test dilution}$$

$$MPN = 33 \times 10 = 330 \text{ no}/100 \text{ m}l$$

19. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$PH = 9$$

$$H^{+} = 10^{-9} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$OH^{-} = 10^{-5} \text{ mol/lit}$$

 $OH^-mg/lit = OH^-mol/lit \times Mol.wt. of OH^- \times 1000$

$$OH^- = 10^{-5} \times 17 \times 1000 = 0.17 \text{ mg/lit}$$

$$OH^{-} = 0.17 \times \frac{50}{17} = 0.50 \,\text{mg/lit} \text{ as CaCO}_{3}$$

Sol:
$$TA = 250 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$$

 $TH = 350 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$

$$CH = TA = 250 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$NCH = TH - CH = 350 - 250$$

$$NCH = 100 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$$

28. Ans: (c)

Sol: TH =
$$Ca \times \frac{50}{20} + Mg \times \frac{50}{12.2}$$

$$TH = 55 \times \frac{50}{20} + 10 \times \frac{50}{12.2} = 178.48$$

 $TH \simeq 179 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$

Common data for Q 29 & 30

29. Ans: (a)

= Ca⁺⁺ in mg/lit×
$$\frac{50}{20}$$
+Mg⁺⁺ in mg/lit× $\frac{50}{12}$

$$= (12 \times 20) \times \frac{50}{20} + (18 \times 12) \times \frac{50}{12}$$

 $= 1500 \text{ mg/lit as CaCO}_3$

Shortcut Method

Concentration are already given in Meq/lit

$$\therefore \text{ add } \text{Ca}^{+2} + \text{Mg}^{+2}$$

$$=(12+18)\times 50$$

$$= 1500 \text{ mg/}l$$
 as CaCO₃

Sol: Alkalinity in mg/lit CaCO₃

=HCO₃ in mg/lit×
$$\frac{50}{61}$$
+CO₃ in mg/lit× $\frac{50}{30}$

$$=(30\times61)\times\frac{50}{61}+(5\times30)\times\frac{50}{30}$$

= 1750 mg/lit as CaCO₃

Shortcut Method

Concentration are already given in Meq/lit

∴ add
$$Co_3^- + Ho_3^-$$

= $(5 + 35) \times 50$
= $1750 \text{ mg/}l$ as CACO₃

Common data for Question Nos. 31. & 32

31. Ans: (c)

Sol: TH =
$$100 \times \frac{50}{20} + 6 \times \frac{50}{12}$$

= 275 mg/lit as CaCo₃

32. Ans: (a)

Sol: Alkalinity =
$$250 \times \frac{50}{61}$$

= $204.9 \approx 205 \text{mg/lit } as CaCO_3$

33. Ans: (d)

Sol: Tomoto juice
$$pH = 4.1$$

$$pH = \log_{10} \frac{1}{H^+}$$

$$4.1 = \log_{10} \frac{1}{H^{+}}$$

$$H^+ = 10^{-4.1} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$H^{+} = 7.94 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/lit}$$

34. Ans: (d)

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Sol: OH⁻ =
$$10^{-5.6}$$
 m.mol/lit
OH⁻ = $10^{-5.6} \times 10^{-3}$ mol/lit
OH⁻ = $10^{-8.6}$ mol/lit
H⁺ = $\frac{10^{-14}}{10^{-8.6}} = 10^{-5.4}$
pH = $\log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{H^+}\right) = \log_{10} \frac{1}{10^{-5.4}}$

Sol: From table
$$10-1-0.10$$
 (MPN) against $2-1-0 + \text{ve group}$

$$MPN = 7$$

pH = 5.4

$$2-1-0$$
, +ve group

$$MPN = 7 \times \frac{\text{table dilution}}{\text{test dilution}}$$

$$MPN = 7 \times 10 = 70$$

37. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$Ca + Co_3 \rightarrow CaCo_3$$

Mol. Wt of
$$CO_3 = 12 + 3 \times 16 = 60$$

Mol. Wt. of
$$Ca = 40$$

1 part of CO₃ require =
$$\frac{40}{60}$$
 part of Ca

90 mg/l part of CO₃ require =
$$\frac{40}{60} \times 90$$
 mg/l of Ca
= 60 mg/l of Ca



Sol:
$$PH = 9.25$$

$$PH = \log_{10} \frac{1}{H^+}$$

$$9.25 = \log_{10} \frac{1}{H^+}$$

$$H^+ = 10^{-9.25} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$[H^+][OH^-]=10^{-14}$$

$$[OH^{-}] = \frac{10^{-14}}{10^{-9.25}} = 10^{-4.75} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$OH^{-}(mg/\ell) = OH^{-}(mg/l) \times Mol. Wt$$
. of

OH⁻×1000

$$OH_{(mg/\ell)}^- = 10^{-4.75} \times 17 \times 1000$$

$$OH^- = 0.302 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as } CaCO_3$$

39. Ans: (d)

Sol: TON =
$$\frac{A+B}{A}$$

$$TON = \frac{187.5 + 12.5}{12.5}$$

$$TON = 16$$

40. Ans: (b)

Sol: OH⁻ = 17 mg/
$$l$$

$$OH^{-}(mol/l) = \frac{(OH^{-})mg/l}{Mol.wt.of OH^{-} \times 1000}$$

$$OH^{-} = \frac{17}{17 \times 1000} = 10^{-3} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$[H^+][OH^-] = 10^{-14} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$H^+ = \frac{10^{-14}}{10^{-3}} = 10^{-11} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$pH = log_{10} \frac{1}{H^{+}} = log_{10} \frac{1}{10^{-11}}$$

$$pH = 11$$

41. Ans: (b)

Sol: $Ca^{2+} = 4 \text{ m.eq/lit}$

$$Mg^{2+} = 1 \text{ m eq/lit}$$

$$HCO_3^- = 3.5 \text{ m. eq/lit}$$

$$TH = Ca^{2+} * 50 + Mg^{2+} * 50$$

(where Ca & Mg are in m.eq/lit)

$$= 4 \times 50 + 1 \times 50 = 250 \text{ mg/}l \text{ as CaCO}_3$$

$$TA = CO_3 * 50 + HCO_3 * 50$$

(where CO₃ & HCO₃ in m.eq/lit)

$$= 0+3.5\times50 = 175 \text{ mg/l as CaCO}_3$$

Since

$$\therefore$$
 CH = TA = 175 mg/ l as CaCO₃

$$NCH = TH - CH = 250 - 175$$

= 75 mg/l as CaCO₃

44. Ans: 640, 220 & 420 mg/lit

Sol:
$$W_1 = 98.42 \text{ gm}$$

$$W_2 = 98.484 \text{ gm}$$

$$W_3 = 98.462 \text{ gm}$$

(i) Total solids (TS) =
$$\frac{W_2 - W_1}{V}$$

$$TS = \frac{98.484 - 98.42}{100} \times 10^6 = 640 \text{ mg/l}$$



(ii) Volatile solids =
$$\frac{W_2 - W_3}{V}$$

= $\frac{98.484 - 98.462}{100} \times 10^6 = 220 \text{ mg/l}$

(iii) Fixed solids =
$$\frac{W_3 - W_1}{V}$$

= $\frac{98.462 - 98.42}{100} \times 10^6$
= $420 \text{ mg/}l$

- 45. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
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- 48. Ans: (c)

Sol: The coliform bacilli are essentially lactose term enters, non-spore forming, and gram negative.

- 49. Ans: (c)
- **Sol:** In DO testing the reagents are added in the following sequence

 $MnSO_4 \rightarrow followed by alkali-Iodide =$ Azide $\rightarrow followed by H_2SO_4$

- 50. Ans: (c)
- **Sol:** Typhoid is caused by bacteria.

Hepatitis caused by virus. Cholera caused by bacteria,

Dysentery caused by protozoa.

: Statement 3 & 4 only correct.

04. Plain Sedimentation

Common data for Qs. 1, 2 & 3

01. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$B = 6 \text{ m}, L = 15 \text{ m}, H = 3 \text{ m}$$

 $Q = 2 \text{ MLD}$

$$SOR = \frac{Q}{LB}$$

Surface over flow rate $V_0 = \frac{2 \times 10^6}{6 \times 15 \times 24}$ = 926 lit/hr/m²

02. Ans: (d)

Sol: Detention time is

Volume of setting tank = $Q \times D.T$

$$DT = \frac{6 \times 15 \times 3}{\frac{2 \times 10^6}{24 \times 10^3}} = \frac{270}{83.33} = 3.24 \text{ hrs}$$

03. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$\eta = 70\%$$
, $V_0 = 926 \text{ lit/hr/m}^2$
 $\eta = \frac{V_s}{V_0} \times 100$

Total solids removed

= $Q \times \text{concentration of solids (MLD} \times \text{mg/lit})$

$$=2\times70$$

$$= 140 \text{ kg/day}$$

Total amount of dry solids removed

= Total amount of solids in water $\times \eta$

$$= 140 \times \frac{70}{100} = 98 \text{ kg/day}$$



Common data question for Q4 and Q5

04. Ans: (c)

Sol: Q = 1.8 MLD

D.T = 4 hours

V = ?

 $=\frac{1.8\times10^6}{10^3\times24}=75 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}$

Volume of tank = $Q \times DT$

$$= 75 \times 4 = 300 \text{ m}^3$$

05. Ans: (b)

Sol: SOR = 500 lit/hr/m, L:B = 4:1, L = ?

 $V_0 = \frac{Q}{A}$

Surface area = $\frac{Q}{SOR} = \frac{1.8 \times 10^6}{24 \times 500}$

 $L \times B = 150 \text{ m}^2$

 $L \times \frac{L}{4} = 150 \text{ m}^2$

 $L^2 = 150 \times 4$

L = 24.49 m

06. Ans: 0.0112 m/sec

Sol: $V_H = ?$ $L = 60 \text{ m}, \quad H = 3 \text{ m}$

 $\frac{L}{V_{H}} = \frac{H}{V_{S}}$

 $V_S = \frac{g(s-1)d^2}{18v}$

$$= \frac{9.81(2.65-1)\times(0.025\times10^{-3})^2}{18\times\frac{0.01}{(100)^2}}$$

 $= 5.62 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/sec}$

 $\frac{60}{V_H} = \frac{3}{5.62 \times 10^{-4}}$

 \Rightarrow V_H = 0.0112 m/sec

07. Ans: (c)

Sol: $Q = 100000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$

Settling velocity = 20 m /day

Area of tank = $\frac{Q}{\text{Settling velocity}}$

Area of tank = $\frac{100000}{20}$ = 5000 m²

08. Ans: (a)

Sol: d = 0.025 mm, s = 2.65, $v=0.01 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$

Since $v_s = \frac{g(s-1)d^2}{18 \times v}$ $= \frac{9.81(2.65-1) \times (0.025 \times 10^{-3})^2}{18 \times 0.01 \times 10^{-4}}$ = 0.056 cm/sec

09. Ans: 27.08

Sol: $V_0 = 12,000 \text{ lit/hr/m}^2$, d = 0.03 mm

 $= 12 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr/m}^2$

 $V_{S} = \frac{g(s-1)d^{2}}{18 \times v}$

 $=\frac{9.81(2.65-1)(0.03\times10^{-3})^2}{18\times\frac{0.897}{(1000)^2}}$



$$\begin{split} V_S &= 0.922 \text{ mm/sec} \\ V_S &= 9.02 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/sec} \\ \eta &= \frac{V_s}{V_o} \times 100 \\ V_0 &= 12 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr/m}^2 = 3.33 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/sec} \\ &= \frac{9.02 \times 10^{-4}}{3.33 \times 10^{-3}} \times 100 = 27.08\% \end{split}$$

Common Data for Qs. 10 & 11

10. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$d = 26 \text{ m}$$
 with $H = 2.10 \text{ m}$
 $Q = 13000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$, $D.T = ?$

DT =
$$\frac{2.10 \times \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \times 26^{2}\right)}{\frac{13000}{24}} = 2.05 \text{ hrs}$$

11. Ans: (d)

Sol: Weir loading =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{length of weir}}$$

= $\frac{13000}{\pi \times 26}$ = 159 m³/day/m

12. Ans: 44.5, 14.83 & 0.47

Sol:
$$d = 50 \ \mu m = 50 \times 10^{-3} \ mm = 0.05 \ mm,$$
 $G = 2.3, \ Q = 100 \ MLD, \ H = 3m$ $L:B = 3:1, \ d = 3 \ m, \ v = 1.01 \times 10^{-6} \ m^2/s$
$$V_S = \frac{g(G-1)d^2}{18 \times v}$$

$$= \frac{9.81(2.3-1)\times(0.05\times10^{-3})^2}{18\times1.01\times10^{-6}}$$

$$V_S = 1.753 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/sec}$$

For 100% removal

$$V_S = V_0 = 1.753 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/sec}$$

Surface area =
$$\frac{Q}{V_0} = \frac{1.157}{1.753 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$L: 3B = 660.011$$

$$L \times B$$

$$3B \times B = 660.011$$

$$3B^2 = 660.011$$

$$B = \sqrt{\frac{660.011}{3}} = 14.83 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 3 \times B = 3 \times 14.83 = 44.49 \text{ m}$$

$$D.T = \frac{Volume of tan k}{Q} = \frac{L \times B \times H}{Q}$$

$$\frac{44.49 \times 14.83 \times 3}{\frac{100 \times 10^6}{24 \times 10^3}} = 0.47 \text{ hr}$$

13. Ans: $20 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$

Sol:
$$L \times B \times h = 100 \times 50 \times 3 \text{ m},$$

$$Q = 1,00,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

Surface flow rate -- ?,
$$\rho = 2.65$$
 g/cc,

$$v = 1.02 \times 10^{-2} \text{cm}^2/\text{sec}$$

Surface flow rate =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{surface flow area}}$$

$$=\frac{100000}{100\times50}=20 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$$

For 100% removal $V_S = V_0$

$$=20 \times \text{m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$$

$$=\frac{20}{24\times60\times60}=2.31\times10^{-4}$$



$$S = \frac{\rho_p}{\rho_w} = \frac{2.65}{1} = 2.65$$

$$V_S = \frac{g(s-1)d^2}{18 \times v}$$

$$2.31 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{9.81(2.65 - 1) \times d^2}{1.836 \times 10^{-5}}$$

$$d = 1.61 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mm}$$

$$d = 1.61 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}$$

Sol: H = 3 m, surface area = 900 m^2 .

$$Q = 8000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}, T = 20^{\circ}\text{C},$$

$$\mu = 10^{-3} \text{ kg/m-s}, \rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3,$$

$$d = 0.01$$
 mm, $G = 2.65$, $\eta = ?$

$$V_o = \frac{Q}{\text{S.area}} = \frac{8000}{900} = 8.889 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}^2$$

$$= \frac{8.8}{24 \times 60 \times 60} \text{ m/sec} = 1.0185 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$V_s = \frac{g[\rho_p - \rho_w]d^2}{18\mu}$$

$$= \frac{9.81(2650 - 1000) \times (0.01 \times 10^{-3})^{2}}{18 \times 10^{-3}}$$

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$$= \frac{20}{24 \times 60 \times 60} = \frac{9.81}{24 \times 60 \times 60}$$

$$V_S = 8.99 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/sec}$$

Proportion of particle removed 'η'

$$= \frac{V_s}{V_o} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{8.99 \times 10^{-5}}{1.018 \times 10^{-4}} \times 100 = 88.31\%$$

Common data for Question Nos. 15 & 16

15. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$L = 20 \text{ m}, B = 10 \text{ m}, H = 3 \text{ m}, Q = 4 \text{ MLD},$$

$$T = 20^{0}C$$
, $\mu = 1.002 \times 10^{-3} \frac{N-s}{m^{2}}$ at $20^{0}C$,

$$\rho_{\rm w} = 998.2 \text{ kg/m}^3, G = 2.65$$

Surface overflow =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{Surface area}}$$

$$= \frac{4 \times 10^6 \times 10^3}{20 \times 10} = 20 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$$

Sol:
$$\eta = 100\%$$

$$V_{s} = \frac{g(\rho_{p} - \rho_{w})d^{2}}{18\mu}$$

$$G = 2.65, \ \rho_p = 2.65 \times \rho_w$$

= 2.65 \times 998.2

$$\rho_p = 2645.23 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$\frac{20}{24 \times 60 \times 60} = \frac{9.81(2645.23 - 998.2)d^{2}}{18 \times 1.002 \times 10^{-3}}$$
$$d = 0.016 \text{ mm}$$

Sol:
$$V_{S1} = 0.1 \text{ mm/s},$$

$$V_{S2} = 0.2 \text{ mm/s},$$

$$V_{S3} = 1.0 \; mm/s$$

Surface over flow rate =
$$43.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$

= 0.5 mm/s



Particle	Percentage (P _i)	V _S mm/sec	$\eta = \frac{V_s}{V_0} \times 100\%$
1	10	0.1	$\eta_1 = \frac{0.1}{0.5} \times 100 = 20$
2	60	0.2	$\eta_2 = \frac{0.2}{0.5} \times 100 = 40$
3	30	1.0	$ \eta_3 = \frac{1}{0.5} \times 100 = 200 $ $ \approx 100\% $

Overall removal = $\Sigma P_i \eta_i$

$$= \frac{10}{100} \times 20 + \frac{60}{100} \times 40 + \frac{30}{100} \times 100 = 56\%$$

18. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$V_0 = 30 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$$
, $S = 2.65$
 $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$

$$\mu = 0.001 \text{ N-s/m}^2$$
, 1 stoke = $10^{-4} \text{m}^2/\text{sec}$

$$\rho_p = s \times \rho_w = 2.65 \times 1000 = 2650$$

$$\rho_{\rm w} = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$V_S = \frac{g(\rho_p - \rho_w)d^2}{18\mu}$$

$$= \frac{9.81(2650 - 1000)d^2}{18 \times 0.001}$$

$$=\frac{30\times10^3}{24\times60\times60}=\frac{16186.5d^2}{0.018}$$

$$0.540 = 1.39851 \times 10^9 \text{d}^2$$

$$d = 1.965 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$d = 0.02 \text{ mm}$$

Sol:
$$d = 0.06 \text{ mm} = 0.06 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$$

$$g = 9.8 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

$$G = 2.65$$

$$v = 1.0105 \times 10^{-2} \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$$

$$V_{s} = \frac{g(G-1)d^{2}}{18v}$$

$$V_s = \frac{9.81 \times (2.65 - 1) \times (0.06 \times 10^{-3})^2}{18 \times 1.0105 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$V_s = 3.20 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/sec}$$

Surface area =
$$\frac{Q}{V}$$

$$A = \frac{0.01}{3.20 \times 10^{-3}} = 3.124 \,\mathrm{m}^2$$

20. Ans: 22.576

Sol:
$$\eta = \frac{V_s}{V_o} \times 100$$

$$V_o = 40 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day} = 40 \text{ m/day}$$

= $4.629 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/sec}$

$$\eta = \frac{V_s}{V_o} \times 100$$

$$\Rightarrow 90 = \frac{V_s}{4.629 \times 10^{-4}} \times 100$$

$$V_s = 4.166 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/sec}$$

$$V_{s} = \frac{g[s-1]d^{2}}{18v}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4.166 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{9.81[2.65 - 1]}{18 \times 1.1 \times 10^{-6}} d^{2}$$
$$d = 22.576 \times 10^{-6} m$$
$$= 22.576 \mu m$$



21. Ans: 112.66

Sol: Surface over flow rate

$$V_0 = 32.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}^2$$

$$L = 32.5 \text{ m}, B = 8.0 \text{ m}, D = 2.25 \text{ m}$$

$$L \times B = \frac{Q}{V_o}$$

$$\Rightarrow 32.5 \times 8 = \frac{Q}{32.5}$$

$$Q = 32.5 \times 8 \times 32.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$
Weir loading rate =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{Length of weir}}$$
=
$$\frac{32.5 \times 8 \times 32.5}{75}$$
=
$$112.66 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}$$

22. Ans: (b)

Sol:

Particle	Settling velocity (m/hr)	Initial concentration (mg/ l)	n × C _{in} mg/l
1	1 0	100	$n_1 = \frac{1}{1} \times 100 = 100$
2	0.5	100	$n_2 = \frac{0.5}{1} \times 100 = 50$
3	0.1	100	$n_3 = \frac{0.1}{1} \times 100 = 10$
4	0.05	100	$n_4 = \frac{0.05}{1} \times 100 = 5$
			Total = 165 mg/ <i>l</i>
		Since 1995	

 $= V_o = 1 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{ hour} = V_o = 1 \text{ m/hour}$

Concentration of particle removed = 165 mg/l

23. Ans: (b)

Sol:

Particles	V _s m/hr	V ₀ m/hr		Concentration Removed, mg/l
I	3	3	100%	200
II	1	3	33.33%	100

:. Concentration in settled water: 200 mg/l





05. Coagulation

Common Data Question 1 & 2

01. Ans: (c)

Sol: $Q = 10MLD = 10 \times 10^6 Lit/day$

Alum = 20 mg/Lit

1 mg of Alum requires 0.45 mg of Alkalinity as caco₃

∴ 20 mg/Lit of alum requires

= $20 \times 0.45 = 9$ mg of alkalinity as caco₃ per

Lt of water

∴Total alkalinity matching filter

Alum = 9 mg/Lit

$$= 10 \times 10^6 \text{ Lit /day} = 90 \times 10^6$$

Total alkanity requirement (10⁶ mg per day)

$$= 90$$

02. Ans: (d)

Sol: Natural available alkalinity = 6 mg/ Lit

:. Alkalinity to be added additionally

$$= 9 - 6 = 3 \text{ mg/Lit}$$

:. Alkaline to be added to the water

$$= 3 \times 0.56 = 1.68 \text{ mg/Lt}$$

Note: Genrally quick lime(Cao, external alkali) is added to water

Total quick lime required per year

$$=\frac{1.68\times10\times10^{6}\times365}{10^{6}}$$

Total quick lime required (10⁶ mg per year)

$$=6132$$

03. Ans: 168 kg/day, 5.55 mg/l

Sol: Total quantity of water to be treated = 12

MLD

Alum dose requirement = 14 ppm

 $Co_2 gas = ?$

Total alum requirement/day

 $= Q \times alum dose$

$$= 12 \times 14 = 168 \text{ kg/day}$$

$$Al_2(So_4)_3$$
 18 $H_2o + Ca(HCO_3)_2$

$$\rightarrow 3\text{CaSo}_4 + 2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 + 6\text{CO}_2 + 18\text{H}_2\text{O}$$

Molecular weight of alum = 666

Molecular weight of $6CO_2 = 6[c(O_2)]$

$$= 6[12 + 2 \times 16]$$
$$= 264$$

666 parts alum release = 264 parts of CO_2

1 part alum release = $\frac{264}{666}$ parts of CO_2

14 mg/l of alum release = $\frac{264}{666} \times 14$ mg/l of

 CO_2

$$= 5.54 \text{ mg/}l \text{ of CO}_2$$

04. Ans:120 kg/day, 24.168 kg/day

Sol: Q = 12 MLD

Dosage of ferrous sulphate 10 mg/l

Total quantity of ferrous sulphate and lime?

$$= FeSO_4 . 7H_2O$$

Total quantity of ferrous sulphate req/day

 $= Q \times dosage of ferrous sulphate$

$$= 10 \times 12 = 120 \text{ kg/day}$$

$$FeSO_4 7H_2O + Ca(OH)_2$$

$$\rightarrow$$
 CaSO₄ + Fe(OH)₂ + 7H₂O



$$Ca(OH)_2 \rightarrow CaO + H_2O$$

Molecular weight of FeSO₄.

$$7H_2O = Fe + S + 4(O) + 7(2+H+O)$$

Molecular weight of CaO = 56

278 parts of ferrous sulphate required

1 part of ferrous sulphate required

$$=\frac{56}{278}$$
 parts of CaO

10 mg/l of ferrous =
$$\frac{56}{278} \times 10 \text{ mg/}l$$
 as CaO

$$= 2.14 \text{ mg/}l$$

Total lime as CaO required/day

$$= Q \times dose of CaO$$

$$= 12 \times 2.014$$

$$= 24.168 \text{ kg/day}$$

Sol:
$$Q = 3.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{min} = 5.04 \text{ MLD}$$

Dose of alum =
$$25 \text{ mg/}l$$

Total alum required in kg/day

$$= Q (MLD) \times dose of alum (mg/l)$$

$$= 5.04 \times 25 = 126 \text{ kg/day}$$

Monthly alum requirement = 126×30

$$= 3780 \text{ kg}$$

Sol:
$$G = \sqrt{\frac{p}{V\mu}}$$

$$100 = \sqrt{\frac{p}{1800 \times 0.798 \times 10^{-3}}}$$

$$P = (100)^{2} \times 1800 \times 0.798 \times 10^{-3}$$
$$= 14364 \text{ watt}$$
$$= 14.364 \text{ kw}$$

Sol:
$$G = \sqrt{\frac{P}{V\mu}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 600 = \sqrt{\frac{P}{2 \times 1 \times 10^{-3}}}$$

$$P = (600)^2 \times 2 \times 1 \times 10^{-3}$$

= 720 watts

Sol:
$$Q = 28800 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$$
; $\rho_w = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$
 $v = 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$; $G = 900 \text{ s}^{-1}$
 $DT = 2 \text{ min}$

Volume of mixing basin =
$$Q \times DT$$

$$V = \frac{28800 \times 2}{24 \times 60} = 40 \,\text{m}^3$$
Since $\frac{1995}{1995} = \sqrt{\frac{P}{V\mu}}$

$$900 = \sqrt{\frac{P}{40 \times 10^{-6} \times 1000}}$$

P = 32400 watts

Sol:
$$Q = 3000 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}$$
; $G = 40 \text{ sec}^{-1}$
 $D.T = 20 \text{ min}$; $\mu = 1.0087 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N.s/m}^2$
 $Volume = Q \times DT = 3000 \times \frac{20}{60} = 1000 \text{ m}^3$
 $\frac{L}{B} = 2$ $D = 0.40B$



$$Surface area = \frac{Volume}{depth} = \frac{1000}{0.40B}$$

$$L \times B = \frac{1000}{0.40B}$$

$$B \times 2B \times 0.40B = 1000$$

$$0.80B^3 = 1000$$

$$B = 10.77 \text{ m}, L = 21.54 \text{ m}, D = 4.3 \text{ m}$$

$$G = \sqrt{\frac{P}{v.\mu}}$$

$$40 = \sqrt{\frac{P}{1000 \times 1.008 \times 10^3}}$$

$$P = 1613.92$$
 watts

10. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

11. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$Q = 4.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$$

 $V_0 = 0.2 \text{ mm/sec};$

$$d = 3.5 \text{ m}$$

$$V_0 = \frac{Q}{\text{surface area}}$$

$$0.2 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{4.2}{60 \times A}$$
$$A = 350 \text{ m}^2$$

12. Ans: (c)

Sol: For high turbid & high alkaline water, predominant mechanism is sweep coagulation.

13. Ans: (b)

Sol: Sweep coagulation is dominant for high turbid & high alkaline waters.

06. Filtration

01. Ans: 35.35 m, 17.67 m

Sol: P = 50,000 person

 $ROF = 180 \text{ lit/hr/m}^2$

 $Q = Population \times per capita demand$

 $Q = 50,000 \times 150 = 7500000 \text{ lit/day}$

Design discharge $Q_{density} = 1.8 \times Q$

$$= 1.8 \times 7500000$$

$$= 135 \times 10^5$$
 lit/day

 $ROF = 180 \text{ lit/hr/m}^2$

 $Total \ area \ of \ slow \ sand \ filter = \frac{Q_{\text{density}}}{ROF}$

$$= \frac{135 \times 10^5}{24 \times 180} \frac{\text{lit/hr}}{\text{lit/hr/m}^2} = 3125 \text{ m}^2$$

No. of filters in operations = 5

(1 act as stand by)

Area of each filter $L \times B$

$$= \frac{\text{Total area}}{\text{no. of filters in operation}}$$

$$=\frac{3125}{5}=625\text{m}^2$$

$$L: B = 2: 1 \Rightarrow L = 2B$$

$$2B \times B = 625 \text{ m}^2$$

$$B^2 = 625/2$$

$$B = \sqrt{\frac{625}{2}} = 17.67 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 35.35 \text{ m}$$



02. Ans: 11

Sol: Treated water
$$Q = 10 \text{ MLD}$$

= $10 \times 10^3 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$

Rate of filtration RDF = 200 lit/hr/m^2

$$= 200 \times 10^{-3} \times 24 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}^2$$

Total area required to treat water

$$= \frac{Q}{RDF} = \frac{10 \times 10^3}{200 \times 10^{-3} \times 24}$$
$$= 2083.33 \text{ m}^2$$

Area of each filter = $20 \times 10 \text{ M}^2$

No. of filters required = $\frac{\text{Total area of filters}}{\text{area of each filter}}$ = $\frac{2083.33}{200}$

 $= 10.41 \simeq 11$ numbers

03. Ans: 20 m, 10 m, 4.19%

Sol:
$$Q = 24$$
 MLD, $ROF = 5$ $m^3/hr/m^2$, $L.B = 2:1$

Total area of RSF req =
$$\frac{1000}{5}$$
 = 200m^2

$$Q = \frac{24 \times 10^6 \times 10^{-3}}{24} = 1000 \text{m}^3/\text{hr}$$

No. of filters = 1

Area of filter = 200 m^2

$$L \times B = 200 \quad \left\{ \because \frac{L}{B} = \frac{2}{1} \right\}$$

$$2B \times B = 200$$

$$B^2 = \frac{200}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{200}{2}} = 10 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ m}$$

Volume of water filter b/w back wash = ROF × duration of filtration × area of each filter

$$= 5 \times \left(24 - \frac{10}{60}\right) \times 200 = 23833.33 \text{m}^3$$

Volume of water used in back wash ROB \times DOB \times area

$$= 6 \times 5 \times \frac{10}{60} \times 200 = 1000 \text{ m}^3$$

% of filter water used in back wash

= volume of water filtered back wash volume of filtered b / w back

$$= \frac{1000}{23833.3} \times 100 = 4.19\%$$

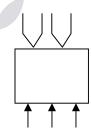
04. Ans: 9.48 m, 4.74 m, 0.225 m³/sec

Sol:
$$Q = 0.25 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$
, No. of filters = 4,
ROF = $5\text{m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{hr}$

Back wash rate, 10 l/m²/sec,

$$L : B = 2 : 1$$

 $L = ?, B = ?$



Total area of RSF =
$$\frac{Q}{ROF} = \frac{0.25}{\frac{5}{60 \times 60}}$$

= $\frac{0.25 \times 60 \times 60}{6} = 180 \text{ m}^2$
Area of each filter = $\frac{180}{4} = 45 \text{ m}^2$
L × B = 45
2B × B = 45



 $2B^2 = 45$



$$B = \sqrt{\frac{45}{2}} = 4.74 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 2 \times 4.74 = 9.48 \text{ m}$$

$$= 10 \times 45 = 450 \text{ liter/sec} = 0.45 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

Back wash water flow rate ROB = velocity

 $(V_B) \times Area of each filter$

$$= 10 \times 45 = 450$$
 lit/sec

$$= 0.45 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

There are two troughs

Flow through each wash water = $\frac{Q}{2}$

$$=\frac{0.45}{2}$$
 = 0.225 m³/sec

05. Ans: 0.27 m

Sol:
$$V_1 = i_r = 3.0 \text{ m/hr}$$

$$L = 0.6 \text{ m}$$

$$\phi = 0.8$$

$$d = 0.5 \text{ mm}$$

$$n = 0.4$$

$$S = 2.68 \text{ v} = 1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$$

$$Re = \frac{(V_s.d)\phi}{v}$$

$$= \frac{3 \times (0.5 \times 10^{-3}) \times 0.8}{1 \times 10^{-6} \times 60 \times 60} = 0.33$$

$$f = \frac{150(1-n)}{Re} + 1.75$$

$$= \frac{150(1-0.4)}{0.33} + 1.75 = 271.75$$

$$h_{f} = \frac{f.L.V_{s}^{2}}{gd} \times \frac{(1-n)}{n^{3} \times \phi}$$

$$= \frac{271.75 \times 0.6 \left(\frac{3}{60 \times 60}\right)^{2}}{9.81 \times 0.5 \times 10^{-3}} \times \frac{(1 - 0.4)}{0.4^{3} \times 0.8}$$
$$= 0.251 \text{ m}$$

Sol:
$$d = 0.65$$
 mm, $G = 2.66$, $n = 0.42$,

$$z = 65 \text{ cm} = 0.65 \text{ m}$$

$$V_{s} = \frac{g(s-1)d^{2}}{18\gamma}$$

$$= \frac{9.81(2.66-1)\times(0.65\times10^{-3})^{2}}{18\times1.3\times10^{-2}\times10^{-4}}$$

$$= 0.29 \text{ mm/sec}$$

$$V_B = V_S(n_e)^{4.5}$$

$$\frac{z_e}{z} = \frac{1-n}{1-n_e}$$

$$\frac{1.53}{7} = \frac{1 - 0.42}{1 - p}$$

$$1.5 (1-n_e) -1 -0.42 \Rightarrow 1.5 - 1.5 n_e = 0.58$$

$$n_e = \frac{1.5 - 0.58}{1.5}$$

$$n_e = 0.613$$

$$V_B = 0.29(0.613)^{4.5} = 0.032 \text{ m/sec}$$

Head loss during back wash hb

$$= z(1-n)(s-1)$$

= 0.6258 m

07. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$\frac{1}{z} \ln \frac{100}{100 - \eta_1} = \frac{1}{z_2} \ln \frac{100}{100 - \eta_2}$$

 $Z_1 = 0.05 \text{ m}, \, \eta_1 = 90\%, \, \eta_2 = 99\%$
 $Z_2 = ?$

$$\frac{1}{0.05} \ln \frac{100}{100 - 90} = \frac{1}{z_2} \ln \frac{100}{100 - 99}$$

$$46.06 = \frac{1}{z_0} \times 4.606$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $z_2 = \frac{4.606}{46.06}$

$$Z_2 = 0.10 \text{ m}$$



Common data for Question Nos. 08 & 09

08. Ans: (c)

Sol: ROF =
$$200 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$
,
 $O = 0.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$, $A = 50 \text{ m}^2$

Total area =
$$\frac{Q}{ROF} = \frac{0.5}{200}$$
$$= 216 \text{ mm}^2$$

09. Ans: (c)

Sol: No. of filters =
$$\frac{216}{50}$$
 = 4.32 \(\sim 5\)
Total no. of filters = 6

10. Ans: $144 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}^2$

Loading rate =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{surface area}} = \frac{86400}{12 \times 50}$$

= 144 m³/day/m²

= 14 - 2 = 12

11. Ans: 7.53

Sol: ROF:
$$200 \text{ m}^3 / \text{day/m}^2 = \frac{200}{24} \text{m}^3 / \text{hr/m}^2$$

ROB:
$$1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day/m}^2 = \frac{1000}{24} \text{m}^3/\text{ hr/m}^2$$

DOB: 15 min

Filter water wasted for 30 min

DOF:
$$24 - \frac{15}{60} - \frac{30}{60} = 23.25 \text{ hr}$$

Amount of water filtered/day

$$= ROF \times DOF \times (L \times B)$$

$$= \frac{200}{24} \times (23.25) \times (L \times B)$$

Amount of water recycled & reused

$$= ROB \times DOB \times (L \times B) + ROF \times$$

Duration of maturation \times (L \times B)

$$= \frac{1000}{24} \times \frac{15}{60} \times \left(L \times B \right) + \frac{200}{24} \times \frac{30}{60} \times \left(L \times B \right) \rightarrow (2)$$

Percentage increase in filtered water

$$= \frac{\frac{1000}{24} \times \frac{15}{60} \times (L \times B) + \frac{200}{24} \times \frac{30}{60} \times (L \times B)}{\frac{200}{24} \times 23.25 \times (L \times B)} \times 100$$
$$= \frac{250 + 100}{4650} \times 100 = 7.526\%$$

- 12. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 13. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 14. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

16. Ans: (a)

Sol: MMF > DMF > RSF>SSF

17. Ans: (a)

Sol:

Filter operating problem	Effect	
Air binding	air and gases locked in the bed.	
Mud deposition	mud balls are formed	
Cracking of bed	mud penetrates deeper in side the bed.	
Sand incrustation	changes effective size of sand.	



18. Ans: (b)

Sol: Flow = 1 MLD =
$$\frac{10^6}{24} \ell / \text{hr}$$

Rate of filtration = $4000 l/hr/m^2$

Size of filter =
$$\frac{\text{Flow}}{\text{R.O.P}} = \frac{24}{4000} 10.41$$

 $\approx 11 \text{ m}^2$

07. Disinfection

01. Ans: 51.2 sec

Sol:
$$N_o = 10^6$$

$$N_t = 100$$

$$\left[\because \ell n \left(\frac{N_t}{N_o} \right) = -kt \right]$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{100}{10^6}\right) = -6 \times 10^{-3} \times 30 \times t$$

$$t = 51.16 \text{ sec}$$

02. Ans: (c)

Sol: Population = 20,000 at a per capita demand = 150 lit/day

$$Q = 20,000 \times 150$$
$$= \frac{3000000}{10^6} \text{ lit/day} = 3 \text{ MLD}$$

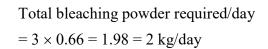
Bleaching powder = 0.2 mg/l

$$Cl_2 = 0.2 \text{ ppm} = 0.2 \text{ mg/}l$$

 $Ca(Ocl)_2 = 30\%$ available Cl_2

Bleaching powder

$$= \frac{\text{Cl}_2 \text{ dose}}{\% \text{ of Cl}_2 \text{ bleaching powder}}$$
$$= \frac{0.2}{\frac{30}{100}} = 0.66 \text{ mg/}l$$



03. Ans: (c)

Sol: $Cl_2 = 20,000 \text{ Cu m}$

8 kg. residual after 10 min = 0.15 mg/l

$$Q = 20,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

Total Cl_2 used = 8 kg/day

Residual $Cl_2 = 0.15 \text{ mg/}l$

Dose of $Cl_2 = ?$

Demand = ?

Total $Cl_2 = Q \times design of Cl_2$

 $8 = 20,000 \times dose of Cl_2 MLD$

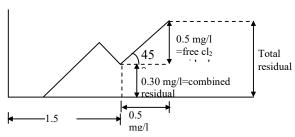
Dose of
$$Cl_2 = \frac{8}{20} = 0.4 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$Cl_2$$
 demand = Cl_2 dose - Residual Cl_2

$$= 0.4 - 0.15 = 0.25 \text{ mg/}l$$

04. Ans: (b)

Sol:



Total residual =
$$0.3 + 0.5 = 0.80 \text{ mg/}l$$

Sol:
$$\frac{\text{HOCL}}{\left(\text{HOCL} + \text{OCL}\right)} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{K_i}{H^+}}$$

$$0.9 = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{2.7 \times 10^{-8}}{H^+}}$$



$$H^+ = 2.43 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$P^H = log_{10} \left[\frac{1}{H^+} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 P^H = 6.614

08. Ans: (d)

Sol: Cl_2 available in Bleaching powder (B.P) = 0.3 mg/ml

$$Cl_2$$
 dose = 0.1 mg/l

Volume of water to be treated = 200 ml
Total amount of Bleaching powder required
=?

Bleaching powder required = $\frac{C\ell_2 \text{ dose}}{C\ell_2 \text{ in B.P}}$

$$= \frac{0.1}{0.3} \frac{\text{mg/}\ell}{\text{mg/m}\ell}$$

Total bleaching powder required

= bleaching powder dose × Volume of water

$$= \frac{0.1}{0.3} \times \frac{200}{1000} \,\mathrm{m}l$$

09. Ans: 3.2 min

Sol: Residual = 0.6 mg/l, $K = 3 \times 10^{-2}$ per sec

% of kill =
$$\frac{N_o - N_t}{N_c} \times 100$$

$$99.7 = (1-e^{-kt}) \times 100$$

$$99.7 = \left(1 - e^{-3 \times 10^{-2} \times t}\right) \times 100$$

Solving

$$t = 193.63 \text{ sec} = \frac{193.63}{60}$$
$$= 3.2 \text{ min}$$

Sol: Percent removal (%R)

$$= \left(\frac{10^6 - 10^2}{10^6}\right) \times 100 = 99.99\%$$

$$\log(R) = \log 10^6 - \log 10^2 = 6 - 2 = 4$$

11. Ans: (a)

Sol: Free residual

$$=$$
HOCL $+$ OCL $^ =$ 2mg/lit as Cl₂

$$2(mg/lit) = Cl_2\left(\frac{moles}{lit}\right) \times Mol. wt \times 1000$$

$$\frac{2}{2\times35.5\times1000} = \text{Cl}_2 \text{ (moles/lit)}$$

$$Cl_2 = 2mg/lit = 2.816 \times 10^{-5}$$
 (moles/lit)

$$P_{\rm H} = 7.5$$
 $\therefore P_{\rm H} = \log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{H^+}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 H⁺ = $10^{-7.5}$ moles / lit

$$\frac{\text{HOCL}}{\text{OCL}^{-}} = [K][H^{+}] = 10^{7.5} \times 10^{-7.5}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 HOCL + OCL⁻ = 2mg / lit

$$=2.816\times10^{-5}$$
 (moles/lit)

$$\therefore 2 \text{ OCL}^- = 2.816 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$:: OCL^- = 1.408 \times 10^{-5} \text{ moles / lit}$$

12. Ans: (b)

Since

Sol: Fraction HOCL =
$$\frac{1}{1 + \frac{k}{H^+}}$$

$$pH = 7 \Rightarrow H^+ = 10^{-7} \text{ mole/lit}$$



$$k = 2.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol/lit}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{2.5 \times 10^{-8}}{10^{-7}}} = \frac{1}{1.25} = 0.8$$

13. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$C^n t = constant \Rightarrow t \propto \frac{1}{C}$$

 $C \rightarrow Concentration of disinfectant$

 $t \rightarrow$ detention time (or) contact time

 $n \rightarrow dilution factor.$

Contact time "t" =
$$\frac{\text{Volume of contact unit}}{\text{Flow rate}}$$

$$=\frac{V}{Q}$$

$$\therefore$$
 $C^n t = constant$

$$\therefore C_1^n t_1 = C_2^n t_2 = constant$$

$$C_1^n \frac{V}{Q_1} = C_2^n \frac{V}{Q_2}$$

$$\frac{C_1^n}{Q_1} = \frac{C_2^n}{Q_2}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{\text{Total chlorine}}{O}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{32}{16} = 2 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$\frac{2^1}{16} = \frac{C_2^1}{22}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 C₂ = 2 × $\frac{22}{16}$ = 2.75 mg/l

... Total chlorine required for 22 MLD

=
$$Q_2 \times C_2$$

= $22 \times 2.75 = 60.5 \text{ kg/day}$

14. Ans: 50.02 m³

Sol: % sewage kill '
$$\eta$$
" = $(1-e^{-kt}) \times 100$

$$K = 0.145$$

$$98 = (1 - e^{-0.145 \times t}) \times 100$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 t = 26.979 min

Contact time "t" = detention time

$$= 7.0358 \text{ min}$$

Volume of disinfection unit = $Q \times Dt$

$$= \frac{2670}{24 \times 60} \times 26.979 = 50.02 \text{ m}^3$$

18. Ans: (a)

Sol: Dose of bleaching powder = 2 mg/l

$$Q = \frac{10000 \times 50}{10^6} = 0.5 \text{ MLD}$$

Total amount required = $Q \times Dose$ of bleaching powder

$$= 0.5 \times 2 = 1 \text{ kg/day}$$

Sol:
$$Q = 4 MLD$$

Residual $Cl_2 = 0.25 \text{ mg/}l$

$$Cl_2$$
 demand = 1.25 mg/ l

$$Cl_2 dose = 1.25 + 0.25 = 1.5 \text{ mg/}l$$

Bleaching Powder dose =
$$\frac{1.5}{0.25}$$
 = 6 mg/l

Total BP required per day = $Q \times dose$ of BP

$$= 4 \times 6 = 24 \text{ kg/day}$$

Sol:
$$Q = 10 \text{ MLD}$$

Dose of
$$Cl_2 = 0.8 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$DT = contact time = 40 min$$

Capacity =
$$Q \times DT$$

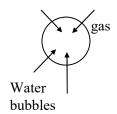
$$= \frac{10 \times 10^6}{10^3 \times 24 \times 60} \times 40 \simeq 280 \text{ m}^3$$



08. Miscellaneous Water Treatment

07. Ans: (b)

Sol: liquid –gas system absorption.



10. Ans: 385.714

Sol:

$$Q_{B} = C_{0out} = 0$$

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$$Q_{Out} = 0$$

$$C_{\rm in} = 420 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$C_{out} = 75 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$Q = 4 \times 540 = 2160 \text{ lit/day}$$

$$\eta = \frac{C_{in} - C_{out}}{C_{in}} \times 100 = \frac{420 - 75}{420} \times 100$$
$$= 82.142\%$$

 $\eta = 100\%$

$$\boldsymbol{C}_{mix} = \frac{(\boldsymbol{Q} - \boldsymbol{Q}_{B})\boldsymbol{C}_{out} + \boldsymbol{Q}_{B}\boldsymbol{C}_{B}}{\boldsymbol{Q}}$$

$$75 = \frac{(Q - Q_B) \times 0 + Q_B \times 420}{2160} \Rightarrow Q_B$$

 $= 385.714 \, \text{lit/day}$

Flow that can be by passed = 385.714 Lit/day

12. Ans: (d)

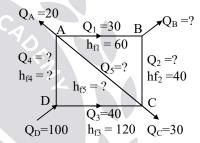
Sol: Recarbonation is employed to convert insoluble precipitates in to soluble form.

09. Distribution System

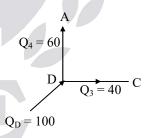
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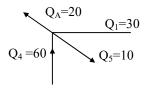
Sol:
$$Q_B = 50;$$
 $Q_2 = 20;$ $Q_4 = 60$ $Q_5 = 10;$ $h_{f5} = 20;$ $h_{f4} = 100$



Consider junction 'D', unknown is Q4

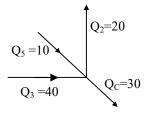


Consider junction A, unknown is Q₅

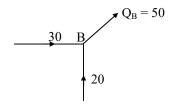




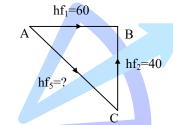
Consider junction C, unknown is Q₂



Consider junction B, unknown is Q_B



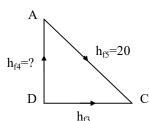
Consider loop ABCA, ΣH_{ABCA} : 0



$$+h_{f1} - h_{f2} - h_{f5} = 0$$

 $+60 - 40 - h_{f5} = 0$
 $h_{f5} = 20$

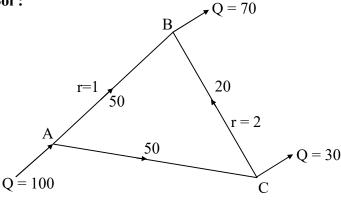
Consider loop ACDA



$$\begin{split} \Sigma \; H_{ACDA} &= 0 \\ + h_{f5} - h_{f3} + h_{f4} &= 0 \\ 20 - 120 + h_{f4} &= 0 \\ h_{f4} &= 100 \end{split}$$

06. Ans: 0.615

Sol:



$$\begin{split} ht &= r.\ Q^{1.8} \\ \Sigma H_{ABCA} &= 0 \\ (h_f)_{AB} - (h_f)_{BC} - (h_f)_{AC} &= 0 \\ rQ_{AB}^{1.8} - rQ_{BC}^{1.8} - r_{AC}.Q_{AC}^{1.8} &= 0 \\ 1 \times (50)^{1.8} - 2 \times (20)^{1.8} - r_{AC} \ . \ (50)^{1.8} \\ 703 &= r_{AC} \times (50)^{1.8} \\ r_{AC} &= 0.615 \end{split}$$

09. Ans: (d)

Sol: Balancing reservoirs absorb fluctuation between supply & demand.

10. Ans: (b)

Sol: Grid iron system require long length of pipes more no. of valves. Designs is difficult but it is expensive.

No dead ends: flow can be diverted.



Waste Water Engineering

01. Introduction to Waste Water Engineering and Estimation of DWF & WWF

01. Ans: (b)

Sol: Storm's which occurs over catchment, if the duration of storm is not given (while calculating storm water discharge resulting from the catchment) calculating time of concentration is assumed as duration of storm.

02. Ans: (a)

Sol: Intensity(I) =
$$\frac{\sum A_i \times I_i}{A}$$

= $\frac{(40)(0.8) + (30)(0.2) + (30)(0.1)}{40 + 30 + 30}$
= 0.41
 $Q_{wwF} = \frac{AIR}{360}$ Where A = 16 ha
 $I = 0.41$
 $R = 5$ cm/hr = 50 mm/hr
 $\therefore Q_{wwF} = \frac{(16)(0.41)(50)}{360} = 0.911$ m³/sec

03. Ans: $0.1736 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$, $2.015 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$

Sol: Population = 1,00,000

$$Q_{Dwf}$$
 = Population × percapita × factor
= 1,00,000 × 200 × 0.75

=
$$15 \times 10^6$$
 lpcd = 15 MLD
= 0.1736 m³/sec

$$Q = \frac{AIR}{360} \Rightarrow R = \frac{25.4a}{t_c + b} = \frac{25.4 \times 40}{50 + 20}$$
= 14.51 mm/hr
= $\frac{100 \times 0.5 \times 14.15}{360} = 2.015$ m³/sec

04. Ans: $2.508 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$

Sol:
$$P = 40000$$

 $A = 75 \text{ ha}$
 $I = 0.70$
Factor = 0.70

 $Q_{DWF} = Population \times rate of flow \times factor$

$$Q_{DWF} = 40000 \times 120 \times 0.70$$

= 0.0388 m³/sec

$$Q_{WWF} = \frac{AIR}{360} = \frac{75 \times 0.70 \times 16.93}{360}$$

$$Q_{wwf} = 2.47 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$R = \frac{25.4 \times 40}{40 + 20} = 16.93 \text{ mm/hr}$$

Combined discharge =
$$0.0388 + 2.470$$

= $2.5088 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$

Sol:
$$A = 1 \text{ km}^2 = 100 \text{ ha}$$
;
 $P = 1000 \text{ no/ha}$
Rate of flow = 200 lpcd
Factor = 0.80



$$P = 100000$$

$$I = \frac{1.2 \times 10}{24} = 0.5 \text{mm/hr}$$

$$Q_{\rm DWF} = \frac{100000 \times 200 \times 0.80 \times 10^{-3}}{24 \times 3600}$$

$$Q_{DWF} = 0.185 \,\mathrm{m}^3 \,/\,\mathrm{sec}$$

$$R = 0.5 \text{ mm/h}$$

$$Q_{WWF} = \frac{AIR}{360} = \frac{100 \times 1 \times 0.5}{360}$$

$$Q_{WWF} = 0.138 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q_{Design} = Q_{DWF} + Q_{WWF}$$

= 0.185 + 0.138 = 0.323 m³/sec

06. Ans: 1.61 m³/sec

Sol: Given Area
$$(A) = 50$$
 ha

Impression factor (I) = 0.8

$$\therefore Q = \frac{AIR}{360} = m^3/sec$$

$$R = \frac{25.4 \times a}{t+b}$$

$$t = (10 \text{ min}) + \left(\frac{2400}{1}\right) \times \frac{1}{60} \text{ min}$$

$$t = 50 \text{ min}$$

as
$$t > 20$$
, $a = 40$, $b = 20$

$$\therefore R = \frac{25.4 \times 40}{50 + 20} = 14.514 \text{ m/hr}$$

$$\therefore Q = \frac{50 \times 0.8 \times 14.514}{360}$$

$$Q = 1.612 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

Sol:
$$A = 3.6 \text{ ha}$$

$$R = 2 \text{ cm/hr} = 20 \text{ mm /hr}$$

$$I = 1$$
 (Impervious surface)

$$Q = \frac{AIR}{360} = \frac{3.6 \times 20 \times 1}{360} = 0.2 \text{ m}^3 / \text{sec}$$

02. Design of Sewers

02. Ans: 1.311 m

Sol:
$$A = 150 \text{ ha}$$

$$P = 50.000$$

$$V = 3.2 \text{ m/sec}$$
 [$t_c = t_e + t_f = 5 + 20 = 25 \text{ min}$]

$$t_e = 5 \text{ min}$$

$$t_f = 20 \text{ min}$$

$$O = 270 lt/d/c$$

Impermissibility factor = 0.45

$$Factor = 0.75$$

$$Q_{DWF} = 50000 \times 270 \times 0.75$$

$$= 0.117 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q_{WWF} = \frac{AIR}{360}$$

$$=\frac{150\times0.45\times22.57}{360}$$

$$R = \frac{25.4a}{t_c + b}$$

$$= \frac{25.4(40)}{25 + 20} = 22.57$$

$$= 4.23$$

$$Q = Q_{DWF} + Q_{WWF} = 0.117 + 4.23$$

$$= 4.34 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q = AV$$



$$4.34 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times D^2 \times 3.2$$

$$D^2 = \frac{4 \times 4.34}{\pi \times 3.2} = 1.72$$

$$D = \sqrt{1.72} = 1.311m$$

Sol:
$$V = \frac{1}{n} \cdot (R)^{2/3} \cdot S^{1/2}$$

The velocity of flowing full and flowing half will be same

$$V = 1 \text{ m/sec}$$

04. Ans: 1 in 449

Sol:
$$dia = 45 \text{ cm} = 0.45 \text{ m}$$

Population =
$$30000$$
; Q _{design} = 3.5 Q_{DWF}

$$S = ?$$

Running full

$$n = 0.012$$

$$Factor = 0.80$$

Rate of water supply = 150 lpcd

 Q_{DWF} = Population ×per capita water supply

×factor

$$Q_{DWF} = \frac{30000 \times 150 \times 0.80}{24 \times 10^3 \times 60 \times 60}$$

$$Q_{DWF} = 0.0416 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q_{design} = 3.5 \times 0.0416$$

$$= 0.1456 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

Running full
$$A = \frac{\pi}{4}D^2$$

$$R = \frac{D}{4}$$

$$Q_{design} = A. V$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \times \frac{1}{n} \times (R)^{2/3} \times (S)^{1/2}$$

$$0.1456 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times (0.45)^2 \times \frac{1}{0.012} \times \left(\frac{0.45}{4}\right)^{2/3} \times (S)^{1/2}$$

$$S = 0.0022$$

$$S = \frac{1}{448.5} \simeq \frac{1}{449}$$

05. Ans: 1.353 m³/sec

Sol:
$$Q = ?$$

$$d = 1.25 \, \text{m}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{360}, n = 0.011$$

Half-full

$$A = \frac{\pi}{8}D^2 \quad R = \frac{D}{4}$$

$$Q = A.V = \frac{\pi}{8}D^2 \times \frac{1}{n}(R)^{2/3}(S)^{1/2}$$

$$Q = \frac{\pi}{8} \times (1.25)^2 \times \frac{1}{0.011} \times \left(\frac{1.25}{4}\right)^{2/3} \times \left(\frac{1}{360}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$Q = 1.35 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

06. Ans: 0.656 m/sec, 1 in 2160

Sol:
$$V_{self} = ?$$

Dia of sand particles d = 1 mm

$$S = 2.65$$

$$K = 0.1$$

$$f = 0.03$$

$$n = 0.013$$

$$V_{self} = \sqrt{\frac{8K}{f}(S-1)g.d}$$



$$V_{\text{self}} = \sqrt{\frac{8 \times 0.1}{0.03} (2.65 - 1) \times 9.81 \times 1 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$V_{self} = 0.656 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$V_{self} = V = \frac{1}{n} . (R)^{2/3} (S)^{1/2}$$

$$0.656 = \frac{1}{0.03} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{2/3} (S)^{1/2}$$

$$S = 4.63 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{1}{2159}$$

$$S = 1 \text{ in } 2159 \simeq 1 \text{ in } 2160$$

Ans: 0.36 m, 0.027 m³/sec, 0.43 m/sec

Sol: dia of sewer D = ?

$$n = 0.013$$

$$Q = 0.05 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$S = 1 \text{ in } 1000$$

Flow full

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4}D^2$$

$$R = \frac{D}{4}$$

$$Q = A. V$$

$$Q = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \cdot \frac{1}{n} \cdot (R)^{2/3} \cdot (S)^{1/2}$$

$$0.05 = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \cdot \frac{1}{0.013} \cdot \left(\frac{D}{4}\right)^{2/3} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$D = 0.36 \text{ m}$$

If the flow were at 0.60 depth

$$d = 0.60 D$$

$$q = ?$$

$$V = ?$$

$$\frac{d}{D} = \frac{0.6D}{D} = 0.60$$

d/D	q/Q	v/V
0.60	0.54	0.88

$$\frac{q}{O} = 0.54$$

$$q = 0.54 \times 0.05 = 0.027 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{V}}{\mathrm{V}} = 0.88$$

$$V = 0.88 \times \frac{1}{n} . (R)^{2/3} . (S)^{1/2}$$

$$V = 0.88 \times \frac{1}{0.014} \cdot \left(\frac{0.36}{4}\right)^{2/3} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{1000}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$V = 0.43 \text{ m/sec}$$

08. Ans: (a)

Sol: Slope =
$$\frac{1}{400}$$

$$V = 0.7 \text{ m/s}$$

dia of sewer = 600 mm

slope =
$$\frac{1}{200}$$

$$V = ?$$

$$V = \frac{1}{n} (R)^{\frac{2}{3}} (S)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 $R = \frac{D}{4}$

$$R = \frac{D}{4}$$

$$R = \frac{0.6}{4}$$

$$\frac{1}{n} = \frac{V}{(R)^{\frac{2}{3}}(S)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$



$$\frac{1}{n} = \left[\frac{V}{(R)^{2/3} (S)^{1/2}} \right]_{\text{full}} = \left[\frac{V}{(R)^{2/3} (S)^{1/2}} \right]_{\text{half}}$$

$$= \left[\frac{0.7}{\left(\frac{0.3}{4}\right)^{2/3} \left(\frac{1}{400}\right)^{1/2}} \right]_{\text{full}} = \left[\frac{V}{\left(\frac{0.6}{4}\right)^{2/3} \left(\frac{1}{200}\right)^{1/2}} \right]$$

$$V = 1.59 \text{ m/s}$$

Sol:
$$\frac{Q_{\text{full}}}{Q_{\text{half}}} = \frac{A_{\text{full}} V}{A_{\text{half}} V} = \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \times v}{\frac{\pi}{8} D^2 \times v} = 2$$

The Velocity remains same for the pipe flowing full and half full, if diameter and bed slope remains same.

10. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$D = 300 \text{ mm}$$
;
 $q = 1728 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$;
 $n = 0.015$;

S = 1/280To find 'Q'

$$Q = A.V = \frac{\pi}{4}.D^{2} \times \frac{1}{n}.R^{2/3}.S^{1/2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}.(0.3)^{2} \times \frac{1}{0.015} \times \left(\frac{0.3}{4}\right)^{2/3} \times \left(\frac{1}{280}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$= 0.05 \text{ m}^{3}/\text{sec}$$

$$= 4320 \text{ m}^{3}/\text{day}$$

$$\therefore \frac{q}{Q} = \frac{1728}{4320} = 0.4$$

For
$$\frac{q}{Q} = 0.4$$
; from the graph (given).

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{D}} = 0.5$$

For
$$\frac{d}{D} = 0.5$$
, the $\frac{v}{V} = 0.8$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{D} = 0.5$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 d = 0.5 × 0.3 = 150 mm

$$\therefore \frac{9}{V} = 0.8$$

$$9 = 0.8 \times 0.708 = 0.57 \text{ m/sec}$$

11. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$\left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{D}{4}\right)^2 + x^2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{D^2}{16} - \frac{D^2}{4}$$

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{3}D}{4}$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{x}{\frac{D}{2}}$$

$$=\frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}D}{\frac{D}{2}}$$

 $\theta = 60^{\circ}$

Total angle
$$@ \theta = 120^{\circ}$$





$$360^{\circ} \rightarrow 2 \pi r$$

$$120^{\circ} \rightarrow ?$$

$$? = \frac{2\pi r \times 120}{360}$$

$$?=\frac{2\pi r}{3}$$

$$=\frac{2\pi\times\frac{D}{2}}{3}$$

Wetted perimeter = $\frac{\pi D}{3}$

12. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$Q = AV$$

$$Q = A \times \frac{1}{n} R^{2/3} S^{1/2}$$

Velocity and discharge remain same $n \to \text{coefficient of Roughness or Rugosity} \\ n \propto S^{1/2}$

$$\left(\frac{\mathbf{S}_2}{\mathbf{S}_1}\right)^{1/2} = \frac{\mathbf{n}_2}{\mathbf{n}_1}$$

$$\left(\frac{S_2}{S_1}\right)^{1/2} = \frac{0.02}{0.01}$$

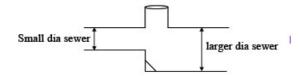
$$\frac{S_2}{S_1} = (2)^2$$

$$S_2 = 4S_1$$

Increased by 4 times.

15. Ans: (c)

Sol:



The continuity of sewers is maintained at the crown of the sewers to avoid back flow.

16. Ans: (a)

Sol: Man holes are provided when two are more sewers (junction) meet, change in gradient, change in direction and even provided along the straight alignment at regular interval for inspection, maintenance, repair of sewers.

03. Characteristics of Sewage

01. Ans: 212.19 mg/lit

Sol: Ultimate BOD
$$L_0 = ?$$

$$6 \text{ m}l \rightarrow \text{Waste} \rightarrow D_0 = 0$$

294 m
$$l \rightarrow$$
 distilled $\rightarrow D_0 = 8.6 \text{ mg/}l$

$$(D_0)_{Final} = 5.4 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$K(base) e = 0.25d^{-1}$$

$$\begin{split} (D_0)_{Initial} &= \frac{V_D(D_0) + V_S(D_0)_S}{V_0 + V_S} \\ &= \frac{294 \times 8.6 + 6 \times 0}{294 + 6} \end{split}$$

$$(D_0)_I = 8.428 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_5^{20^0 C} = [D_0)_I - (D_0)_F] \times D.F$$

$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = [8.428 - 5.4] \times \frac{300}{6}$$

$$= 151.4 \text{ mg/}l$$



5 day BOD at
$$20^{0}$$
C $y_{5}^{20^{0}}$ C
$$y_{t}^{TOC} = L_{0} (1 - e^{K_{t} \times t})$$

$$y_{t}^{20^{0}} = 151.4 = L_{0} (1 - e^{K_{20} \times 0})$$

$$151.4 = L_{0} (1 - e^{-0.25 \times 5})$$

$$L_{0} = \text{Ultimate BOD '}L_{0} = 212.19 \text{ mg/}l$$

02. Ans: (d)

Sol: 5% dilution of sample =
$$\frac{100}{5}$$
 = 20
= $\frac{300}{15}$ = 20
(D₀)_F = 3.80 mg/l, (D₀)_{blank} = 8.80 mg/l
(D₀)_S = 0.8 mg/l
(D₀)_I = (D₀)_{mixer} = $\frac{V_0(D_0)_0 + V_S(D_0)_S}{V_0 + V_S}$
= $\frac{285 \times 8.8 + 0.8}{285 + 15}$ = 8.4 mg/l

 $y_5^{20} = [(D_0)_T - (D_0)_F]DF$

03. Ans: (c)

Sol: Fail in finding the BOD of waste water

 $= (8.4 - 3.80) \times 20 = 92 \text{ mg/}l$

04. Ans: 90 mg/l

Sol:
$$y_5^{30^0C} = \text{sewage sample} = 110 \text{ mg/l},$$
 $K_{D(20)} = 0.1/\text{day} = \text{base } 10$ $y_5^{30^0C} = L_0 \left(1 - e^{-K_1 t}\right)$ $y_5^{20^0C} = ?$ $K_{20} \text{ (base } 10) = 0.1 \text{ d}^{-1} = 2.3 \times 0.1$ $= 0.23 \text{d}^{-1}$

$$\begin{split} L_0 &= \frac{y_t^{T^0C}}{\left(1 - e^{-k_t t}\right)} = \frac{y_5^{30^0C}}{\left(1 - e^{-k_t t}\right)} \\ y_5^{30} &= L_0 \left(1 - e^{-K_{30} \times t}\right) \\ K_T &= K_{20} (1.047)^{T-20} \\ K_{30} &= 0.23 (1.047)^{30-20} \\ &= 0.364 d^{-1} \\ 110 &= L_0 (1 - e^{-0.364 \times 5}) \\ L_0 &= 131.78 \text{ mg/l} \\ y_5^{20} &= L_0 \left(1 - e^{-K_{20} \times 5}\right) \\ 131.78 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5}) &= 90 \text{ mg/l} \end{split}$$

05. Ans: 246.36 mg/l

Sol:
$$y_1^{30^{\circ}C} = 110 \text{ mg/l}, y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = ?$$

$$K_{(20)} = 0.1 \text{d}^{-1}$$

$$= 2.3 \times 0.1$$

$$= 0.23 \text{d}^{-1}$$

$$y_1^{30^{\circ}C} = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.364 \times 1})$$

$$110 = L_0 (1 - e^{-364 \times 1})$$

$$L_0 = 360.5 \text{ mg/l}$$

$$K_{30} = 0.23 (1.047)^{30 - 20}$$

$$= 0.364 \text{d}^{-1}$$

$$y_5^{20} = L_0 (1 - e^{-K_{20} \times 0})$$

$$= 360.5 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5}) = 246.36 \text{ mg/l}$$

06. Ans: 304000

Since

Sol:
$$Q = 80 \times 10^6 l/d$$
, $y_5 = 285 \text{ mg/}l$,
compute daily 5 day O_2 demand
Total strength of waste = $Q \times y$
= 80×285
= 22800 kg/day



Population equation =
$$\frac{Q \times y}{\text{per capita BOD}}$$

$$75 g = \frac{22800}{\text{per capita BOD}}$$

$$Per = \frac{22800}{75 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{kg/day}{kg/day}$$

Population equation = 304000 persons

07. Ans: 93.72%

Sol:
$$Sr = 100(1-0.794^{t})$$

= $100(1-0.794^{12})$
 $Sr = 93.72\%$

08. Ans: 1%

Sol: BOD₅ =
$$600 \text{ mg/}l$$
,

$$K = 0.23/d$$
 (base e); $K = 0.23d^{-1}$, $L_0 = ?$

BOD_u remain unaxidised after 20 days =?

$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = L_0 (1 - e^{K_1 t})$$

$$600 = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5})$$

$$L_0 = 878.01 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$L_{20} = L_0 e^{-Kt}$$

=
$$878.01 \times e^{Kt}$$

= $878.01 \times e^{-0.23 \times 20} = 8.82 \text{ mg/}l$

% of unoxidised =
$$\frac{8.82}{878.01} \times 100 = 1\%$$

1% of BOD after 20 days

Sol:

Waste water	Initial D ₀	D ₀ after 50
Volume ml	mg/l	day mg/l
5	9.2	6.9
10	9.1	4.4
50	8.4	0.0

Diluted =
$$\frac{300}{5}$$
 = 60
 y_5^{20} = $[(D_0)_I - (D_0)_F] \times DF$
= $[9.2 - 6.9] \times 60 = 138 \text{ mg/l}$

$$y_5^{20} = [9.1 - 4.4] \times \frac{300}{10} = 141 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$BOD_{avg} = \frac{138 + 141}{2} = 139.5 \text{ mg/}l$$

10. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$K = 0.01h^{-1}$$
 (base)
 $= 0.01 \times 24 h^{-1}$
 $= 0.24 h^{-1}$
 $y_5^{20} = L_0 (1 - e^{-Kt})$
 $190 = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.0124 \times 5})$
 $L_0 = \frac{190}{(1 - e^{0.24 \times 5})} = 271.89 \text{ mg/l}$

11. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$y_5^{20} = 180 \text{ mg/}l$$
, $K_T = K_{20}(1.047)^{T-20}$
 $BOD = 2.5 \text{ day}$
 $\left[y_5^{20} = L_0 \left(1 - e^{-0.18 \times 5}\right)\right]$



$$y_{2.5}^{T^{0}C} = 180 \text{ mg/l}$$

$$y_{5}^{20} = y_{2.5}^{T^{0}C}$$

$$L_{0}(1 - e^{-K_{20} \times 5}) = L_{0}(1 - e^{-K_{T} \times 2.5})$$

$$K_{20} \times 5 = K_{20}(1.047)^{T-20} \times 2.5$$

$$(1.047)^{T-20} = \frac{5}{2.5}$$

$$(T-20)Ln(1.047)=Ln2$$

 $(T-20)0.045 = 0.693$
 $T = 35^{0}C$

Sol: BOD₃ = 75 mg/l, K = 0.345d⁻¹ (base e)
BOD = 10 days = ?

$$y_3^{20} = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.345 \times 3})$$

 $L_0 = 116.31 \text{ mg/l}$
 $L_t = 116.31 (1 - e^{-0.345 \times 10})$
 $L_t = 112.61 \text{ mg/l}$
 $L_0 - L_t = 116.31 - 112.61 = 3.7 \text{ mg/l}$

14. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = 200 \text{ mg/}l$$

 $y_5^{30^{\circ}C} > y_5^{20^{\circ}C}$
 $\therefore k_{30} > k_{20}$

15. Ans: (c)

Sol: Ultimate BOD is independent of time and temperature and remain same at all temperature.

Sol:
$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = [(DO)_I - (DO)_F] \times DF$$

= $[8.5 - 5.5] \times \frac{100}{2} = 150 \text{ mg/}l$

17. Ans: (a)

Sol: Organic matter in waste water is used as food by micro organisms in BOD test.

Sol:
$$y = 162 \text{ mg/l}$$

$$Q = 1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$Q = 1000 \times 1000 \text{ lpcd} = 1 \text{ MLD}$$
Per capita BOD = 80 gm/capita
Population equivalent
total BOD

$$= \frac{Qy}{80 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{1 \times 162}{80 \times 10^{-3}} = 2025$$

Sol:
$$[(D_0)]_1 = 8 \text{ mg/}l$$
, $(D_0)_f = 2 \text{mg/}l$
Dilution factor $= \frac{300}{2} = 150 \text{ m}l$
 $= 5 \text{ days BOD} = [(D_0)_1 - (D_F)] \times D.F$
 $= (8-2) \times 150$
 $= 900 \text{ mg/}l$

20. Ans: (a)

Sol: Ferroin is used as indicator in COD test



Sol:
$$y_5^{20} = 250 \text{ mg/}l$$
, T = 30° C, t = ?

$$y_5^{30} = 250 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$L_0 = \frac{250}{\left(1 - e^{-K_t \times t}\right)}$$

$$K_{30} = K_{20}(1.047)^{30-20}$$

$$y_5^{20} = y_5^{30}$$

$$L_0(1-e^{K_{20}\times 5})=L_0(1-e^{-K_{30}\times t})$$

$$K_{20} \times 5 = K_{30} \times t$$

$$K_{20} \times 5 = K_{20} (1.047)^{30-20} \times t$$

$$t = \frac{5}{(1.047)^{10}} = 3.158 = 3.3 \text{ days}$$

22. Ans: (c)

Sol: Any waste water

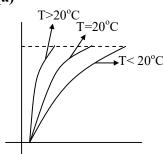
$$\frac{BOD}{COD} \ge 0.6$$
 is biodegradable

23. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = y_3^{27^{\circ}C}$$

24. Ans: (a)

Sol:



T> 20°C curve shift to the left

Sol:
$$y_5^{20^\circ} = ?$$

$$y_7^{20^\circ} = 150 \,\text{mg}/\ell$$

$$K = 0.23d^{-1}$$

$$150 = L_0 (1 - e^{-23 \times 7})$$

$$L_o = 187.47 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5})$$

$$y_5^{20^{\circ}C} = 187.47 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5})$$

$$y_5^{20^\circ} = 128.11 \,\text{mg}/\ell$$

26. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

27. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

30. Ans: (b)

Sol: COD represent oxygen demand of biodegradable & non biodegradable organic matter.

BOD represents only oxidizable biodegradable organic matter.

Ultimate BOD represents total biodegradable organic matter.

Th.O.D represent oxidizable substance in chemical equation.

$$COD > Th.O.D > BOD_u > BOD_5$$



04. Treatment of Sewage

02. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$12 \text{ m} \times 1.50, \text{ H} = 0.8 \text{ m}, \text{ Q} = 720 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}$$

$$L = 12 \text{ m}, B = 1.50 \text{ m}$$

Surface loading rate =
$$\frac{Q}{\text{surface area}}$$

$$= \frac{720}{12 \times 1.50} = 40 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr/m}^2$$

$$= 40000 \text{ lit/hr/m}^2$$

$$D.T = \frac{Volume of G.C}{Q} = \frac{L \times B \times H}{Q}$$

$$= \frac{12 \times 1.5 \times 0.8}{\frac{720}{60}} = 1.2 \text{ min}$$

04. Ans: (b)

Sol: Q =3 m³/sec, cross section of grit chamber =?

Cross section area (B.H) = $\frac{Q}{V_H}$

$$A = \frac{Q}{V_{_{\rm H}}}$$

$$A = \frac{3}{0.3} = 10 \text{ m}^2$$

05. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$G = 2.70$$

$$d = 0.21 \text{ mm}$$

$$V_s = ?$$

$$v = 1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec} = 1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$$

For laminar flow condition

$$V_{s} = \frac{g(S-1)d^{2}}{18v}$$

$$V_{s} = \frac{9.81 \times (2.70 - 1) \times (0.21 \times 10^{-3})^{2}}{18 \times 1 \times 10^{-6}}$$

 $V_s = 0.04089 \text{ m/sec}$

$$V_s = 4.089 \text{ cm/sec}$$

06. Ans: (b)

Sol: L = 7.5 m

 $V_H = 0.3 \text{ m/sec}$

H = 0.9 m

$$V = \frac{\mu}{\rho} = \frac{1.002 \times 10^{-3}}{1000}$$

$$= 1.002 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$$

For
$$\eta = 100\%$$
, $\frac{L}{V_H} = \frac{H}{V_S}$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 V_S = 0.036 m/sec

$$V_{S} = \frac{g}{18} \left((s-1) \cdot \frac{d^{2}}{v} \right)$$

Since
$$199\ 0.036 = \frac{9.8}{18}(2.5 - 1) \cdot \frac{d^2}{(1.002 \times 10^{-6})}$$

$$d = 0.21 \text{ mm}$$

07. Ans: (a)

Sol: $V_H = 0.25 \text{ m/s}$

D.T = 1 minute

$$L = V_H \times D.T$$

$$=0.25\times1\times60$$

$$= 15 \text{ m}$$



08. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$Q = 5005 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$$

$$V_0 = 35 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$

Surface area =
$$\frac{Q}{V_0} = \frac{5005}{35}$$

$$\frac{\pi}{4}d^2 = 143$$

$$d = 13.5 \text{ m}$$

09. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

10. Ans: (a)

Sol: In preliminary treatment

Screens → Removes large floating objects

Grit chamber → removes Grit

Skimming tank \rightarrow removes oil and grease.

11. Ans: (b)

Sol: Skimming tanks remove oil & grease by applying compressed air from bottom.

12. Ans: (c)

Sol: Surface area
$$\frac{Q}{SCR} = \frac{40 \times 10^6}{100000} = 400 \text{ m}^2$$

= 20 m × 20 m

05. Activated Sludge Process

01. Ans: (a)

Sol: $y_i = 180 \text{ mg/}l$, $V_L = 550 \text{ gm of BOD per 1}$ cu.m of volume

$$Q = 50 \times 10^6 l/d = 50 MLD, V = ?$$

$$V.L.R. = \frac{Qy_i}{V}$$

$$550 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{50 \times 180}{V}$$

$$550 \times 10^{-3} \times V = 9000$$

$$V = \frac{9000}{550 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$V = 16363 \text{ m}^3$$

02. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$Q = 50 \times 10^6 l/d = 50 MLD$$
, $y_i = 180 mg/l$,

$$\frac{F}{M}$$
 = 0.5 d⁻¹, X = 1800 mg/l, V = ?

$$\frac{F}{M} = \frac{Qy_i}{VX}$$

$$0.5 = \frac{50,000 \times 180}{1800 \times V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{50000 \times 180}{0.5 \times 1880}$$

$$V = 10,000 \text{m}^3$$

03. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$X = 2000 \text{ mg/}l$$

SVI =
$$\frac{V}{X}$$
 = $\frac{\text{Volume occupied in ml}}{\text{MLSS in gm}}$
= $\frac{176}{\frac{2000}{10^3}}$ = $\frac{176}{2}$ = 88 ml/gm



Common Data for Question Nos. 4 to 7

04. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$Q = 35,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}, V = 10900 \text{ m}^3,$$

 $y_i = 250 \text{ mg/}l, y_e = 20 \text{ mg/}l$
 $MLSS = 2500 \text{ mg/}l$

Aeration period =
$$\frac{V}{Q} = \frac{10900}{35000} = 7.47 \text{ hrs}$$

05. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$\frac{F}{M} = \frac{Q(y_i)}{VX}$$

= $\frac{35000(250)}{10,900 \times 2500} \frac{m^3 / d/(mg)/1}{m^3 / mg/1}$
= $0.32 d^{-1}$

06. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$\eta_{BOD} = \frac{y_i - y_e}{y_i} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{250 - 20}{250} \times 100 = 92\%$$

07. Ans: (a)

Sol: Sludge age
$$\theta_c = \frac{VX}{Q_w X_U + Q_e \times X_e}$$

$$= \frac{10900 \times 2500}{220 \times 9700 + (35000 - 220)30} \text{ m}^3 \times \frac{\text{mg}}{l}$$
=8.57 days

08. Ans: (c)

Sol: SVI = 88 ml/gm,
$$X_u = ?$$

 $X_u = \frac{10^6}{\text{SVI}} = \frac{10^6}{88} = 11364 \text{ mg/}l$

Sol:
$$V = 400 \text{m}^3$$
, $X = 1000 \text{ mg/}l$
Total amount of MLSS in aeration

Tank = VX
=
$$m^3$$
 (mg/ l)
= $400 \times 1000 \times (1000 \times 10^{-6})$
= 400 kg

13. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$X = 2800 \text{ mg/}l \text{ carried out 1 lit sample}$$

$$V = 200 \text{ ml}$$

$$SVI = \frac{200}{2.8} = 71.4 \text{ ml/gm}$$

Common data for Q 14 & 15

14. Ans: (c)

Sol: Given,

Since

$$Q = 500 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$$

$$y_i = 150 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_e = 10 \text{ mg/}l$$

199 D T =
$$8 \text{ hours}$$

$$Q_C = 240 \text{ hours}$$

$$V = 4000 \text{ m}^3$$

$$X = 2000 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$\frac{F}{M} = \frac{Q.y_{_{i}}}{VX} = \frac{500 \times 150}{4000 \times 2000}$$

$$\frac{F}{M} = 9.375 \times 10^{-3}$$
 per hour

$$\frac{F}{M} = 9.377 \times 10^{-3} \times 24 \text{ per day}$$

$$\frac{F}{M} = 0.225$$
 per days



15. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$Q_C = \frac{\text{mass of solid reactors}}{\text{mass of solid wasted per day}}$$

$$Q_{\rm C} = \frac{VX}{\text{mass of solid wasted per day}}$$

Mass of solid wasted/day =
$$\frac{VX}{Q_C}$$

$$=\frac{4000\times2000}{\frac{240}{24}}\times1000\times\frac{1}{10^6}$$

= 800 kg/day

16. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$X = 4000 \text{ mg/}l = 4 \text{ gm/}l$$

Volume =
$$200 \text{ m}l$$

$$SVI = \frac{Volume}{X} = \frac{200}{4}$$

SVI = 50 ml/gm

19. Ans:

i.
$$(2000 \text{ m}^3)$$

ii. (4.8 hrs)

iii. (86.66%)

iv. 0.75 kg/day/m^3

v. 600 kg/day

vi. 60 m³/day

vii. 100

viii. 0.428

ix. 4285.71 m³/day

Sol: Given:

Flow rate (Q) =
$$10,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

Inflow BOD
$$(y_i) = 150 \text{ mg/lit}$$

Outflow BOD
$$(y_E) = 20 \text{ mg/lit}$$

MLSS
$$(X) = 3,000 \text{ mg/lit}$$

We know

$$\frac{F}{M} = \frac{Qy_i}{VX}$$

$$VX = \frac{10,000 \times 150}{0.25}$$

$$VX = 6 \times 10^6$$

(I) Volume of aeration tank

$$V = \frac{6 \times 10^6}{3 \times 10^3}$$
 (:: X = 3000 mg/lit)

$$\therefore$$
 Volume = 2000 m³

(II) Aeration period =
$$\frac{2000}{10,000} \times 24 = 4.8$$
 hours

(III) B.O.D removal efficiency

$$= \frac{y_{i} - y_{E}}{y_{i}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{150 - 20}{150} \times 100$$

$$\eta = 86.66\%$$

(IV) Volumetric loading rate

$$V_{L} = \frac{Qy_{i}}{V} = \frac{10,000 \times 150}{2000} \times \frac{1000}{10^{6}}$$
$$= 0.75 \text{ kg/day/m}^{3}$$

(V) Mass of sludge wasted per day

$$MCRT = \theta_c = \frac{VX}{Q_w x_u + Q_e x_e}$$

$$10 = \frac{200 \text{m}^3 \times 300 \text{mg} / L \times \frac{100 L}{\text{m}^3} \times \frac{1 \text{kg}}{10^9 \text{ mg}}}{\text{mass of sludge wasted per day}}$$

:. Mass of sludge wasted per day = 600 kg/day



(VI) Volume of sludge wasted per day

$$Q_w x_u + Q_e x_e = mass of sludge wasted per day$$

$$Q_w(10,000) + (Q - Q_w)(0) = 600 \text{ kg/day}$$

$$Q_{w} = \frac{600}{10,000} = 0.06 \text{ MLD}$$

$$Q_{w} = 0.06 \times \frac{10^{6} L}{1 mL} \times \frac{1 m^{3}}{1000 L}$$

$$Q_w = 60 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

(VII) S.V.I =
$$\frac{10^6}{X_w} = \frac{10^6}{10,000} = 100 \text{ ml/gm}$$

$$S.V.I = 100$$

(VIII)
$$\frac{Q_R}{Q}$$
 = Recycling ratio = $\frac{X}{X_w - X}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Q_R}{O} = \frac{3000}{10000 - 3000} = 0.4285$$

(IX) ∴ Rate of return sludge

$$Q_R = 0.4285 \times 10,000$$

$$Q_R = 4285 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

20. Ans: 7.5 days

Sol: From the data

$$X = 3000 \text{ mg/lit}$$

$$Q_w = 50 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$X_u = 1000 \text{ mg/lit}$$

$$Q - Q_w = 14950 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 Q-50 = 14950 m³/day

$$Q = 15,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$V = Q \times D.T$$

$$= 15,000 \times 2hr$$

$$= 15,000 \times \frac{2}{24} = 1250 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\theta_{c} = \frac{VX}{Q_{w}X_{u} + (Q - Q_{w})X_{c}}$$

$$\theta_{c} = \frac{1250 \times 3000}{50 \times 10,000 + (14950) \times 0}$$
$$= 7.5 \text{ days}$$

21. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

22. Ans: (a)

Sol: Volume occupied by sludge

$$= 27 \text{ cm}^3 = 27 \text{ m}l$$

$$S.V.I = \frac{27}{3} \frac{m\ell}{gm}$$

$$=9\frac{m\ell}{gm}$$

23. Ans: (b)

Since

Sol: ASP converts soluble organic matter in to biological flocs & hence remove dissolved BOD. It doesn't digest sludges.





06. Trickling Filters

01. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$y_i = 200 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_e = 40 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$\eta = \frac{y_i - y_e}{v_i} \times 100$$

$$\eta = \frac{200 - 40}{200} \times 100 = 80\%$$

02. Ans: (b)

Sol: OLR = $0.175 \text{ kg/m}^3/\text{day}$

$$y_i = 150 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_e = ?$$

$$\eta = \frac{100}{1 + 0.0044 \sqrt{\frac{Q.y_i}{V.F}}}$$

1 ha.m =
$$10^4 \text{ m}^3$$

$$1 \text{ m}^3 = 10^{-4} \text{ ha. m}$$

$$\frac{Qy_i}{V}kg \ of \ BOD/day/ \ ha.m$$

$$OLR = 0.175 \times 10^4 \text{ kg/ha.m/day}$$

$$\eta = \frac{150 - y_e}{150} \times 100$$

$$\frac{150 - y_e}{150} \times 100 = \frac{100}{1 + 0.0044 \sqrt{\frac{0.175 \times 10^4}{1}}}$$

$$y_e = 23.31 \text{ mg/}l$$

Sol:
$$Q = 6 MLD$$

$$y_i = 150 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$OLR = 175 \text{ gm/m}^3/\text{day}$$

Depth of
$$TF = ?$$

Vol. of
$$TF = ?$$

$$SLR = 2500 l/m^2/day$$

$$\eta = ?$$

$$y_e = ?$$

Surface loading rate = $\frac{Q}{\text{surface area}}$

$$\frac{\pi}{4} \times d^2 = \frac{6 \times 10^6}{2500}$$

$$d = 55.27 \text{ m}$$

organic loading length = $\frac{Q.y_i}{V}$

$$V = \frac{150 \times 6}{175 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$V = 5142.85 \text{ m}^3$$

Depth of TF =
$$\frac{\text{Vol. of TF}}{\text{surface area of TF}}$$

$$d = \frac{5142.85}{2400}$$

$$d = 2.14 \text{ m}$$

$$OLR = 175 \times 10^{-3} \times 10^{4} \text{ kg/ha. m/day}$$

$$OLR = 1750 \text{ kg/ha. m/day}$$

$$\eta = \frac{100}{1 + 0.0044 \sqrt{\frac{Qy_{_{i}}}{VF}}}$$

$$\eta = \frac{100}{1 + 0.0044\sqrt{175 \times 10^{-3} \times 10^4}}$$



$$\eta = 84.45\%$$

$$\eta = \frac{y_i - y_e}{y_i} \times 100$$

$$84.45 = \frac{150 - y_e}{150} \times 100$$

$$y_e = 23.32 \text{ mg/}l$$

04. Ans: 633 m³

Sol: Single stage TF

$$y_e = 20 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$y_i = 120 \text{ mg/}l$$

$$Q = 2200 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$R = 4000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$V = ?$$

: Recirculation is there it is high rate TF

$$\frac{R}{I} = \frac{4000}{2200} = 1.81$$

$$F = \frac{1 + \frac{R}{I}}{\left(1 + 0.1 \frac{R}{I}\right)^2}$$

$$F = 2.017$$

$$Q = 2200 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

$$Q = 2200 \times 1000 \ lpcd$$

$$Q = 2.2 MLD$$

$$\eta = \frac{y_i - y_e}{y_i} \times 100$$

$$\eta = \frac{120 - 20}{120} \times 100 = 83.33\%$$

$$83.33 = \frac{100}{1 + 0.0044 \sqrt{\frac{2.2 \times 120}{V \times 2.017}}}$$

$$V = 0.0633$$
 ha. m

$$V = 633 \text{ m}^3$$

05. Ans: (b)

Sol: If
$$\frac{R}{I} = 1$$
 then F>1

$$\therefore F = \frac{1 + \frac{R}{I}}{\left(1 + 0.1 \frac{R}{I}\right)^2}$$

06. Ans: (b)

Sol: At the interface of media as the thickness of biofilm increases it leads to endogenous decay & anaerobic conditions.

07. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

08. Ans: (b)

Sol: Design of trickling filters are based on hydraulic loading rate and organic loading rate.

09. Ans: (c)

Sol: The problem of ponding can be solved by raking & chlorination



07. Sludge Digestion

01. Ans: 17105.62 kg/day, 16.68m³/day

Sol: Q = 4.5 MLD

Total dry solids = $Q \times sewage$ containing = $4.5 \times 275 = 1237.5 \text{ kg}$

Mass of sludge produced = $\frac{100}{(100 - P_1)}$ M

Solids concentration in sludge

$$=\frac{55}{100}\times275$$

= 151.25 mg/l

Total mass of dry solids produced/day

$$= \frac{100}{(100 - \eta_{c})} \times M$$

$$= \frac{100}{(100 - 96)} \times 680.625$$

$$= 17015.625 \text{ kg/day}$$

(ii)
$$\frac{\rho_{\text{sludge}}}{\rho_{\text{w}}} = S_{\text{sludge}}$$

$$1.02 = \frac{\rho_{Sludge}}{\rho_w}$$

$$\rho_{sludge} = 1.02 \times 1000 = 1020 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$\rho_{sludge} = \frac{mass\, of\, sludge}{Volume\, of\, sludge}$$

$$1020 = \frac{17015.625}{\text{Volume of sludge}}$$

Volume of sludge =
$$\frac{17015.625}{1020}$$

= 16.68 m³/day

03. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$\frac{V_2}{V_1} = \frac{100 - P_1}{100 - P_2}$$
$$= \frac{100 - 99}{100 - 96} = 25\%$$

% of reduction is volume = $100 \text{ V}_1 - 25 \text{V}_1$ = $75\% \text{ V}_1$

05. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$V_2 = \frac{100 - P_1}{100 - P_2} \times P = \frac{100 - 98}{100 - 96} \times P$$

= $\frac{1}{2}(P) = \frac{P}{2}$

07. Ans: 1.011, 1011 kg/m³

Sol: Given solids content = 2%

Let ρ_{solid} be the mass density of solids Solids again contain 70% volatile & 30% of non-volatile

$$\therefore \text{ we know} = \frac{100}{S_{\text{solids}}} = \frac{70}{S_{\text{volatile}}} + \frac{30}{S_{\text{non-volatile}}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{100}{S_{\text{solids}}} = \frac{70}{2.2} + \frac{30}{2.7}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_{\text{solids}} = 2.329 \approx 2.4$$

Now let mass density of sludge as ρ_s and specific gravity as S_s

$$\therefore \frac{100}{S_s} = \frac{2}{S_{solids}} + \frac{98}{S_{water}} \Rightarrow \frac{100}{S_s} = \frac{2}{2.4} + \frac{98}{1}$$
$$\Rightarrow S_s = 1.011; \ \rho_s = 1011 \text{ kg/m}^3$$



08. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$P_1 = 94\%$$

$$P_2 = 84\%$$

Water content =
$$100 - 16$$

$$= 84\%$$

$$V = \frac{100 - P_1}{100 - P_2} \times V_1$$
$$= \frac{100 - 94}{100 - 84} \times 14 = 5.25 \text{ m}^3$$

- 11. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 12. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 13. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 14. Ans: (b)

Sol:

$$V_2 = \left[\frac{100 - P_1}{100 - P_2}\right] \times V_1 = \left[\frac{100 - 95}{100 - 90}\right] \times 100 = 50 \text{ m}^3$$

08. Septic Tanks

01. Ans: $6.12 \text{ m} \times 3.16 \text{ m}$

Sol: Discharge =
$$150 \times 200 \times 10^{-3} = 30 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

Given detention time = 24 hours

$$\therefore$$
 Volume of septic tank (v) = t×Q

$$= \frac{(24)(30)}{24}$$
$$= 30 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\therefore$$
 Area of septic tank = $\frac{(30)}{(1.5)}$ = 20 m²

$$\therefore \text{ Given } \frac{L}{B} = 2:1$$

$$L \times B = 20$$

$$2B \times B = 20$$

$$B = 3.16 \text{ m}$$

and
$$L = 6.12 \text{ m}$$

02. Ans: 0.6 m

Since

Sol: Volume of sludge produced

$$= 30 \times 10^{-3} \times 200 \times 2$$
$$= 12 \text{ m}^3$$

:. depth of sludge zone

$$= \frac{\text{Volume of sludge}}{\text{Area of septic tan k}}$$

$$=\frac{12}{20}=0.6$$
m





03. (a) 9.6 m^3 (b). 12 m^3

Sol: Given sewage flow = 150 lpcd

Sewage discharge =
$$150 \times 10^{-3} \times 120 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

= $18 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$

Detention period =
$$\frac{V}{Q} = \frac{4 \times 2 \times 1.5}{18 \text{m}^3 / \text{day}} = 16 \text{ hrs}$$

(a) Volume of sludge =
$$(Q \times \text{detention time})$$

= $40 \times 10^{-3} \times 120 \times 2$
V = 9.6 m^3

(b) Volume of soakpit

$$= \frac{Q}{\text{Percolation capacity}}$$
$$= \frac{(150 \times 120)}{(1500)} = 12 \text{ m}^3$$

Sol:
$$V = 7 \text{ m}^3$$

No. of users
$$= 5$$

Volume of sludge zone =
$$\frac{V}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$$

Cleaning interval = cleaning period

Volume of sludge zone = RSP \times no. of user \times C.P

$$\frac{7}{2} = 70 \times 10^{-3} \times 5 \times \text{C.P}$$

C.P =
$$\frac{7/2}{70 \times 10^{-3} \times 5}$$

= 10 years

05. Ans: (c)

Sol: In septic tank settling & sludge digestion occurs in one compartments, and it occur in two separate compartments in Imhoff tanks. The rate of sludge accumulation is 40 lt/capita/yr

09. Oxidation Ponds

Sol: Q = population × per capita, supply×Factor =
$$10,000 \times 100 \times 0.8$$

$$= \frac{1000000 \times 0.8}{10^6} = 0.80 \text{MLD}$$

$$y = 40 \text{ g/day}$$

$$D.T = ?$$

80% of BOD removal BOD loading rate = 200 kg = BOD/hect/d

Surface area of pond =
$$\frac{Q \times y_i}{BOD loading rate}$$

$$= \frac{0.8 \times 500}{200} = 2 \text{ ha}$$

$$Total\ BOD = Q \times y_i$$

= population × per capita BOD
=
$$0.8 \times y_i = 10,000 \times 10040 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$y_i = 500 \text{ mg/li}$$

Surface area =
$$2 \text{ ha} = 2 \times 10^4 \text{ m}^2$$

$$L = 4B$$

$$L \times B = 2 \times 10^4$$

$$4B \times B = 2 \times 10^4$$

Since 1995



$$B = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 10^4}{4}} = 70.71 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 4 \times 70.71 = 282.84 \text{ m}$$

D.T =
$$\frac{\text{Volume of pond}}{Q} = \frac{L \times B \times H}{Q}$$

= $\frac{282.84 \times 70.71 \times 2}{\frac{0.8 \times 10^6}{10^3}} = 50 \text{ days}$

$$\eta = 80 : \frac{y_i - y_e}{y_i} \times 100$$

$$80 = \frac{500 - y_e}{500} \times 100$$

$$0.8 = \frac{500.y_e}{500} \Rightarrow 400 = 500 - y_e$$

$$y_e = 500 - 400 = 100 \text{ mg/}l$$

02. Ans: L = 244.9 m, B = 61.23 m, D = 1

Sol: P = 10,000 sewage flow = 150 *l*pcd

$$Q = \frac{10000 \times 150}{10^6} = 1.5 \,\text{MLD}$$

$$y_i = 300 \text{ mg/}l, y_e = 30 \text{ mg/}l,$$

OLR = 300 kg/ha/d

$$k_D = 0.23d^{-1}$$
, L:B = 4:1

:. D.T. =
$$\frac{1}{0.23} \times \ell_n \frac{300}{30} = 10 \text{ days}$$

$$\therefore \text{Surface area} = \frac{\text{Qy}_{\text{i}}}{\text{OLR}} = \frac{1.5 \times 300}{300} = 1.5 \text{ha}$$

$$L \times B = 1.5 \times 10^4 \,\mathrm{m}^2$$

$$4B \times B = 1.5 \times 10^4$$

$$B = 61.23 \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore$$
 L = 4 ×61.23 = 244.92 m

Vol of oxidation pond = $Q \times DT$

$$= \frac{1.5 \times 10^6}{10^3} \times 10 = 15000 \,\mathrm{m}^3$$

Depth of pond,
$$H = \frac{\text{Vol. of pond}}{\text{Surface area of pond}}$$
$$= \frac{15000}{15000} = 1 \text{m}$$

Sol:
$$Q = 10000 \times 200$$
, $y = 300 \text{ mg/l}$

Organic loading = 310 kg/day/m

$$Q = 2 MLD$$

Surface area of pond =
$$\frac{Qy_i}{BOD loading rate}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 300}{310} = 1.93 \simeq 2 \text{ ha}$$





10. Disposal of Sewage Effluents

01. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$y_R = 200 \text{ mg/}l$$
, $Q_R = 50 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$
 $y_w = 8 \text{ mg/}l$, $Q_w = 500 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$
 $y_{mix} = \frac{Q_R y_R + Q_w y_w}{Q_R + Q_w}$
 $= \frac{50 \times 200 + 500 \times 8}{50 + 500}$
 $y_{mix} = 25.45 \text{ mg/}l$

03. Ans: (c)

Sol: Waste water (DO)_w = 2 mg/l

$$Q_W = 1.10 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

 $(DO)_R = 8.3 \text{ mg/l}$
 $Q_R = 8.70 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$
 $(DO)_{\text{mix}} = \frac{(DO)_{\text{w}}.Q_{\text{w}} + (DO)_{\text{R}}.Q_{\text{R}}}{Q_{\text{w}} + Q_{\text{R}}}$
 $(DO)_{\text{mix}} = \frac{2 \times 1.10 + 8.3 \times 8.70}{1.10 + 8.70}$
 $(DO)_{\text{mix}} = 7.6 \text{ mg/l}$

04. Ans: 13.85 mg/l, 20.27 mg/l, 5.85 mg/l

Sol:
$$Q_{Rw} = 12000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$$
, temp = 20^0C ,
 $y_w = 50 \text{ mg/l}$
D.O = concentration = 2 mg/l
 $Q_R = 40,000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$, $y_R = 3 \text{ mg/l}$,
D.O = 7 mg/l , temp = 20^0C
 $K = 0.23$ (to the base in decay curve)
 $y_{mix} = \frac{Q_R y_R + Q_w y_w}{Q_R + Q_w}$

$$\begin{split} &= \frac{12000 \times 50 + 40,000 \times 3}{12,000 + 40,000} = 13.84 \text{mg/lit} \\ &(DO)_{mix} = \frac{Q_R (DO)_R + Q_w (DO)_w}{Q_R + Q_w} \\ &= \frac{12,000 \times 2 + 40,000 \times 7}{12,000 + 40,000} \\ &= 5.85 \text{ mg/l} \\ &y_{mix} = L_0 (1 - e^{-l \times t}) \\ &13.85 = L_0 (1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5}) = \frac{13.85}{\left(1 - e^{-0.23 \times 5}\right)} \\ &L_0 = 20.27 \text{ mg/l} \end{split}$$

05. Ans: (c)

Sol:

River	Waste water stream
$Q_R = 12 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$	$Q_w = 2 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$
$(L_0)_R = 5 \text{ mg/}l$	$(L_0)_{\rm w} = 90 \text{ mg/}l$

$$(L_0)_{mix} = \frac{Q_R (L_o)_R + Q_W (L_o)_W}{Q_R + Q_W}$$

$$= \frac{12 \times 5 + 2 \times 90}{12 + 2} = 17.142 \text{ mg/l}$$

$$Q_{mix} = Q_R + Q_W = 12 + 2 = 14 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Velocity = \frac{Q_{min}}{c/s \text{ area}} = \frac{14}{50} = 0.28 \text{ m/sec}$$

Time taken by the river to travel 10 km

$$= \frac{10 \times 1000}{0.28} \times \frac{1}{24 \times 50 \times 60}$$

$$T = 0.413 \ days$$
 Ultimate BOD at 10 km d/s = L_t = L_o e^{-kt}
$$k = 0.25 \ 1/day$$

$$L_{0.413} = 17.142 \ e^{-0.25 \times 0.413} = 15.459$$

$$\simeq 15.46 \ mg/l$$



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07. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

11. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$Q_w = 8640 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$$

 $Q_R = 1.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$
 $Q_W = 0.1 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$
 $T_w = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$
 $T_R = 15^{\circ}\text{C}$
 $T_{\text{mix}} = \frac{Q_R T_R + Q_w T_w}{Q_R + Q_w}$
 $= \frac{1.2 \times 15 + 0.1 \times 25}{1.2 + 0.1} = \frac{20.5}{1.3}$
 $= 15.77^{\circ}\text{C}$

14. Ans: (d)

Sol: Sewage may be disposed in to any water course without treatment if dilution factor is ≥ 500 .

15. Ans: (c)

Sol: DO sag curve is a function of both depletion of oxygen and addition of oxygen.

Combined rates of deoxygenation & recreation gives rise to oxygen sag curve.

11. Solid Waste Management

01. Ans: 14740 kJ/kg, 18658.2 kJ/kg, 19918.9 kJ/kg

Sol:

(i) Total energy content as discarded

$$= \sum \frac{P_i E_i}{100}$$

$$= \frac{15 \times 4650 + 45 \times 16750 + 10 \times 16300 + 10 \times 32600 + 10 \times 6500 + 5 \times 18600 + 5 \times 700}{100}$$

= 14740 kJ/kg

(ii) Energy on dry basis = Energy as discarded

$$\times \frac{100}{100 - \% \text{m.c}}$$
= 14740 \times \frac{100}{100 - 21}
= 18658.22 \text{ kJ/kg}

02. Ans: (b)

Since

Sol:
$$\frac{100}{\rho \text{Msw}} = \frac{\% \text{F.w}}{\rho \text{Fw}} + \frac{\% \text{DA}}{\rho \text{DA}} + \frac{\% \text{pla}}{\rho \text{p}} + \frac{\% \text{WS}}{\rho \text{WS}}$$
$$= \frac{50}{300} + \frac{30}{500} + \frac{10}{65} + \frac{10}{125}$$
$$= \frac{100}{\rho \text{Msw}} = 0.46 \Rightarrow \frac{100}{0.46}$$
$$\rho \text{Msw} = 217.1 \text{ kg/m}^3$$



04. Ans: (d)

Sol: 50 g of Co_2 , 25 g = CH_4 , 1 million people, rate of 500 ton/day

120 parts of MSW release 50 parts of Co₂ and 25 parts CH₄ 1 part of MSW release

$$= \frac{75}{120} = 0.625 \text{ parts of green house}$$

 $500 \text{ t of Msw release} = 0.625 \times 500$

Total green house = 321.5 of green house Per capita green house gas contribution

$$= \frac{\text{house gas}}{\text{population of community}}$$
$$= \frac{312.5}{10,00,000} \times 1000 \times 1000$$
$$= 312.5 \text{ mg/l}$$

07. Ans: (d)

Sol: Indore method is aerobic method & Bangalore method is anaerobic method of composting.

08. Ans: (c)

Sol: Plastic & rubber waste is disposed by pyrolysis. (burning in the absence of air) to recover by products.

09. Ans: (d)

Sol:
$$40t + 35t = 75t$$

10. Ans: (b)

Sol: Except human excreta all forms of solid waste is treated as refuse.

12. Ans: 1.46 ha

Sol: Population = 65000

Rate of solid waste = 2 kg/capita/day

Solid waste generated = 65000×2

$$= 130000 \text{ kg/day}$$

Solid waste generator per annum

$$= 130000 \times 365 = 47450000$$

Volume =
$$\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{density}}$$

$$V = \frac{47450000}{650} = 73000 \text{ m}^3$$

$$Area = \frac{Volume}{depth} = \frac{73000}{5}$$

$$A = 14600 \text{ m}^2 = 1.46 \text{ ha}$$

13. Ans: (a)

Sol:
$$\frac{100}{\rho_{\text{sludge}}} = \frac{c_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{c_2}{\rho_2}$$
$$\Rightarrow \rho_{\text{sludge}} = \frac{100}{\frac{c_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{c_2}{\rho_2}}$$

14. Ans: 13.6875

Sol: Solid waste generated =
$$2 \times 10^5 \times 25 \times 365 \times 2$$

= 3.65×10^9 kg

Volume of un-compacted

$$S_{w} = \frac{3.65 \times 10^{9}}{100} = 36.5 \times 10^{6} \text{ m}^{3}$$

Volume of compacted solid waste

$$=\frac{36.5\times10^6}{4}=9.125\times10^6~\text{m}^3$$



$$\frac{\text{Compacted fill}}{\text{Compacted solid waste}} = 1.5$$

Volume of land fill (compacted fill)

$$=9.125 \times 10^6 \times 1.5$$

$$= 13.6875 \times 10^6 \text{ million m}^3$$

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16. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book

17. Ans: (d)

Sol: For routine characterization of solid waste moisture content, density & particle size etc are found to known its physical composition.

12. Air Pollution and Control

06. Ans: (d)

Sol: CHCl₃ =
$$12 + 1 + 3 \times 35.5$$

= 119.5 gm molecular.

Concentration = $0.4 \mu g/m^3$

$$@273^0 k$$

$$T_1 = 273^0 \text{ k}$$

$$T_2 = 293^0 k$$

$$P_1 = 1$$

$$P_e = 1$$

$$V_1 = 22.4 \text{ lit/ mol} \quad V_2 = ?$$

$$\frac{P_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2 V_2}{T_2}$$

$$\frac{22.4}{273} = \frac{V_2}{293} \Rightarrow V_2 = 24.04 \text{ lit / mol}$$

$$\mu g / m^3 = \frac{PPm \times gm.mole. \times 10^3}{lit / mol}$$

$$0.4 = \frac{PPm \times 119.5 \times 10^3}{24.04}$$

$$PPM = 8.047 \times 10^{-5} \times 10^3 \text{ [} \because 1billion = 10^9 \text{]}$$

$$= 0.08$$

$$Parts \text{ per billion } = 8.047 \times 10^{-5} \times 10^3 = 0.08$$

09. Ans: (a)

Sol: Dry air cools at 9.8° per km $\approx 10^{\circ}$ km

For
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 km $\rightarrow 5^{\circ}$ fall

Final temperature at 500 m elevation $= 40^{\circ} - 5^{\circ} = 35^{\circ} c$

10. Ans: (c)

1995

Since

Sol: Initial dry $\cot = 9.787$ g, rate

$$= 1.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{min for } 24 \text{ m}^3$$

Final =
$$10.283 \text{ g}$$

$$= \frac{\left(w_{Initial} - w_{final}\right)}{Volume of air sample}$$
 filter paper

Volume of are sample = rate of rate simplify

$$= 145 \times 24 \times 60 = 2088 \text{ m}^3$$

Total suspended particulate

$$= \frac{(10.283 - 9.787)}{2088}$$

$$= 2.375 \times 10^{-4} \text{ gm/m}^3$$

$$= 2.375 \times 10^{-4} \times 10^6$$

$$= 237.5 \text{ ug/m}^3$$



16. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$20000 \text{ km}$$
, No. = $50,000$, rate

$$= 2 \times 50,000 \times 20000 \times \frac{1}{10^6}$$
$$= 2000 \text{ t}$$

17. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$A \rightarrow$$
 Inversion

$$C \rightarrow Dry adiabatic$$

19. Ans: (b)

Sol: (A) Acid rain
$$\rightarrow$$
 SO₂

(B) Acute toxicity
$$\rightarrow$$
 CC

(C) Ozone liberation
$$\rightarrow NO_X$$

(D) Green house effect
$$\rightarrow$$
 CO₂

21. Ans: (a)

$$= \frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{21.25 - 15.70}{444 - 4} = 1.42 / 100$$

Lapse rate
$$>$$
 ALR (-1° C / 100 m)

$$(-1.42/100 \text{ m})$$

22. Ans: (c)

Sol:
$$\frac{P}{RT} = 41.6 \,\text{mol}/\text{m}^3$$

$$\frac{RT}{P} \times 10^3 = constant = 24.038$$

$$1\mu g \, / \, m^3 = \frac{24.038}{M \times 10^3} ppm$$

30
$$\mu$$
g/m³ of SO₂ = $\frac{24.038}{64 \times 10^3} \times 30$
= 0.011268 ppm

24. Ans: (b)

Sol:
$$v = \frac{2}{60}$$
 m/sec

Total surface area of bags required =
$$\frac{Q}{V}$$

$$\frac{10}{2/60} = 300 \text{ m}^2$$

Surface area of each bag =
$$\pi dH$$

$$= \pi \times 0.45 \times 7.5$$

Number of bags required =
$$\frac{300}{\pi \times 0.45 \times 7.5}$$

$$= 28.29 \simeq 29$$

25. Ans: 8012.38

Sol:
$$\eta$$
 of ESP is given by

$$\eta = 1 - e^{\frac{-AW}{Q}}$$

when
$$\eta = 96\%$$
 A

$$A = 5600 \text{ m}^2$$



$$\eta = 97\%$$
 $A = 6100 \text{ m}^2$ $\eta = 99\%$ $A = ?$ $0.96 = 1 - e^{\frac{-5600 \times w}{185}} \Rightarrow W = 0.1063 \text{ m/sec}$ $0.99 = 1 - e^{\frac{-A \times 0.1063}{185}} \Rightarrow A = 8012.38 \text{ m}^2$ plate area of collector $A = 8012.38 \text{ m}^2$

26. Ans: 592.88

Sol: % sulphur in coal = 2 Rate of coal consumption = 30 kg/min

% sulphur in ash = 6

$$SO_2$$
 emission = $\left(\frac{t}{vear}\right)$ = ?

Total sulphur produced = Rate of Coal consumption ×% sulphur in Coal

$$30 \times \frac{2}{100}$$
 kg/min× $\frac{365 \times 24 \times 60}{1000}$ × t/year

(Convert in to tonn/year)

SO₂ emission of gas

$$=30 \times \frac{2}{100} \times \frac{365 \times 24 \times 60}{1000} \left(\frac{100-6}{100}\right)$$
 Since

$$= 296.45 / year$$

$$S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$$

$$S = 32$$

$$SO_2 = 64$$

32 Parts of sulphur = 64 parts of SO_2

1 Part of
$$SO_2 = \frac{64}{32}$$
 parts of SO_2

296.4 t/year of sulphur produce

$$= \frac{64}{32} \times 296.4 \text{ t/year of SO}_2$$

$$SO_2$$
 emission = $\frac{64}{32} \times 296.4$
= 529.8

- 27. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 28. Refer Previous GATE solutions Book
- 29. Ans: (b)

Sol: Air required to maintain 50 ppm of CO

$$= \frac{0.03 \,\mathrm{m}^3}{\mathrm{min}} \times \left(\frac{10^6}{50}\right) = 600 \,\mathrm{m}^3 / \mathrm{min}$$

- 30. Ans: (c)
- **Sol:** Electrostatic precipitators(ESP) widely used in thermal power stations