

**Note:** (a) All questions are compulsory.

(b) The candidate is allowed to make Suitable numeric assumptions wherever required.  
for solving problems

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Q1.	Classify bridges based on structural form and explain any three types with suitable examples.		2												
Q2.	A highway bridge is to be constructed over a wide river with a navigational requirement. The site is in an earthquake-prone zone with strong winds and variable water levels. Suggest the most suitable type of bridge for this location and justify your answer.		2												
Q3.	<p>Rain falls on a 250 ha composite catchment which drains two subareas as follows:</p> <p>(1) Subarea X, steep, draining 30% with concentration time 10 min and <math>C = 0.75</math> and (2) Subarea Y, mild, draining 70% with concentration time 60 min and <math>C = 0.35</math>.</p> <p>Calculate the peak runoff corresponding to 25-year frequency. Use the following IDF function: <math>I = \frac{1000T^{0.2}}{(t_r+20)^{0.7}}</math></p> <p>where <math>I</math> = rainfall intensity in mm/h, <math>T</math> = return period in years, and <math>t_r</math> = rainfall duration in minutes. Assume linear concentration at the catchment outlet</p>		3												
Q4.	<p>The approximate costs of one superstructure and one pier for a multispan bridge are given below. Estimate the economic span</p> <table><thead><tr><th>Span (m)</th><th>Superstructure Cost (Rs)</th><th>Sub-structure Cost (Rs)</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>15</td><td>50,000</td><td>60,000</td></tr><tr><td>20</td><td>90,000</td><td>65,000</td></tr><tr><td>25</td><td>160,000</td><td>70,000</td></tr></tbody></table>	Span (m)	Superstructure Cost (Rs)	Sub-structure Cost (Rs)	15	50,000	60,000	20	90,000	65,000	25	160,000	70,000		2
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Q5.	Design the waterway for a bridge over a trapezoidal channel having the side slope of 1:1 with a discharge of 30 cumecs, bed fall of 1:1200 and a bed width to depth ratio of 5:1. The bed material can withstand a safe velocity of 2.5 m/s. The afflux is limited to 10 cm. Take Manning coefficient $n = 0.025$ .		3												
Q6.	A stream with hard banks has a width of 80 m. Its bed is alluvial ( $f = 1.1$ ) and discharge through the section is $500 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ . Calculate the maximum scour depth under the bridge having a single span of 50 m.		3												

## Helpful Formulas:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rational formula for Peak Discharge:</li> </ul>	$Q = 0.273CIA$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kirpich formula for <math>t_c</math></li> </ul>	$t_c = \frac{0.06628L^{0.77}}{S^{0.385}}$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hathaway formula for <math>t_c</math></li> </ul>	$t_c = \frac{0.606(Ln)^{0.467}}{S^{0.234}}$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Molesworth formula for Afflux</li> </ul>	$x = \left( \frac{v^2}{17.9} + 0.015 \right) \left( \frac{A^2}{a^2} - 1 \right)$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Marriman's formula for Afflux</li> </ul>	$x = \frac{v^2}{2g} \left[ \left( \frac{A}{Ca} \right)^2 - \frac{A}{A_1} \right]$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drown Weir formula for Afflux</li> </ul>	$x = \frac{v^2 d^2}{2g(d+x)^2} \left[ \frac{L^2}{C^2 L_1^2} - 1 \right]$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal scour depth for alluvial streams</li> </ul>	$d = 0.473 \left( \frac{Q}{f} \right)^{1/3}$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal scour depth for Quasi-alluvial streams, when the width of the stream is very large compared to the depth.</li> </ul>	$d = \frac{1.21Q^{0.63}}{f^{0.33} w^{0.60}}$
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal scour depth for streams, when the With constriction</li> </ul>	$d' = d \left( \frac{w}{L} \right)^{0.61}$