Important Instruction to Examiners:-

1) The answers should be examined by key words & not as word to word as given in the model answers scheme.

2) The model answers & answers written by the candidate may vary but the examiner may try to access the understanding level of the candidate.

3) The language errors such as grammatical, spelling errors should not be given more importance.

4) While assessing figures, examiners, may give credit for principle components indicated in the figure.

5) The figures drawn by candidate & model answer may vary. The examiner may give credit for any equivalent figure drawn.

5) Credit may be given step wise for numerical problems. In some cases, the assumed contact values may vary and there may be some difference in the candidate's answers and model answer.

6) In case of some questions credit may be given by judgment on part of examiner of relevant answer based on candidates understanding.

7) For programming language papers, credit may be given to any other programme based on equivalent concept.

Important notes to examiner

Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS		
Q1. A)	Attempt ANY SIX of following: (06x02)			
a	State four factors affecting rate of demand of water.	04M		
	1. Size of the city.	¹ / ₂ M each		
	2. Climatic condition	Any 8		
	3. Habit of people.			
	4. Cost of water			
	5. Industrial and commercial activity.			
	6. Quality of water supplies			
	7. System of supply			
	8. Development of sewage facilities.			
	9. Policy of metering.			
b	List different types of intake and explain any one.	04M		
	1. Canal intake	1⁄2 M each		
	2. Reservoir intake	FOR		
	3. Lake intake	TYPES		
	4. River intake			
	a) Canal intake: A canal intake consists of a pipe placed in a brick masonry			
	chamber constructed partly in the canal bank. On one side of the chamber, an	2M FOR		
	opening is provided with coarse screen for the entrance of water. The end of	Any One		
	the pipe inside the chamber is provided with a bell mouth fitted with a			
	hemisphere fine screen. The outlet pipe carries the water to the other side of			
	the canal bank, from where it is taken to treatment plants.			
	$\frac{OR}{1}$			
	b) Reservoir intake: Reservoir intake which is mostly used to draw water from			
	earthen dam reservoir. It consist of a intake tower constructed on the slope of			
	the dam, screens are provided to intake pipes and are controlled by sluice			
	valve is provided to control water flow. Water level in reservoir changes from			
	time to time intake pipes are provided at different levels.			
	<u>OK</u>			
	c) Lake intake: For obtaining water from lakes, mostly submersible intakes are			
	used. These makes are constructed in the bed of lake, which consists of a			
	the energing and is collected by timber of concrete crib. water nows from the energing and is collected in sump well and then pumped to the treatment			
	ne opening and is confected in sump wen and men pumped to the treatment			
	plant.			
	d) River intake: It is circular masonry tower well of A to 7 m diameters. It is			
	constructed along the river bank at place from where water can be drawn in			
	required quantity. The various river intakes are wet intake dry intake and			
	movable intake			
C	What is the principal behind sedimentation with coagulation? State any two types			
C	of coagulants.	04M		
	When the certain chemicals are added to water, an insoluble, gelatinous, flocculent			
	precipitation is formed. This gelatinous precipitate, during its formation and descent			
	through water absorb and entangle very fine suspended matters and colloidal impurities.			
	The gelatinous precipitate therefore has the property of removing fine and colloidal			
	particles quickly and completely than by plain sedimentation. When matter contains such	02M		
	fine clay particles and colloidal, it becomes necessary to apply such process which can			
	easily remove these from water. Such impurities can be removed by sedimentation with			
	coagulation			

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS		
c)	Types of coagulants:	¹ / ₂ M each		
	1. Aluminiumsulphate			
	2. Ferrous sulphate in combination with lime.			
	3. Ferric sulphate or ferric chloride			
	4. Chlorinated copperas			
	5. Polyelectrodes.			
d	Define filtration and state any four objects of filtration.	04M		
	The process of passing the water through beds of sand or other granular materials is	01M		
	known as filtration.			
	Objects of filtration:			
	1. To remove colloidal and suspended matter remaining after sedimentation.	03M for		
	2. To remove bacterial load.	any		
	3. To remove colour, odour, iron and maganese.	THREE		
	4. To make water sparkling.			
B)	Attempt any ONE of the following.	06M		
a	What is need for analysis of water? Enlist various tests for potable water.	06M		
	The ground water is free from organic impurities and requires no treatment. But it should			
	be usually chlorinated before using. Water obtained from shallow wells should be			
	properly treated.			
	The examination of water is done in the water works laboratory, it is necessary to			
	examine the quality of water.			
	The main advantages are:			
	i) To remove pathogenic bacteria.			
	ii) To outline the purification process.			
	iii) To make the water safe for domestic and industrial use.	04M		
	iv) To remove dissolved impurities mineral salts.			
	Various tests for potable water:			
	i) Physical test: colour, Taste and odour, Temperature, Turbidity.	02M		
	ii) Chemical test: Total solids, Hardness, Chlorides, Dissolved oxygen, PH			
	value, Fluorides, Alkalinity.			
	iii) Biological test: E-coli, MPN.			
b	How can aeration improve water quality? Explain method of aeration with sketch.	06M		
	Aeration is the process of bringing the water in intimate contact with air, the water	02M		
	absorbs oxygen from the air while doing so. The carbon dioxide gas is removed up to			
	70% and bacteria are also killed up to certain extent in this process. Up to certain extent			
	iron, manganese and H2S gas are also removed from water.			
	Method of Aeration:			
	1. Cascades: They consist of concrete steps over water comes down in thin sheet. Weir	04M For		
	may be provided at the edge of each step. Thin sheet of water which comes down over	Any One		
	steps comes in contact with the atmosphere.	Method		

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS		
a)	1. Intake well: The main function of intake well is to collect the water from surface	1/2 M For		
Conti.	source and convey it to treatment.	any Four		
	2. Jack well: The jack well is situated on the bank of source and the main function			
	is to receive the water from intake well and discharge to the treatment plant.			
	3. Aeration unit: It is the physical process which works on the principle of gas			
	exchange. By increasing the water area in contact with the atmospheric air either			
	by spray or by keeping the surface of liquid constantly agitated so as to reduce			
	the thickness of liquid and enable it to come in contact with atmospheric air.			
	4. Flash mixer: The main function of flash mixer is the solution of coagulants is			
	mixed thoroughly in water by means of fan operated by electric motor.			
	5. Clariflocculator: This helps in forming a big size floc and increases the			
	efficiency of sedimentation.			
	6. Filter unit: To filter the water.			
	7. Elevated service reservoir: To supply the water under gravity. They also			
L)	supply water during emergency.	0414		
D)	Draw a labeled sketch of continuous flow type sedimentation tank.			
		04101		
	$ \underbrace{ \downarrow } \\ $			
c)	Explain in brief the working process of rapid sand filter.	04M		
	• The water from sedimentation tank enters the filter unit through inlet pipe and is	04M		
	uniformly distributed on the whole sand bed.			
	• Water passes through filter media and collected by under drainage system in			
	filtered water well.			
	• The outlet chamber in this filter is also equipped with filter rate controller. As			
	bed get clogged the loss of head increases, and the rate controller adjusts it to a			
	limit.			
	• When the rate of filtration becomes very low and the filter bed requires back			
	washing.			
d)	What are the different layouts for water distribution system? Explain any one with	04M		
	neat sketch.			
	i) Dead end system	¹ / ₂ m for		
	ii) Grid iron system	each		
	iii) Circular system			
	iv) Radial system.			

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Q.NO		SOLUTION		MARKS
c)	Describe inspection chamber with neat sketch.			04
	Sketch:			
		a) Plan		2M
	Flexible j	oints	Flexible joints	2M
	Inspection chamber The purpose of inspection sewer and to allow clean precast concrete sections chamber should be disch vertically on either sides chamber wall at a gradien	n chamber is to provide a me ning. Inspection chambers m , in-situ concrete, and glass narging in the direction of fl of channel up to the crown at of 1:6.	eans of access for inspecting the drain or ay be constructed form Class B bricks, fiber plastic. All pipes in an inspection ow. Benching in a chamber should rise of pipe, and slope upwards towards the	
d)	Compare on four points	between rapid sand filter a	nd slow sand filter.	04
	Comparison between ra	pid sand filter and slow san	d filter:	
	Comparison Points	Slow Sand filter	Rapid Sand Filter	
	1. Coagulation	Not required	Essential	
	2. Compactness	Requires large area for its installation.	Requires small area for its installation.	1 Each
	3. Construction	Simple	Complicated as separate under drainage system is required to be design.	for Any 4
	4. Cost of operation	Low	High	Points
	5. Period of cleaning	1-3 Months	2-3 days	of
	6. Method of clearing	Long and laborious method	Due to back washing short and speedy method.	compari son.
	7. Skilled supervision	Not essential	Essential	
	8. Suitability	For small towns and villages.	For big cities where land cost is high and variation in water demand.	
	9. Base material	Varies from 3-65mm in size	Varies from 3-40mm in size with 600-900	
		with 300-750 mm depth.	mm depth.	
	10. Loss of head	150-750mm	3m -3.50m	
	11. Rate of filtration	100-200lit/hr/m ²	3000-6000lit/hr/m ²	

Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
e)	State types of sewers. Describe <u>ANY ONE</u> .	04
	Types of sewers: 1. Main sewer or Trunk sewer. 2. Branch sewer. 3. Lateral sewer. 4. Outfall sewer. 5. Intercepting sewer. 6. Separate sewer. 7. Combined sewer. 8. Storm sewer.	2M
0.04	Intercepting sewer: A sewer which receives dry weather flow from a number of transverse sewers of outlets and quantities and conducts such waters to a point for treatment and disposal is called intercepting sewer. It is usually a large sewer which flows parallel to a natural drainage channel into which a number of main or outfall sewers discharge.	2M
(Q.04) A)	Attempt <u>ANY THREE</u> of the following: (03x04=12)	12M
a)	State importance of building sanitation.	04M
	 The arrangement provided in the building, for collection and conveying wastewater through drain pipes, by gravity to join either public sewer or a domestic septic tank is called as building sanitation. It is important due following reasons: To maintain healthy condition in the building. To dispose off the waste water as early and quickly as possible. To avoid the entry of foul gases form sewer or septic tank. To facilitate quick removal of foul matter (e.g. Human excreta). To collect and remove waste matters systematically. 	4M
b)	Draw neat sketch of European type water closet and explain in brief its working.	04M
	The at sketch of European type water closer.	02M
	Perspective view of EuropeanEuropean type water closettype water closet	02M



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Q.NO		SOLUTION		MARKS
	W/L and	$P_n = P + nI + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}r$		1
	P = Population in 2011 =1 n = number of decades = 0 I = Average increase per c	,28,200 (2041-2011)/10 =03 lecade = 28200/03 = 9400		1⁄2
b	r = Average incremental i: $\therefore P_{2041} =$ Therefore the population at Differentiate between one pi	ncrease = $3200/02 = 1600$ $128200 + 3 \times 9400 + \frac{3(3 + 200)}{2}$ $\therefore P_{2041} = 1,66,000$ the end of year 2041 will be increase = $3200/02 = 1600$	<u>1)</u> × 1600 1, 66,000.	¹ / ₂ 1 06M
		ipe and two pipe system of p		00101
	Difference between one pipePoint of differentiation1. Noofpipes	One pipe system of plus One pipe system One pipe carrying all types	Two pipe system Two separate pipes one	
	2. No of vent pipes	Single vent pipe	soil pipe and other wastepipe.Two separate vent pipesfor both soil and waste	
	3. Gully trap	Not required	Pipe. Required	
	4. Cost 5. Maintenance	Low maintenance	system. High maintenance	
	 6. Sketch (SWP=Soil & waste pipe, S= sink, WC= Water closet, LB=lavatory basin, B = Bath, MH = manhole VP = Vent pipe) 	WC SWP S WC S WC S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	WC S WC S WC S WC S S S S S S S S S S S	1 Each

Q.NO		SOLUTION		MARK
0.5	Attempt any Four of the following			16
(a)	List any four sanitary pipe fitting and mention purpose of each.			04
(b)	 List any four sanitary pipe fitting and mention purpose of each. a) List of sanitary pipe fitting and purpose of each. i) Water closet, Indian and European type-: it is sanitary fitting is used to receive human excreta directly and is connected to soil pipe by means of trap. ii) Flushing cistern -: it is used for flushing water closet and urinal after its use. iii) Wash hand basin-: A wash basin is vessel use for washing hand, face or bushing etc in standing position iv) Sink-: These are rectangular shallow vessels suitable for kitchen or laboratory for washing purpose. v) Urinals-: A urinal is a toilet-like plumbing fixture for urination only. vi) Traps-: the device is used to stop the escape of foul gases inside or outside the house. Define COD. State its significance. Define COD-: it is defined as the amount of oxygen required to oxidize matter by strong oxidizing agent under acidic conditions. Significance: i) To measure the content of organic matter, biodegradable as well as no bio-degradable matter COD test is carried out. 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			½ foreachTypesand ½for itspurposeWRITEANYFOUR04M02M02M
(c)	Differentiate between a	aerobic and anaerobic process		04M
(0)		Anaerobic process	Aerobic process	01M For
	i)Process	In the absence of oxygen	In the presence of oxygen aerobic bacteria.	each
Ans	ii)Organism involved iii)Oxygen source for bacterial metabolism iv)End Product v)Economical Product vi)Nuisance due to end products vii)Applicability of Process viii)Effectiveness process	anaerobic bacteriaChemically bound oxygen such as Nitrates,sulphate co2,organic compounds etc suchCH4,CO2,H2S etcMethane gas produces in this process.OffensiveStrong organic WasteWell stabilized end product	Aerobic bacteria. Dissolved oxygen initially present or supplied to the waste by some means. CO ₂ ,H ₂ O No methane gas recovery Inoffensive Moderate waste End product requires some treatment	

Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
(d)	Explain working of septic tank with sketch.	04M
Ans	i) Septic tank sketch.	02 M
	INLET CHAMBER BAFFLE (OVER 1200)	
	BENCHING	
	SECTION XX	
	All dimensions in millimetres.	
	ii)working of septic tank A septic tank is closed water tight chamber where combined sedimentation and digestion of sewage are carried out under anaerobic activity. The sewage and sludge are detained for some period when suspended solids are settled down which are treated by anaerobic digestion and results in reduction of volume and release of CH_4 , CO_2 , H_2S gases. The foul gases are escaped through vent pipe and the offensive effluent is disposed off into the ground through soak pit. The digested sludge is	02M
	periodically removed once in year or twice. the septic tank is useful for individual houses,	
(1)	hostel and small groups of population	0484
(e)	Linist benefits of rain water narvesting.	04IVI
Ans	 Diminishing flooding, erosion and the flow to storm water drain by reducing peak storm water runoff. Reducing water bills and demand on your community's drinking water supply by using rainwater for flushing toilets, washing clothes, watering the garden and washing cars Improving plant growth by using rainwater for irrigation because stored rainwater is free from pollutants as well as salts, minerals, and other natural and man-made contaminants Making use of a valuable resource that is free. It provides water when there is a drought, can help mitigate flooding of low-lying areas, and reduces demand on wells which may enable ground water levels to be sustained. Rainwater harvesting systems are environmentally sound. Pipes from house to water tanks hidden underground. Simple designs and concepts. Reduces the capital needed for expensive dam building, and eliminates the need for new sewerage treatment works. Reduces sewerage outfall Stored water is available during future water outages. Adequate water available for irrigation. Storm water from roofs to street is almost eliminated. 	½ marks each WRITE ANY EIGHT

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
(f)	Draw a general layout and flow diagram for sewage treatment plant.	04M
	Bried Screens Grit Chamber Skimming tank Skimming Primary settling tank Aeration tank Final settling tank Final settling tank Final Studge Gigestion tank Effluent disposal	04M
Q. 6	Attempt any Four of the following	16M
(a)	Explain purpose of grit chamber. State its location.	04M
	 i) purpose of grit chamber Protect moving mechanical equipment from abrasion and accompanying abnormal wear. Reduce formation of heavy deposits in pipelines, channels and conduits. Reduce the frequency of digester. To remove grit from the sewage. To minimizes the load of subsequent treatment. 	01M Each Write any TWO
	ii)grit chamber location Grit chambers are usually located ahead of pumps or comminuting devices, and if mechanically cleaned, should be preceded by coarse bar rack screens	02M
(b)	Explain activated sludge process.	04M
	 Raw sewage from a primary settling tank(D.T.1 to 1.5 hrs) enter into an aeration tank The raw sewage is mixed with 20% to 30% of activated sludge (return sludge) in aeration tank, the mixture is known as mixture liquor. 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. 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. The effluent from SST is disposed off. A portion of effluent is mixed in raw sewage before sending it to PST. 	04M

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Q.NO	SOLUTION	MARKS
	Return sludge Primary settling tank Raw sewage Raw Raw Raw Return effluent Return effluent	
(c)	Draw a labeled sketch of trickling filters.	04M
	Mosquito-proof dome Vent shaft Vent shaft Seal Seal Filter media Underdrain	04M
(d)	Describe the procedure of testing of sewers after construction is complete.	04M
	 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. 	02M
	 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. 	

Q.NO		SOLUTION		MARKS
(d)	Describe the procedure of testing of sewers after construction is complete.			04M
	 The manome the manome the manome This is deem backfilled. However, if equipment sh defects. If any problement should be any problement should be	eter is then monitored for a period ter should not fall below the 75m hed to be a 'pass' and the pipeline the level in the manometer does the hould be checked and cleaned and tems are identified, they should be	d of 5 minutes; the level of water in m mark during this period. is declared satisfactory and can be fall below the 75mm mark, then the d the pipeline examined for leaks or rectified before re-testing.	
(e)	Enlist any four typ Location and one f	es of valves used in conveyance function of each.	of water. State their	04M
				01
	Types of valve	Location	Function	Marks
	Sluice Valve	These valves are provided in straight pipe length at 150- 1200m interval and when pipe line is inserted, valves are fixed on both the sides of intersection	These valve are provided in pipe line to control the flow of water	Each Write ANY FOUR
	Air Relief Valve	They are provided at summit pints in the alignment of pipe	For automatic allowance of air to escape through it i.e. to release accumulated air from the pipe	
	Pressure Relief Valve	i) Two pipeline connecting pipe networks.ii)At two different elevations pipeline	These valves are used to relieve pressure automatically, when it exceeds at fixed limit	
	Scour Valve	They are located at the dead ends and depression or lowest points in mains	These valves are used to remove sand or silt deposited in pipeline	
	Reflux Valve	These valves are used in water pipe, which obtains water directly from pump. When pump fails or stops, the water will not return back to pump and thus pumping equipment will be saved from the damaged	These are used in pipeline when it required to pass the discharge only in one direction	