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IRRIGATION ENGINEERING

CIVIL ENGINEERING

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ANSWER KEY >

1.	(b)	7.	(b)	13.	(c)	19.	(c)	25.	(b)
2.	(b)	8.	(b)	14.	(b)	20.	(d)	26.	(b)
3.	(a)	9.	(c)	15.	(a)	21.	(b)	27.	(d)
4.	(b)	10.	(b)	16.	(d)	22.	(c)	28.	(b)
5.	(d)	11.	(d)	17.	(c)	23.	(a)	29.	(d)
6.	(d)	12.	(c)	18.	(a)	24.	(d)	30.	(b)



DETAILED EXPLANATIONS

$$P = 4.75\sqrt{Q} = 4.75\sqrt{6400} = 380 \text{ m}$$

SAR =
$$\frac{Na^+}{\sqrt{\frac{Ca^{+2} + Mg^{2+}}{2}}} = \frac{30}{\sqrt{\frac{4+3}{2}}}$$

$$= 16.04$$

Since SAR is in between 10 - 18 and so it can be classified as medium sodium water (S_2) .

Thickness of floor,
$$t = \frac{h}{G-1} = \frac{4.8}{3.4-1} = 2 \text{ m}$$

Design discharge =
$$\frac{\text{Discharge required in the field}}{\text{Time factor} \times \text{Capacity factor}}$$

$$= \frac{0.5}{0.5 \times 0.6} = 1.67 \text{ cumecs}$$

The ratio of Meander Belt to Meander Length is known as Meander Ratio.

Sensitivity, (s) =
$$\frac{dq / q}{dy / y} = \frac{50}{70} = 0.714$$

14. (b)

Length of creep =
$$2 \times 5 + 5 + 2 + 2 \times 4 + 5 + 10 + 2 \times 5$$

= 50 m

$$\therefore \qquad \text{Hydraulic gradient } = \frac{5}{50} = \frac{1}{10}$$

Now, length of creep upto point $A = 2 \times 5 + 5 + 2 + 2 \times 4 + 5 = 30 \text{ m}$

∴ Unbalanced head at A,
$$h = 5\left(1 - \frac{30}{50}\right) = 2 \text{ m}$$

:. Uplift pressure at
$$A_r = \gamma_w h = 10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

15. (a)

Mean depth,
$$D = \frac{2.0 + 1.9 + 1.8 + 1.6 + 1.5}{5}$$

= $\frac{8.8}{5} = 1.76 \text{ m}$

The average of absolute values of deviations,

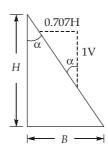
$$d = \frac{\left|2 - 1.76\right| + \left|1.9 - 1.76\right| + \left|1.8 - 1.76\right| + \left|1.6 - 1.76\right| + \left|1.5 - 1.76\right|}{5}$$

$$d = 0.168 \text{ m}$$

Water distribution efficiency = $\left(1 - \frac{d}{D}\right)$

$$= \left(1 - \frac{0.168}{1.76}\right) = 0.905 = 90.5\%$$

16. (d)



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{B}{H} = 0.707$$

$$tan^2\alpha = 0.5$$

$$(p_{\text{max}})_{\text{toe}} = 3.6 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{max}} = (p_{\text{max}})_{\text{toe}} \times \sec^2 \alpha$$

$$= (p_{\text{max}})_{\text{toe}} (1 + \tan^2 \alpha)$$

$$= 3.6 (1 + 0.5)$$

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$$S = \frac{4k(b^2 - a^2)}{Q_D}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad Q_D = \frac{4k(b^2 - a^2)}{S}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \frac{(Q_D)_A}{(Q_D)_B} = \frac{4k_A(b^2 - a^2)_A \times S_B}{4k_B(b^2 - a^2)_B \times S_A} = \frac{2}{1} \times \frac{5}{6} \times 1.5$$

18. (a)

As per Kennedy's

Critical velocity,

$$V_0 = 0.55 \text{ my}^{0.64}$$

m = critical velocity ratio = 0.90

y = depth of flow = 1.2 m

$$V_0 = 0.55 \times 0.9 \times (1.2)^{0.64} = 0.556 \text{ m/sec}$$

 $Q = 4 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$ Also, discharge through channel,

:. Required cross-section area of channel

$$A = \frac{Q}{V_0} = \frac{4}{0.556} \simeq 7.20 \text{ m}^2$$

19. (c)

To prevent scouring

$$\gamma_{\omega}RS < 0.056 \; \rho_w \; d(G_s - 1)$$

where d = particle size (> 6 mm)

$$G_{\rm s} = 2.65$$

 \Rightarrow

$$RS \leq \frac{d}{11}$$

$$R \le \frac{d}{11S}$$

$$R_{\text{max}} = \frac{d}{11S}$$

Given, d = 6 cm (> 6 mm) ok, S = 0.01

$$R_{\text{max}} = \frac{6 \times 10^{-2}}{0.01 \times 11} = 0.5454 \text{ m} = 54.54 \text{ cm}$$

20. (d)

Net vertical force,

$$\Sigma V = W - U = 1036 - 674 = 362 \text{ kN}$$

Net horizontal force,

$$\Sigma H$$
 = Water force

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \gamma_w H^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 9.81 \times (10)^2 = 490.5 \text{ kN}$$

$$SFF = \frac{\mu.\Sigma V + B.q}{\Sigma H}$$

B = width of the base of foundation = 8.25 m; μ = 0.75; q = shear strength at the joint = 1400 kN/m²

SFF =
$$\frac{0.75 \times 362 + 8.25 \times 1400}{490.5}$$
 = 24.10

21. (b)

Intensity of irrigation for kharif = 100 - 65 = 35%

Intensity of irrigation for rabi = 100 - 50 = 50%

:. Annual intensity of irrigation = sum of seasonal intensity of irrigation in a year

$$= 35\% + 50\% = 85\%.$$

22. (c)

Given,

$$Q = 50 \,\mathrm{m}^3/\mathrm{sec}$$

Silt factor,

$$f = 1.1$$

As per Lacey's

∴ Velocity,

$$V = \left(\frac{Qf^2}{140}\right)^{1/6} = \left(\frac{50 \times (1.1)^2}{140}\right)^{1/6} = 0.869 \text{ m/sec}$$

Bed slope,

$$S = \frac{f^{5/3}}{3340 \, Q^{1/6}} = \frac{(1.1)^{5/3}}{3340 (50)^{1/6}} = 0.0001828$$

$$S = \frac{1}{5469}$$

23. (a)

Classification	E.C in μ Mho/cm	Exchangable sodium percentage, ESP(%)	рН	
Saline or white alkali soil	> 4000	< 15	≤ 8.5	
2. Alkaline or black alkali soil	< 4000	> 15	8.5 – 10	
3. Soline-Alkali soil	> 4000	> 15	< 8.5	

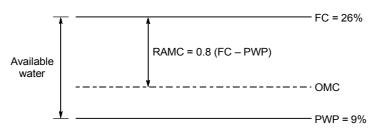
24. (d)

As per Blaney-Criddle formula

$$C_u$$
 or PET = $\Sigma \frac{kp}{40} [1.8t + 32]$
= $\frac{0.65 \times 9.3}{40} [1.8 \times 28 + 32] + \frac{0.72 \times 10.6}{40} [1.8 \times 25 + 32]$
= 27.14 cm

In above equation, k = consumptive use coefficient/crop factor; p = monthly % age of annual day light hours; t = temperature (°C).

25. (b)



d = depth of root zone = 75 cm

$$C_{u}$$
 per day = 1.58 cm/day

RAMC = Readily available depth of water

$$= \frac{\gamma_d}{\gamma_w} \cdot d. (FC - OMC) = \frac{1.4}{1} \times 0.75 \times 0.8 \times (0.26 - 0.09)$$

= 0.1428 m

FOI =
$$\frac{\text{RAMC}}{C_u} = \frac{(0.1428 \times 100)\text{cm}}{1.58 \text{ cm/day}} = 9.03 \simeq 9 \text{ days}$$

26. (b)

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$$D = 0.19 \text{ m}$$

$$B = 14 \text{ days}$$

Outlet factor,

$$D = \frac{8.64 B}{\Delta} = \frac{8.64 \times 14}{0.19} = 636.6 \text{ ha/m}^3/\text{sec} \simeq 637 \text{ ha/m}^3/\text{sec}$$

27. (d)

28. (b)

29.

Modular limits are extreme values of any one or more variables, beyond which an outlet becomes incapable of acting as a module or semi-module. The range between the lowest and highest limiting values of various such factors is known as modular range.

Modular limit is not a ratio.

30. (b)