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**Subject Code: X30601**

**Date: 29/05/2015**

**Subject Name: Hydrology and Water Resources Engineering**

**Time: 02.30pm-05.00pm**

**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) What is hydrology? Explain the hydrology cycle with neat sketch. **07**  
(b) Define the following terms: **07**  
(i) Precipitation (ii) Evaporation (iii) Infiltration (iv) Hydrograph  
(v) Base flow (vi) Infiltration rate (vii) Hyetograph

- Q.2** (a) Explain “Theissen Polygon method for determining the average rainfall of a given catchment”. **07**  
(b) Determine the optimum number of rain gauges in a catchment area from the following data: **07**
  - Number of existing rain gauges = 8
  - Mean annual rainfall at the gauges = 1000, 950, 900, 850, 800, 700, 650, 600 respectively
  - Permissible error = 6%

**OR**

- (b) Explain the following: (i) Convective precipitation (ii) frontal precipitation **07**
- Q.3** (a) Discuss the factors affecting infiltration capacity. **07**  
(b) What is evapotranspiration? Explain the factors affecting it. **07**

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) What is flood? What are the causes of floods? Discuss the various methods of flood control. **07**  
(b) For a storm of 2-hr durations, the rainfall rate are as follows: **07**

Time period (minutes)	20	20	20	20	20	20
Rainfall rate (cm/hr)	2.5	2.5	10.0	7.0	5.1	1.5

If  $\phi$  – index is 3 cm/hr, estimate the surface runoff. Also determinate W-index.

- Q.4** (a) Describe various causes of drought. **07**  
(b) What are the various components of hydro-electric power project? Discuss them. **07**

**OR**

- Q.4** (a) Discuss the types of aquifers with neat sketches. **07**

- (b) The ordinates of 4 hr unit hydrograph are given in the table. Compute the ordinate of 8 hr unit hydrograph. **07**

Time (hour)	0	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44
Unit hydrograph (cumec)	0	20	50	150	120	90	70	50	30	20	10	0

- Q.5** (a) For a drainage basin of 600 km<sup>2</sup>, isohyets drawn for a storm gave the following data: **07**

Isohyets (cm)	40	35	30	25	20	15	10
Catchment area enclosed (km <sup>2</sup> )	-	35	90	350	370	430	900

- (b) Discuss the causes of sedimentation in reservoir. How will you control them? **07**

**OR**

- Q.5** (a) Describe various measures for water conservation. **07**  
 (b) Explain with neat sketch the Symon's rain gauge. **07**

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