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Q.NO	SOLUTION			
Q.No.1A	Attempt Any Three of the following:			
a)	State any four factors affecting rate of demand. Explain any one in detail.	04 M		
	Factors affecting rate of demand	¹/2 <b>M</b> for		
	1) Size of city	Each		
	2) Climate conditions 2) Matering system	Write		
	<ul><li>3) Metering system</li><li>4) Supply and pressure</li></ul>	Any Four		
	5) Habits of people			
	6) Quality of water			
	7) Cost of water			
	8) Industries and commerce			
	9) System of supply			
	10) System of sanitation			
	1) <u>Size of city:</u> In small cities, it was found that the per capita per day water			
	consumption was small due to the fact that there are only limited uses of water in	2M for		
	those cities. Small cities have larger area that is inadequately served by both water	explanation		
	and sewer systems than larger cities.  OR	Any One		
	2) Climate conditions: At the place where summers are very hot and dry, the			
	consumption of water is more. In summer domestic and public use increases as			
	compared to winter.			
	OR 3) Metering system: The quantity of water supplied to a building is recorded by			
	water meter and the consumer is then charged accordingly.			
	OR			
	4) Supply and distribution pressure: frequent change in pressure it will leads to			
	Waste.			
	OR 5) <u>Habits of people:</u> it is depends upon the living standards of people and it are			
	varies from urban to rural areas.			
	OR			
	6) Quality of water: if the quality of water gets lowered then people will not use			
	that water and look for another source of water.			
	7) <u>Cost of water:</u> cost at which water is supplied consumer may also affect the rate			
	of demand, higher the cost lower will be the demand.			
	OR			
	8) Industries and commerce: This is the amount of water used by the shops,			
	markets, industries, factories etc. It contributes $15 - 24\%$ of total use of water. It			
	includes factories, offices and commercial places demand. It is based on either			
	having a separate or combined water supply system. Demand of water based on unit production: No. of persons working and floor area.			
	OR			
	9)System of sanitation			
	If the underground drainage is provided in the town, more quantity of water is used			
	in flushing water closets and urinals.			
	OR			

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	10)System of supply-:	
	<ul> <li>Supply may me continues or intermittent.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Intermittent system reduces consumption of water.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>But sometimes open taps and stored water causes wastage of water.</li> </ul>	
<b>b</b> )	Enlist four bacteriological tests need to be conducted on water.	04 M
	1)E-coli index, in this three tests are there	1M for
	i)presumptive test	Each
	ii)confirmatory test	
	iii)completed test	
	2) MPN-Most probable number test.	
	3) Total Count or Agar Plate Count Test.	
<b>c</b> )	Define aeration. Enlist different methods of aeration.	04 M
	<b>Aeration:</b> the process of exposing large surface of water to atmosphere or air is	01 M
	called as aeration.	01111
	Different methods of aeration	
	By using fountains, spray nozzles	01 M
	Gravity or free fall aeration	Each
	a)cascade aeration	Bacii
	b)inclined aeration	
	> Trickling method	
	> By air diffusion	
<b>d</b> )	Define sedimentation. State different types of sedimentation tanks.	04 M
u)	Sedimentation: The process by which suspended particles settle down under the influence of	01 M
	gravity known as sedimentation.	for
	A)Depending upon the nature of working	definitio
	i)fill and draw type	ucillitio
	ii)continuous flow type, it may be vertical and horizontal type	
	B) Depending on the shape	01 M
	i) Square	for Eac
	ii) Rectangular	
	iii) Circular	types
	C) Depending on direction of flow	
	i) Vertical type	
	ii)Horizontal type	1

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<b>B</b> )	Attempt any ONE of the following:			
a)	Enlist six factors to be considered while selecting site for intake.	06 M		
	<ul> <li>Site should be near to the treatment plant, it must reduce the transportation cost</li> <li>It never is located near the navigation channel to reduce pollution problem and sewage disposal.</li> <li>Site should provide greater withdrawal of water if required in future</li> <li>intake must be located at a place from where it can be drawn even during the driest period of the year</li> <li>the intake should be easily accessible during floods</li> <li>In meandering rivers the intake should not located at curves.</li> <li>There should be no heavy currents of water which might endanger the safety of intake works.</li> <li>The site should provide best quality of water in order to minimize the cost of</li> </ul>			
	purification.			
<b>b</b> )	Explain with neat sketch Jar Test.			
	Jar test	02 M for sketch		
	Equipment used :			
	<ul> <li>6 jar vessels (beakers)</li> <li>Water sample whose temperature and pH is known.</li> <li>Scale for weighing chemicals</li> <li>Alum</li> <li>Procedure</li> <li>Fill the 6 jars with 1000ml water.</li> <li>Add the coagulant(alum) in the dosage of increasing order and stir the stirrer with 100 rpm for one minute</li> <li>Reduce the speed to 30 to 40 rpm</li> <li>Then allow the pedals to rotate slowly for 20 minutes</li> <li>Turn off the mixer and allow to settle for 30 minutes</li> <li>Observe and measure the turbidity of each jar sample</li> <li>Good floc formation will be the final amount of coagulant</li> <li>It is the optimum dosage</li> </ul>	02 M for procedure		

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Q.No.2	Attempt any FOUR of the following:	16 M
a)	Draw flow diagram for, water treatment plant, state one function	04M
	Units of any four Units.	
	Water source	2M for
		flow
	$\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Intake structure} \\ \downarrow \end{array}$	diagram
	Bar screen	and
	Dai screen	
	Low lift pump well	
	made a large to the part of th	
	Pre chlorination	
	Coagulation and Flocculation	
	the state of	
	Sedimentation basin	
	<b>↓</b>	
	Filtration	
	Post shl	
	Post chlorination	
	Sump well	
	+	
	High lift pump	
	Elevated water storage tank	
	Distribution system	
	1) Intake structure: raw water from surface source is drawn into pant through intake	
	structures	
	2) Bar screens: to remove the floating material and debris in the raw water.	
	3) Low lift pump well: lift the water to flow through treatment process by gravity	$\frac{1}{2}$ M
	4) <b>Primary disinfection</b> : to disinfect the water by chlorination, if necessary	For
	5) Coagulation: to add the coagulant in water, which add rapid electrochemical charges	Each
	that attract small particle in water to clamp together as a floc.	Function
	<b>6) Sedimentation</b> : flocculated water applied to large volume tanks where the flow speed	Write
	slows down and the dense floc settles in sedimentation tank	Any Fou
	7)Filtration: remaining impurities are removed by filters	, ,
	8)Sump well: filtered water is then stored in sump well	
	9)High lift pump well: treated water pumped through pressure to other station within	
	the local district system	
	10) ESR: it ensures the required pressure in distribution.	
	11)Distribution system: these are the mains which deliver water to residential unit	
<b>b</b> )	State the theory of filtration.	04 M
	1) Mechanical Straining • Simplest action during filtration. • Suspended particles	1 M
	having size more than that of filter voids are arrested and removed, when water	
	passes through filter media. • Takes place in few centimeters of depth of filter	
	media.	
	2) <u>Sedimentation</u> •Finer particles are arrested by sedimentation. •Continuous voids	1 M
	of filter media acts as 'tube settler' i.e. shallow depth sedimentation tank. •All	1 1/1
	<u> </u>	
	colloids are removed by this action.  2) <b>Biological Action</b> as for few days of synching of filter synner grains of sand layer.	1 1 7
	3) <u>Biological Action</u> •after few days of working of filter, upper grains of sand layer	1 M
	becomes coated with a reddish brown colored sticky deposit. •It consists of	
	organic matter and Fe, Mg, Al and silica.	

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	Further after 2-3 weeks, a film consisting of algae and protozoa etc is	
	Developed. •This film is known as 'dirty skin' or 'Schmutzdecke'. •Organic	
	impurities in water are used as food by this film, thus removing the organic	
	Matter from water.	
	4) <u>Electrolytic Action</u> • Particulate matter is removed by electrostatic action.	1 M
	•Charge on filter medium neutralizes charge on floc particles, thereby permitting	
	the floc to be removed. •During back washing the electrostatically removed	
	material is removed and thus charge on filter material is replaced.	
<u>c)</u>	Define the term "residual chlorine". State its importance in disinfection.	04 M
	<b>Definition:</b>	02 M
	<b>Residual chlorine</b> : After a certain point of dosage any further addition of chlorine will	
	appear as free residual chlorine. Simply it is extra chlorine remains in water after killing	
	the bacteria.	
	<b>Importance:</b> When water completely purify after the treatment and then it is distributed	02 M
	through pipelines to different area of the town, then there is possibility of the pipes have	
	the germs or bacteria stick to it then free residual chlorine in water used for killing	
	bacteria in that pipe and quality of water is maintain for the consumer.	
d)	Enlist different types of valves used in water supply pipeline. Explain any one; with	04M
	respect to the location and function"	
	1. Air valve	02 M
	2. Sluice valve	
	3. Relief valve	
	4. Reflux valve	436
	5. Scour valve	1 M
	1)Air valve: some quantity of air is there in water it creates problem sometimes	for
	location: for exit of such accumulated air, Air valve is provided at the summit of the	<b>Location</b>
	water pipe and also provided close or above the hydraulic gradient	1 3/4
	<u>function:</u> it allow the air to escape and flowing water without disturbance	1 M
	OR	For
	2) Sluice valve It is also called as gate valve	<b>Function</b>
	Dividing the water pipes into suitable sections.	
	It is very useful in intermediate system	
	Location: placed at a distance of about 150m to 200m from joints.	
	Function: to control the flow of water.	
	OR	
	3) Relief valve: these are automatic cut off valves,	
	Pressure exeeds limit, valves operate automatically.	
	Load is adjusted to maximum pressure	
	Location: every point along the water pipe where pressure likely to be maximum	
	Function: it saves the particular section from bursting	
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	OR  4) Reflux valve: It is also known as check valve It allows the water to go in one direction only. When water ceases it starts flowing back, and damage may crates. Location: at the point where the water comes directly from the pump Function: when pump fails, water will not flow back so it prevents from damaging.	

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	5) Scour valve: They are ordinary sluice valve and are operated with hand and close	
	down immediately after clear water is seen passing through them.	
	Location: Located at dead ends and depression or lowest points in mains.	
	<u>Function:</u> To remove sand and silt deposited in pipe line.	
e)	State different types of traps. Enlist four qualities of good trap.	04 M
	1) According to shape	01 M
	➤ P- trap	
	➤ Q- trap	
	➤ S- trap	
	2) According to use	
	➤ Gully trap	01 M
	> Floor trap	
	➤ Intercepting trap	
	Qualities of good trap	
	➤ It should provide enough water seal <b>around 50mm</b> with large surface area.	¹∕2 M
	➤ Interior should be smooth so that water flow should not obstructed.	each
	Good trap should achieve the self cleansing velocity.	Any
	➤ An assess door should be provided for cleaning the trap.	Four
	➤ It should be made up of non-adsorbent material.	
f)	Enlist plumbing accessories required for plumbing of residential building.	04 M
	Plumbing accessories for residential building:	
	Pipes- galvanized iron or PVC pipe	01 M
	<u>Joints-:</u> Water taps, stopcock, Bends,tees,crosses, elbows, unions, caps, plug, sockets,	01 M
	nipples, flanges and back nuts	
	<u>Traps</u> – gully and floor traps are required	01M
	<u>Valves</u> -air or reflux or check valve or cutoff valves are required	01 M

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS			
Q.3	Attempt Any Four of the following:				
a)	Draw a neat labelled sketch of two pipe system of plumbing.				
	BVP NOT REQUIRED TO FITMENT CONNECTED TO HIGHEST BRANCH IF LENGTH OF BWP IS NOT EXCESSIVE  BYP  WASH BASIN  SINK  BATH  BWP  WC  BSP	04 M 04 M			
	SINK BATH WC BSP BSP BSP MVP				
	POSITION OF ACCESS TO BUILDING DRAIN TO BUILDING DRAIN DIRECTLY OR THROUGH GULLEY				

	, chlorides.			1M f
Sr.No.	Description	Desirable Limit	Permissible Limit	Eacl
1)	Total Solids	500mg/l	2000mg/l	Dac
2)	pH	6.5-8.5	6.5-8.5	
3)	Hardness	300mg/l	600mg/l	
4)	Chlorides	250mg/l	1000mg/l	
	Cinoriaes	230Hig/1	1000ing/1	
e) Enlist fou	ır principles regardi	ng design of building drain:	age.	04 N
2. The shear may be shear a sh	ne drains should be la arp bends and junction anholes. he entire system should int of disposal. he house drain should reverse flow from pute house drainage should ficient functioning of here should be interceall gases from public so he joints of sewers should be provided on so he sewage formed should be sewage formed should be provided on so	id straight between inspection on should be avoided except to the description of the properly ventilated from the beat higher level than public ablic sewer to house drain, and contain enough number of it.  pting trap between public sewewer could not enter in house ould be watertight and should use.  hould be standard and non able sewer to protect it from externall be conveyed as early as property and the protect of the pro	through chambers or  the starting point to the end c sewer otherwise there will of traps at suitable points for wer and house drain so that e drain. I be properly tested before esorbent and earth cushioning hal loads.	01 M each Wri any
	aximum discharge.	is should be such that they w.	in not overnow at the time of	
d) Draw nea	t labeled sketch of '			<b>04</b> I
		Unfiltered water		04 N
	Filtered bed varies from 0.7 - 3h	Anthracite coal grain Fine sand (0.4 - 0.6		

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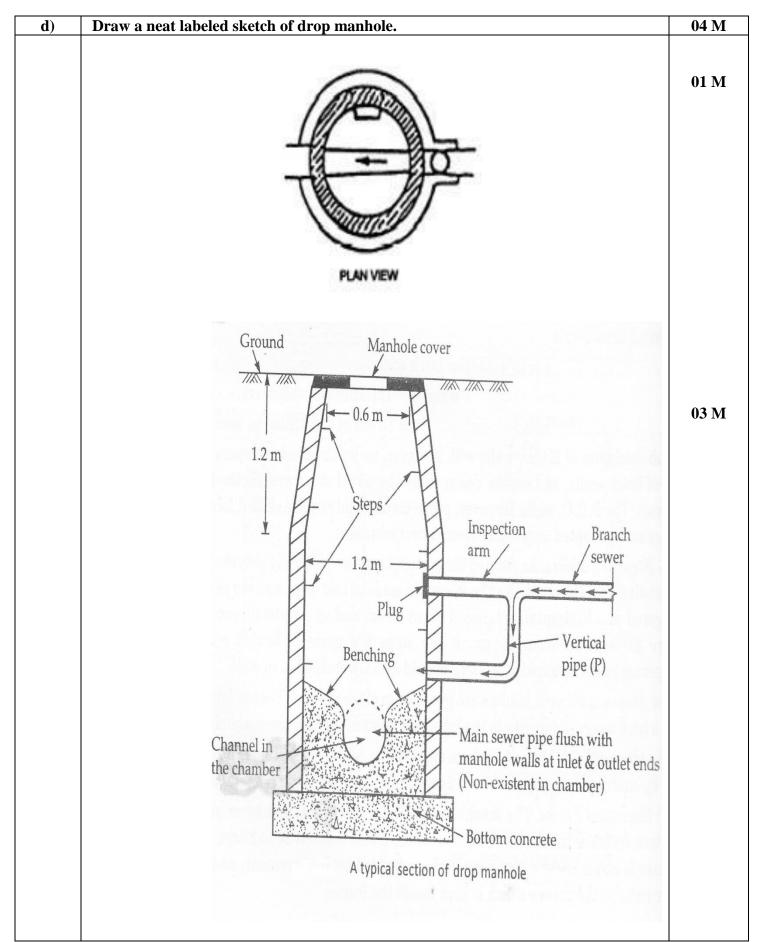
e)	Define- (i) Self-Cleaning velocity (ii) Non-Scouring velocity					
	1 1	-Cleaning velocity: - The minimum velocity which will prevent the	02 M			
		ng or deposition of particles of solid matter in sewers is known as self	each			
	cleaning velocity. The gradient of sewer should be such that this velocity is developed at least once in a day preferably twice in a day. Usually it is 800mm to 900mm per second for normal sewage.  (ii) Non-Scouring velocity: - The maximum permissible velocity at which no					
	scouring action by the solid particles of sewage on inside smooth surface of					
	sewers will occur is known as non-scouring velocity. It mainly depends on					
		erial of sewer.				
2.4 (A)		HREE of the following.	12M			
(a)	Explain 'inspec	ction chamber' with respect to necessity, location, size and shape.	04 M			
(a)		epection chamber is a sanitary unit provided to inspect or identify the	01 M			
	-	age in case the system is blocked due to some reason.	UI WI			
		I with thick concrete bed and brick or RCC walls. RCC slab is provided				
		ich a manhole or cleansing eye is provided.				
		s provided near the gully trap at a distance of about 2m to 3m and further	01 M			
		anhole through stoneware pipe.	01 141			
		varies according to the diameter of drain or sewer, size of manhole or	01 M			
		rovided and functions of the chamber.	OI W			
		tion chamber are generally square or rectangular in shape.	01 M			
<b>b</b> )			04 M			
b)	Draw layout plan for building sanitary fittings for a residential building.					
	pr		UT IVI			
		Side plot	<u> </u>			
,			<u> </u>			
,		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60	0-4-14.1			
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		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  800 mm x 800 mm with 100 mm dia. vent pipe	04101			
		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T. G.T.	04101			
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		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T.  Bath room  N.T.  W.C.  Kitchen cum dining room  Drawing room  N.T.  W.C.				
		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T. G.T.				
		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T.  Bath room  N.T.  W.C.  Kitchen cum dining room  Drawing room  N.T.  W.C.				
		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T.  Bath room  N.T.  W.C.  Kitchen cum dining room  Drawing room  Living room	04 M			
		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T.  Bath room  N.T.  W.C.  Kitchen cum dining room  Drawing room  Living room				
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		Side plot  150 mm dia. stoneware pipe 1 in 60  M.H.B.  Bed room  N.T.  Bath  room  N.T.  W.C.  Kitchen cum dining room  Drawing room  Verandah				

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c)	Enlist various methods of distribution systems of water. State any two advantages and disadvantages of any one method.	04 M
	1) Gravity distribution system	02 M
	2) Pumping distribution system	02 WI
	3) Combined gravity and pumping distribution system.	
	1. Gravity distribution system	
	Advantages:-	1/2 m for
	1) This method is simple, reliable and economical	Each
	2) Water flows under gravity, therefore pumping is not required.	Adv.
	3) Less leakages and wastages.	Write
	4) Less maintenance.	any Two
	5) This system requires small size of pipes.	J =
	Disadvantages: -	
	1) It is not suitable if the source of water is not at sufficient elevation to cause flow	½ m for
	under gravity.	Each
	2) This system cannot provide high pressure for fire demand.	Adv.
	2. Pumping distribution system:-	Write
	Advantages:-	any Tw
	1) Suitable for any type of topography.	
	2) Sufficient pressure is available in distribution system due to pumps.	
	3) Sufficient water is available with pressure for fire fighting.	
	Disadvantages:-	
	1) This system requires continuous power supply.	
	2) Sufficient water quantity is always required for pumping.	
	3) This system is not economical.	
	4) There are more losses and wastages.	
	5) This system requires more maintenance.	
	6) This system is not reliable in case of power failure as pumps will stop working.	
	3. Combined gravity and pumping distribution system:-	
	Advantages:-	
	1) This system is more reliable, economical and efficient.	
	2) Power failure does not affect the system.	
	3) Pumping is with constant speed.	
	4) Balance reserve is used in case of emergency or for fire demand.	
	Disadvantages: - This system has no disadvantages.	

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<b>B</b> )		•	E of the follow ng census data	ing. calculate probabl	e population i	in the year 1970,	06 M 06 M
a)						10/0	
	Year	4:	1930	1940	1950	1960	
	Popula Uso Coo		10,000 increase meth	14,000	19,000	25,000	
	Year	Popula		Increase in	Percent	tage increase in	
		Topula		population	populat	O	
	1930	10,000		-	-		
	1940	14,000		4,000	(4000x1	100)/10000=40%	
	1950	19,000		5,000	(5000x1	100)/14000=35.71%	
	1960	25,000		6,000	·	100)/19000=31.58%	
		Total		15,000	107.29		
		Averag	e per decade	15,000/3=5000	107.29/	3=35.76%	02 M
	2) 1 <b>Popula</b>	Population	ear 1970 = 339 in in year 1980 = = 25000 (ear 1980 = 460) in in year 1990 =	$P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^{n}$ $(1 + \frac{35.763}{100})^{2}$ <b>79 Peoples</b> $P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^{n}$			01 M 01 M
	Popula	ation in y	= 25000 ( ear 1990 = 625	$(1 + \frac{35.763}{100})^3$ <b>59 Peoples</b>			01 M
<b>b</b> )				ige, and waste pipe			06 M
				ch receives and con		e from soil fittings	1 M for
			,	al etc. is called as so	1 1	t nina. This nina	Each
	2. <u>Vent pipe: -</u> The pipe installed for ventilation is called vent pipe. This pipe prevents siphonic action in system and releases pressure of foul gases.					Def.	
	_	-	-	ge is used to indicate		•	¹∕2 M
	_					negligible it does not	each
		create bad		is the organic matte		1.5.15.1010 11 4000 1101	Example
				hich carries dischar	ge from sanita	ry fittings like kitchen	1
	_			m etc. is called wast	-		

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
Q5.	Attempt ANY FOUR of following: ( 04x04 )	16 M
	Design circular sewer using following data:	
	Population- 40,000	
(a)	Total water supplied=300 lpcd.	04 M
	Sewage to be carried=80%	
	Velocity=1 m/s	
	Data:	
	Population= 40,000	
	Rate of water supply = 300 lpcd	
	Average water supply = (in cumecs) = 40000 X 300 /24 X 60 X 60 X 1000	
	= 40000 X 300 / 24 X 00 X 1000 = 0.138 Cumecs	04 M
	Sewage to be carried = 80%	U-+ IVI
	The average discharge of sewage produced = $0.8 \times 0.138 = 0.1104$ Cumecs	
	Q= AV	
	$0.1104 = \pi/4 \times d^2 \times V$	
	d = 0.374  m	
(b)	Enlist any four units of sewage treatment plant. State function of each.	04 M
	Units of sewage treatment plant:	
	<ol> <li>Screening: To remove the large floating and suspended matters.</li> <li>Grit Chamber: To reduce the formation of heavy deposits in channel, pipes and conduits.</li> <li>Skimming Tank: To remove oil, grease and fats from sewage.</li> <li>Sedimentation tank: To separate the settable solids.</li> <li>Aeration Tank: oxidizing carbonaceous biological matter, oxidizing nitrogenous matter: mainly ammonium and nitrogen in biological matter, removing nutrients (nitrogen and phosphorus)</li> <li>Chlorination: is used to kill certain bacteria and other microbes in sewage as chlorine is highly toxic</li> <li>Sludge Digestion: Sludge digestion is a biological process in which organic solids are decomposed into stable substances. Digestion reduces the total mass of solids, destroys pathogens, and makes it easier to dewater or dry the sludge.</li> <li>Trickling Filter: A trickling filter, also called trickling biofilter, biofilter, biological filter and biological trickling filter, is a fixed-bed, biological reactor that operates under (mostly) aerobic conditions. Pre-settled wastewater is continuously 'trickled' or sprayed over the filter.</li> </ol>	1 marks Each Write Any Four

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(c) Explain oxidation pond. 04 M > It is low cost, simple and artificial pond, 1-2 m deep where sewage cab is retained for 02 M sufficient time to satisfy BOD. In shallow plants, algae supply the additional oxygen through the process of photosynthesis under aerobic conditions. ➤ If the depth is 3-5m decomposition takes place under anaerobic condition at lower depth. Aerobic bacteria use oxygen and convert the organic matter into the stable compound. An alga consumes CO<sub>2</sub> and liberates oxygen in sewage. ➤ The combined action is called as Bacterial Algal Symbiosis. ➤ In facultative ponds, the upper layers are under aerobic compositions and lower layers are under anaerobic conditions. In the middle portion, the algae may release oxygen to upper layers. From settled organic load methane, ammonia, CO2etc may be released. > Various processes like sedimentation, oxidation, digestion photosynthesis, gas exchange, evaporation and seepage takes place in an oxidation pond. > Oxidation ponds are mutually used to treat the settled sludge. INLET CHAMBER 02 M INLET PIPE Fig \*LENGTH/3 OR 15 TO 20 m FLAG STONE BELL MOUTH OUTLET PIPE -V-NOT CH a =Top width of the bund. b =Bottom width of the bund.

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Q.NO	SOLUTION			MARKS		
( <b>d</b> )	State MPCB norms for discharge of treated sewage.				04 M	
	MPCB norms for disc	charge of treated se	wage:			
	Characteristics of the effluent	Tolerance limit for sewage effluent s industrial effluents  Tolerance limits for limits for inland		limits for		
		inland surface water	Inland surface water	Public sewers	water, when used as raw for public water for supplies and bathing ghats	
	BOD	20	30	500	3	
	COD	-	250	-	-	
	pН	-	5.5-9.0	5.5-9.0	6.0-9.0	
	Total Suspended	30	100	600	-	1/2 <b>M</b> for
	Solids					each
	Temperature °c	-	40	45		Write
	Oil and Grease	-	10	100	0.1	any
	Phenolic compounds	-	1.0	5	0.005	Eight
	Cyanides,mg/l	-	0.2	2.0	0.01	
	Sulphides ,mg/l	-	2.0	-		
	Fluorides,mg/l	-	2.0	-	1.5	
	Total residual chlorine,mg/l	-	1.0	-		
	Insecticides ,mg/l	-	0	-	0	
	Arsenic	-	0.2	-	0.2	
	Cadmium ,mg/l	-	2.0	-	-	
	Chromium ,mg/l	-	0.1	2.0	0.05	
	Sulphates, mg/l	-	-		1000	
	Copper,mg/l	-	3.0	3.0	-	
	lead,mg/l	-	0.1	1.0	0.1	
	Mercury,mg/l	-	0.01	-	-	
	Nickel,mg/l	-	3.0	2	-	
	Zinc,mg/l	-	5.0	15.0	-	
	Chlorides ,mg/l	-	-	600	600	

Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
(e)	Explain the concept of rain water harvesting with respect to necessity and methods.	04 M
	Rain water harvesting is a system by which rainwater that collects on the roof and area around the building is directed into open wells through a filtered tank or into a percolating chamber, built specially for this purpose. Rain water is collected directly or recharged into the ground to improve ground water storage.  Necessity of Rain Water Harvesting:  Increase ground water storage  Prevent wastage of water by arresting runoff  Safeguard and sustain existing water table  Improve water quality	01 M
	<ul> <li>Prevent soil erosion</li> <li>Mitigates flood</li> <li>Prevent sea water intrusion and salination of ground water</li> <li>To meet the demand for future generation.</li> </ul> Method of Rain Water Harvesting: <ul> <li>i) Roof top method</li> <li>ii) Recharge pit method</li> </ul>	02 M
	iii) Percolation pond method iv) Recharge trench method v) Check dam method	02 M
<b>(f)</b>	Explain activated sludge process.	04 M
	<ul> <li>Raw sewage from a primary settling tank(D.T.1 to 1.5 hrs) enter into an aeration tank</li> <li>The raw sewage is mixed with 20% to 30% of activated sludge (return sludge) in aeration tank, the mixture is known as mixture liquor.</li> <li>The mixture liquor is aerated and agitated in the tank for about 4 to 8hrs.the microorganism oxidize organic matter in the presence of abundant quantity of oxygen.</li> <li>Sewage is allowed to settle in secondary settling tank. This settled sludge has undergone aeration and has active microorganism, so some portion of this active sludge is re-circulated into the aeration tank for seeding the raw sewage. Excess quantity of sludge is treated and disposed off.</li> <li>The effluent from SST is disposed off. A portion of effluent is mixed in raw sewage before sending it to PST.</li> </ul>	04 M

Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
Q6.	Attempt ANY FOUR of following: (04 x 04)	16 M
(a)	Draw general layout and flow diagram of sewage treatment plant	04 M
	Screens Grit chamber Skimming Primary settling tank  Dried sludge digestion tank  Effluent disposal	04 M
(b)	Define BOD and COD. State its significance in treatment of sewage.	04 M
(~)	<b>Define BOD-:</b> BOD is defined as the amount of oxygen consumed by the micro- organisms for biochemical oxidation of the decomposable matter at specific temperature within the specific time.	01 M
	Significance-:	01 M
	<ul> <li>i) Only the biodegradable organics are measured.</li> <li>ii) The relatively long period of time required to obtain test result.</li> <li><b>Define COD-:</b> It is defined as the amount of oxygen required to oxidize matter by strong oxidizing agent under acidic conditions.</li> </ul>	01 M
	<ul> <li>Significance:</li> <li>i) To measure the content of organic matter, biodegradable as well as non-bio-degradable matter COD test is carried out.</li> <li>ii) The COD test can be carried out to measure organic matter present in industrial waste having toxic compound likely to interfere with the biological life.</li> </ul>	01 M
(c)	Enlist different methods of layout of distribution of water. Explain any one in detail.	04 M
	i) Dead end system ii) Grid iron system iii) Circular system iv) Radial system.	½ M for each

02 Marks for **Explanat** ion and fig. Write **ANY** 

**ONE** 

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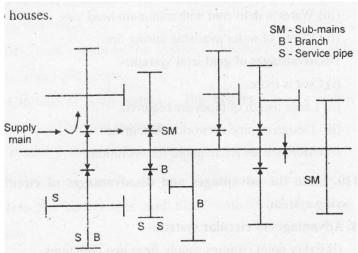
**SOLUTION** i) **Dead end system:** In this system one main start from service reservoir along the main road. Sub main are connected to the main in both directions along other roads which meet the main road. This system is suitable for irregular developed towns and cities.

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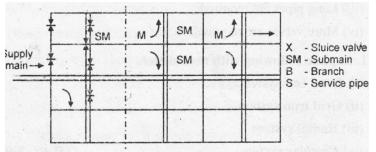
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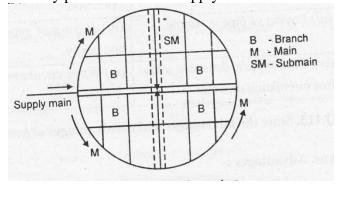
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**Grid iron system:** This is improvement over dead end system. All the dead ends are interconnected to each other and water circulates freely. Main line is laid along main roads and streets from these sub main and branches are taken out and are interconnected. This system removes all disadvantages of dead end system



ii) **Circular system:** In this system each locality is divided into circular or square blocks and the water mains are laid around all the four sides of round or circle. The sub mains and branches are taken off from the boundary mains and are connected. Thus every point receives its supply from two directions.



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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS	
(C) Cont	Radial System: This is reverse of ring system and water flows towards outer periphery from one point. The entire city is divided into various zones and one reservoir is provided for each zone, which is placed in the centre of zone. The water lines are laid radially from it.  Supply main pumping into distribution reservoir D <sub>1</sub> ,D <sub>2</sub> ,D <sub>3</sub> ,D <sub>4</sub> Distribution distribution distribution districts		
(d)	Explain in brief testing and maintenance of sewers.	04 M	
	i)Water Test  This test is carried out for sewer lines between two manholes.  Plugging is done by rubber plug at its lower end.  Rubber plug is connected with air blown.  The upper end of sewer is plugged with a connection to the funnel.  The sewer is filled with water and to maintain the required head, water level in the funnel is kept 2 m above the upper end.  This head varies with the material of sewer.  In case of cast iron sewer, the head should be at 9m.  The acceptable loss or head loss should not exceed 2 litres/cm of length of the sewer.  To perform this test sufficient amount of water should be available.  ii) Air Test  When sufficient amount of water is not available, then air test is to be carried out.  Air is pumped into the pipeline, usually via a hand-pump with a control valve, until the reading on the manometer is around 125-150mm.  The set-up is then left for 5-10 minutes to allow for temperature stabilisation within the pipe before the pressure is reduced to exactly 100mm on the manometer scale.  The manometer is then monitored for a period of 5 minutes; the level of water in the manometer should not fall below the 75mm mark during this period.  This is deemed to be a 'pass' and the pipeline is declared satisfactory and can be backfilled.  However, if the level in the manometer does fall below the 75mm mark, then the equipment should be checked and cleaned and the pipeline examined for leaks or defects.  If any problems are identified, they should be rectified before re-testing.		

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
	Maintenance of sewers consists mainly the removal of prevention of stoppages,	
	cleaning of sewers and repairs works. Following works are generally done for	
	maintaining sewers:	
	➤ <b>Inspection:</b> Examination of sewers, rate of flow, silting, amount of clogging, Ventilation. Etc.	02 M
	Cleaning and flushing: Cleaning and flushing of sewers are done through manhole by using flexible rod, mechanical tools and pill float.	
	Cleaning of catch pits: Sand, silt, debris, etc. deposited in sewer these can be cleaned after every monsoon.	
	Proper connections: All connections and joints are properly maintained so that leakage should be avoided.	
	Periodic repairs: Theperiodic repairs and maintenance programme should be run for the maintenance of sewer.	
(e)	Enlist various pipe materials used for conveyance of water.	04 M
	The various types of pipe materials used for conveyance of water are as follows:	
	Cast iron pipes	
	Wrought iron pipes	
	> Steel Pipes	
	Concrete Pipes	1/2 m for
	> Wooden Pipes	each
	Vitrified pipes	Cacii
	Copper and lead pipes	
	> Asbestos cement pipes	
	Cement lined cast iron pipes	
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