



ANDHRA UNIVERSITY TRANS-DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH HUB

WATER RESOURCES ENGINEERING

Runoff-Runoff Process – Unit Hydrograph – Derivation and Analysis – S-Hydrograph – Synthetic Unit Hydrograph-Instantaneous Unit Hydrograph – Methods of Determining IUH – Conceptual Models of IUH – Formulation of Models – Concept of Linear Reservoir- Models of Nash and Dooge and Kulandaiswamy- Nonlinearity of Runoff-Distribution – Overland Flow Steam Flow – Flow Duration and Mass Curves and Time Series Analysis.

Floods: Importance of Flood Studies – Definition- Causes of Floods- Seasonal Distribution of Floods- Design Flood- Factors Affecting Flood Flow; Magnitude and Frequency of Floods – Empirical- Probability and Unit Hydrograph Methods; Flood Control Measures: Flood Control Reservoirs – Types- Location- Size – Levees and Flood Walls – Stage Reduction and Reduction in Peak Discharge Flood Routing Through Reservoirs.

Water Resources Engineering Introduction to Water Resources- Hydrological Cycle – Characteristics – Surface and Ground Water Resources – Quality Conservation and Flood Control; Water Resources Planning – Purpose of Water Resources Development- Classification of Water Resources Development Projects- Functional Requirements of Multipurpose Projects- Process of Project FormulationProject Evaluation- Strategies for the Future- Planning Strategies- Management Strategies.

Climate Change on Water Resources - Climate and Weather- the Vital Importance of Monsoon Rains- Clouds- Storms and Precipitation- Influences and Feedbacks of Hydrological Changes on Climate- Observed Climate Change Impacts- Future Changes in Water Availability and Demand Due to Climate Change- Climate Related Drivers of Freshwater Systems in the Future- Impacts of Climate Change on Water Stress in the Future- Freshwater Areas and Sectors Highly Vulnerable to Climate Change- Potential Water Resource Conflicts Between Adaptation and Mitigation.

Site Investigations and Design Aspects of Water Resources - Surface Water Resources – Minor Tanks- Reservoirs- Diversion Head Works; Ground Water Resources – Tube Wells- Open Wells. Rainwater Harvesting- Rainwater Harvesting- Artificial Recharge of Ground Water.

Application of Remote Sensing (RS) and Geographical Information System (GIS) in Water Resource - A Brief History of RS- Sensor Systems Used in RS- RS Satellites- Landsat- and IRS. Remote Sensing Applications in Civil Engineering Projects GIS Over View- GIS Components Raster Data Models and Vector Data Model- Application of RS and GIS in Water Resources Engineering.

Reference Books :

1. *Hydrology* by Wisler- C.O. and E.F. Brater- John Wiley and Sons..
2. *Geo-Hydrology* by De Wiest- R.J.M.- John Wiley and Sons.
3. *Hydrology for Engineers* by Linsley- R.K.- M.A. Kohler and J.L.H. Paulus McGraw-Hill.
4. *Water Resources Engineering* by Linsely- R.K.- J.B. Franzini- D.L. Freyberg and G. Tchobanoglous- McGraw- Hill Publishing Co.; 4th edition.
5. *Irrigation Engineering and Hydraulic Structures* by Garg S.K. Khanna Publishers.
6. *Principles of Geographical Information Systems for land resource assessment* by Burrough- P.A.- Clarendon press- Oxford.
7. *Remote Sensing in Civil Engineering* by Kennie- J.M. and M.C. Matthews McGraw-Hill.
8. *Remote Sensing: Principles and Interpretation* by Sabins F.F.-Waveland Pr Inc- 3 rd Edition.
9. *Impacts of climate change and climate variability on hydrological regimes* by Jan C. van Dam- Cambridge University Press.
10. *IPCC fourth assessment report- The AR4 synthesis report*
11. *IPCC fourth assessment report- Working Group I report- The physical Science Basis.*
12. *IPCC fourth assessment report- Working Group II report- Impacts- Adaptation and vulnerability.*
13. *IPCC fourth assessment report- Working Group III report- Mitigation of Climate Change.*



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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

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- What do you understand by runoff? Explain SCS-N method for prediction direction runoff?
 - A storm produced rainfall intensities of 0.85, 2.25 and 1.25 cm/hr on the drainage basin of area 104 sq.km in 3 successive time periods of 4 hr each. Assuming a base flow of 10 cumecs and a ϕ index of 2.5 mm/hr. Determine the total runoff hydrograph produced by this storm. The 4hr UH is given below.

Hours	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18
4hr UH (Cumecs)	0	13.5	18.32	23.54	17.84	14.79	12.18	10.04	8.26	6.51

Hours	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34
4hr UH (Cumecs)	4.98	3.95	3.00	2.26	1.50	1.07	0.50	0

- Explain the Nash's Conceptual model for IUH and derive the equation for IUH.
 - Calculate the synthetic UH parameters for the following data.
Catchment area = 950 sq.km
 $L = 48$ km, $L_c = 21$ km, $C_t = 1.65$, $C_p = 0.57$.
- Explain the concept of flood routing through reservoirs.
 - Write short notes on methods of flood control.
- What are the methods of estimations design flood?
 - Determine the design flood discharge for a bridge site with the following data:
Catchment area: 2×10^5 ha
Duration of storm: 8 hrs
Storm Precipitation: 3cm
Time of Concentration: 2 hr.
Gauges discharge for a part flood with average maximum daily rainfall of 18 cm was 3400 cumecs.
- Give an account of water resources of India.
 - Give the classification of water resources development projects. Explain about the functional requirement of multi-purpose projects.
- What are the future changes in water availability and demand due to climate change.
 - Write short notes on influences and feedbacks of Hydrological changes on climate.
- Explain site investigations and design aspects of minor tanks.
 - Explain various methods of Rainwater Harvesting.
- What do you understand by geospatial analysis? Why it is required? Explain the slope and aspect analysis in GIS.
 - Explain the application of RS in Hydrological sciences.