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Subject code: 711806N**Subject Name: Water and Wastewater Treatment Technologies****Date: 03 /02 /2011****Time: 02.30 pm – 05.00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) With the help of a neat sketch explain the treatment units of conventional water treatment plant along with important design parameters. **07**
- (b) Give the difference between : **07**
- (i) Discrete settling and flocculant settling.
 - (ii) Dilute suspension and concentrated suspension

- Q.2** (a) (i) Enlist and explain the mechanisms of filtration in a Rapid Sand Filter. **07**
- (ii) Give the classification of Trickling Filter and explain any one in detail
- (b) Distinguish between giving at least five points of difference: **07**
- (i) Coagulation and flocculation
 - (ii) Rapid Sand filter and Slow sand filter

OR

- (b) Explain the chemical reactions involved when the following chemicals are used for coagulation: **07**
- (i) Alum
 - (ii) Ferrous sulphate and lime
- Q.3** (a) Explain in brief the importance of following parameters, along with their sources, in water and wastewater : **08**
- (i) BOD.
 - (ii) Phenolic compounds
 - (iii) Fluorides
 - (iv) Chlorides
- (b) Differentiate between: **06**
- (i) Aerobic processes and anaerobic processes.
 - (ii) Suspended growth and attached growth processes

OR

- Q.3** (a) Explain the procedure to determine the bio kinetic constants for Activated Sludge Process in a laboratory. Prepare a table showing the monitoring schedule. **07**
- (b) If the F/M ratio of a $0.4380 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ activated sludge plant is 0.2 d^{-1} , the influent BOD_5 after primary settling is 125 mg/L and the MLVSS is 2500 mg/L , what is the volume of the aeration tank? **07**

- Q.4** (a) Write the applications of sedimentation. **07**
- (b) For a circular clarifier of 40 m diameter , determine the Weir Loading and surface loading rate for a wastewater flow of 10MLD **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain different types of sedimentation tanks with sketch. **07**

(b) Assuming the diameter of a clarifier to be 20m and the wastewater flow rate 10 MLD, calculate the detention time and surface loading rate of the clarifier having a wastewater depth of 2.4m. **07**

Q.5 (a) Write a short note on Aerated Grit Chamber **07**
(b) Which are the major factors which affect 'K' value in BOD test .Explain each factor in detail. **07**

OR

Q.5 (a) Write the applications of screens at Water Treatment Plant. **07**
(b) A sample of wastewater was incubated for 7 days and the BOD was 490 mg/L. Calculate the BOD_5 , BOD_{10} and ultimate BOD if $K=0.1 \text{ d}^{-1}$ **07**
