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- 2) The model answer and the answer written by candidate may vary but the examiner may try to assess the understanding level of the candidate.
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- 6) In case of some questions credit may be given by judgment on part of examiner of relevant answer based on candidates understanding.

Q1.A)a)Define	Irrigation and state its advantages.	4
Irrigation may b	be defined as the process of artificially supplying water to soil for raising crops.	2
Advantages of 1	rrigation:	
i)Increase in foo	od production	1/2
ii) Cultivation o	of cash crops.	1/2
ii)Protection fro	om famine	1/2
iv)Increase in p	rosperity of people	1/2
(Or any other s	ruch four advantages related to irrigation)	
Q1.A) b) What	is Duty and delta? State relationship between them.	4
i) Duty	7- It is the area in hectares irrigated by one cubic meter per Second of water	1
flow	ing continuously for the base period for a particular crop.	
ii) Delt	a-It is the total depth of water in centimeter required by crop to come to maturity	1
Re	elationship between Duty and Delta-	

$D = \frac{8.64 B}{\Delta}$	Where , D=Duty in Ha/cu	mec, Δ =Delta in me	ter	2
	B=Base period in	days.		
Q1.A)c)Define i)Rainfa	ll ii)Rain gauge iii)R	unoff iv)Prec	ipitation	4
i)Rainfall:- It is depth in r	nm or cm of water(liquid P	recipitation) that would	d stand on the surface of	1
the earth provided it were	not to be lost by any other	manner like evaporati	on or absorption in to	
the soil etc.				
ii) Rain gauge:- It is the in	nstrument which measures i	ainfall.		1
iii)Run off:- It is that par	rt of rainfall, which is not lo	st, into the atmosphere	e or in the soil. OR It is	1
the portion of precipitatio	n that ultimately reaches the	e stream channel over	the land surface and	
beneath the surface of the	earth.			
iv)Precipitation:- It is the	fall of moisture from the at	mosphere on to the ear	th surface in any form.	1
Precipitation may be two	forms a)liquid Precipitation	n b)frozen Precipitation	n.	
Q1.A)d)Classify canals ac	ccording to alignment and p	osition in the canal ne	twork.	4
Classification of canals :-				
i)According to alignment	- a)Contour canal b)Wate	rshed or Ridge canal	c)Side-slope canal	2
ii)According to their posit	tion- a) Main Canal b)Bran	nch canal c)Major di	stributary d)Minor	2
distributary or minors e)Water course			
Q1.B)a)State the period o	f cultivation and two examp	oles each of kharif and	rabbi crops.	6
(Note-The period of culti	vation is not mentioned in c	urriculum .It may be c	onsider similar to base	
period or crop period. If s	student writes Definition an	d duration of base per	riod / crop period for	
particular crop as mentio	ned above give marks as me	entioned below)		
Base Period:- It is period	l in days from the first water	ering of a crop at the ti	me of sowing to the last	2
watering before harvestin	g and represents the period	in which water is prov	ided for irrigation.	
Season	common crops	period	base period	
		From to	(days)	
Kharif	Jowar, Rice, Tur,	15 th june-14 th oct	123	
	Ground nut, Maize.			2
Rabi	wheat,Gram,	15 th june-14 th oct	122	
	Mustard Dhana			2
Q1.B)b)A proposed tank	has 970km ² of good catchm	ent area .Assuming the	at dependable rainfall is	6
80% of average annual ra	infall of 120 cm, calculate t	he yield in ha-m using	Inglis's formula.	

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Given- C.A.=970km²

Dependable rainfall(P) = $80\% \times 120 = 96$ cm

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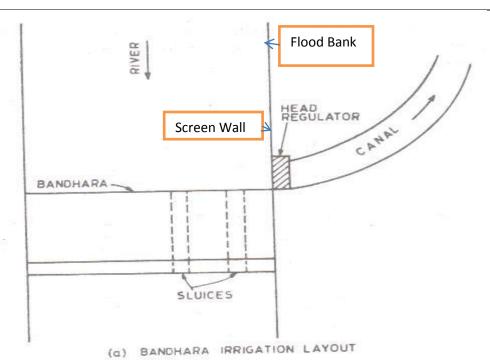
By Inglis's formula for Runoff (for non-ghat area)

$$R = \frac{(P-17.8) \times P}{254}$$

$$R = \frac{(96-17.8) \times 96}{254} = 29.55 \text{cm}$$

$$= 970x29.55 = 28663.5 \text{ ha-m (Ans)}$$

Q2.a) Draw a layout at Bandhara Irrigation with component parts and write functions of component 8 parts.



Component parts and their functions-

- i)Bandhara-To obstruct the flow of water and store the water. It is a weir.
- ii)Screen wall-It is constructed at right angle to the bandhara on upstream side at the main canal side. It is used to avoid the flood water not to outflank the bandhara.
- iii)Flood bank-To confine the upstream water within the bandhara and river.
- iv)Offtaking Canal-To take the water from the upstream side of the bandhara and supply to the agriculture land.
- v)Head Regulators-To control the flow of water through the canal.
- vi) sluices -These are provided to drain out the sludge or silt accumulated at the bottom of the

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bandhara.	
(Note-Consider credit for the function of any four component as above)	
Q2.b) Enlist the eight component parts of earthen dam and write there functions.	8
The various component parts of earthen dam and their functions are as given below	
i)Hearting (core)-It is the center impervious section .It provides water tightness to the dam and	1
control the seepage flow through the body of the dam.	
ii)Casing-It is the outer portion of the dam. It provides cover the hearting and gives stability to the	1
dam.	1
iii)Cut off trench-It is excavated under the hearting zone and it prevents or reduces seepage flow .It	
also prevents piping of dam through foundation of dam.	1
iv)Rock toe- It is provided to prevent the toe of dam from sloughing due to seepage flow and it	
increases the stability of dam	1
v)Pitching-It is provide to avoid the erosion of dam material on the upstream side due to wave	1
action of water .It also protects the upstream slope from sudden draw down	1
vi)Turfing-It is provided to prevent the downstream slope from erosion action due flow of rain	
water.	1
vii)Berms-It is provided on the downstream side. It collect the rain water and dispose it off safely.	
viii)Drains-The network of drains such as L-drain, cross drain and toe drain are provided to collect	
the seepage flow of water through the body of dam.	
(Note-If only list of component parts is written give ¼ mark for each part)	
Q2.c) Design the section of a canal having design discharge 4 cumecs, bed slope 1 in 2500 and the	8
canal is lined with concrete N=0.0012 and side slope is 1:1.	
Given-Discharge Q=4.0 cumecs	
Coefficient of rugosity (N)=0.012	
Side slope=1:1 (n=1)	
Bed slope(i)=1 in 2500	
Ded \$10pc(1)-1 III 2300	
For most economical section	
b+2 nd=2d $\sqrt{(n^2+1)}$	2
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$b+2 \times 1d=2d \sqrt{(1^2+1)}$	
b+2d=2.83d	

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b=0.83d	
Area=(b+nd)xd	2
(0.83d+1d)d.	
$=1.83d^{2}$	
Discharge (Q)=AxV	
$4 = \frac{1.3rd2(1xm2/3xi1/2)}{N}$	2
$2.186 = d^{2}x \left(\frac{1}{0.012} x \frac{d^{2}/3}{2} x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2500}} \right)$	
$2.186 = \left(\frac{1}{0.012} x_{2}^{1} x_{50}^{1} \right) d^{8/3}$	
$d^{8/3} = 2.63$	
$d = 2.63^{3/8}$	
d = 1.44m	
b = 0.83x1.44	
$\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{1.20m}$	2
Q3)a) Explain modified Penman method to compute evapotranspiration values.	4
Penman develop a theoretical formula for potential evapotranspiration which in its modified form is	
as follows:	2
$E_{tp} = WR_n + (1-W).f(U)(e_s - e_a)$	
Where, E_{tp} potential evapotranspiration for reference crop in mm/day	
W= Weightage factor= $\Delta/(\Delta+r)$	2
Δ = slope of saturation vapour pressure vs temp.curve in mbar/ 0 C at daily mean temp.	Fo
r = psychometric constant.	r
R _{n=} net radiation in mm of evaporable water per day.	No
f(U)=a function of wind energy.	ta
e _{s=} Saturation vapour pressure in mbar at mean day temp.	tio
e _a =actual mean vapour pressure of the air in m bar.	n
Q3)b)Calculate the net volume of water in ha-m required for irrigation crops as follows:	4
Name of crop Area in ha Average duty in ha/cumec	

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Rice	750)	600	
Jowar	120	00	2500	
Assume	base period of 120 days.			
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Given:-	B=120 days			
	8.64 <i>B</i>	8.64 <i>x</i> 120		1
	$\Delta(\text{rice}) = \frac{8.64 B}{D} =$	=1.728 m.		1/2
	Δ (rice) in ha-m= Δx are	ea= 1.728 x750= 1296 ha-m		/2
Λ	$(jowar) = \frac{8.64 B}{D} = \frac{8.64 B}{D}$	$\frac{4 \times 120}{1000} = 0.414 \text{m}$		1
Δ	(jowar) in ha-m= Δ x area	1=0.414x 1200= 497 ha-m.		1/2
Net Oua	ntity of water required—1	296+497= 1793 ha-m (Ans)		
Tier Qua	mility of water required—r	2501157-1755 Hu Hi (11115)		
				1
O3) c) S	tate the factors affecting	silting in a reservoir		4
	fecting silting in a reserv	-		<u> </u>
i)			will be more. If catchment area is	1
1)	less, silting will be les		will be more. If catelinient area is	1
ii)			d, silting will be more. If catchment	1
11)	area is fern shaped, sil	-	d, sitting will be more. It cateminent	1
;;;)	•	slope is steep, more particle w	will be grades because of high	1
iii)			· ·	1
	•	vill be deposited in reservoir b		
iv)			roduction of more silt material.	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \end{vmatrix}$
v)			e it can be easily flow with runoff and	
	deposited in reservoir			
		ctors of any four as above)		
Q3)d) D	ifferentiate earthen and g	ravity dam with respect to for	undation, seepage construction and	4
maintena	ance.			
Particul	lars	Earthen Dam	Gravity Dam	
Founda	tion	It can be located on any type	It should be located on hard	1
		of foundation	strata only.	
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Seepage	Seepage losses are more	Seepage losses are less		1
Construction	Earthen dam can be	Gravity dam can be		
	constructed with locally	constructed with stone, brick&		
	available soil, stone, silt, clay	concrete requires skilled		
	and skilled labours are not	labours.		
	required			1
Maintenance	Maintenance cost is more	Maintenance cost is less.		
(3) e) Explain the longi	tudinal joints used in gravity dam with sk	xetch		4

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Longitudinal joints:-

- Longitudinal joints are provided parallel to the axis of the dam. i)
- ii) These joints are extended vertically from foundation to the top of dam.
- The longitudinal joints runs between two adjacent transverse joints and are not iii) continuous all along the length of dam.
- A spacing is 15 to 30m is generally adopted which may varies according to foundation iv) condition.
- Keyways are provided in vertical longitudinal joints to transfer shear stresses from one v) block to other.

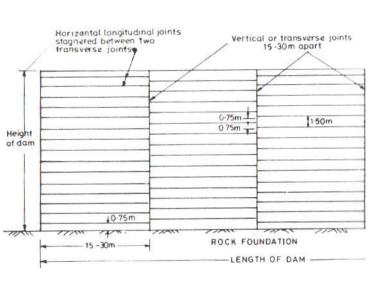
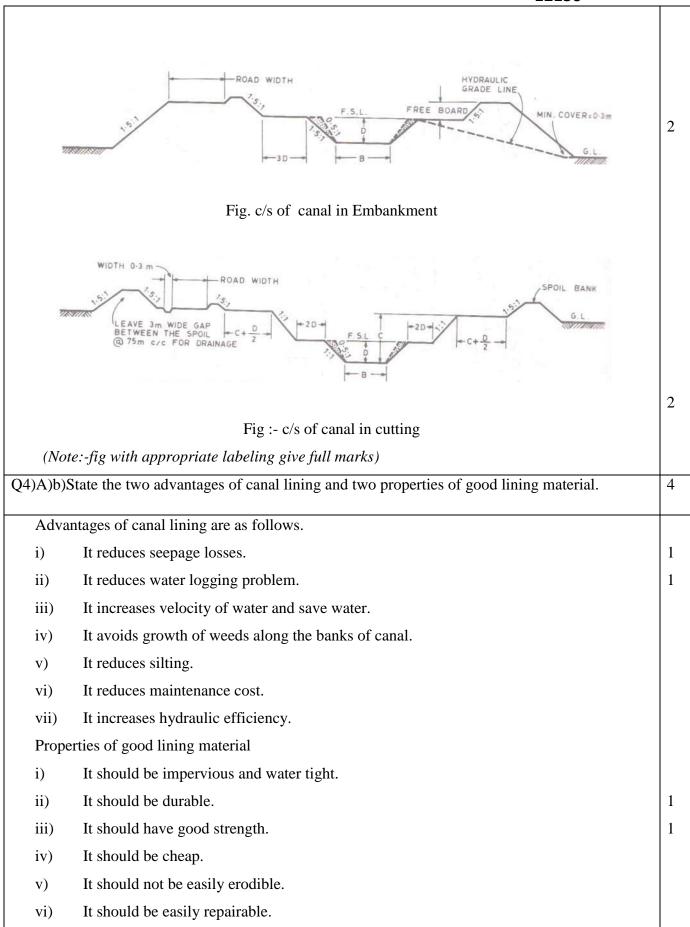


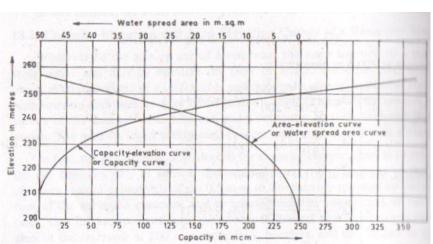
Fig:- Longitudinal joints in dam.

Q4)A)a)Draw a cross section of canal in cutting and in embankment

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12136 vii) It should easy in construction. (Note-Give 1 mark to each from any two Advantages and properties given as above) Q4)A)c)State the situation where following structure are used. 4 i)canal falls ii)canal escapes 2 i) Canal falls:-It is structure provided across a channel to permit lowering down of its water level and dissipate the surplus energy possessed by the falling water which may otherwise scour the bed and banks of the channel. It is used where ground slope is steeper than bed gradients. 2 Canal escapes:-It is structure provided for the disposal of surplus water from the ii) channel. if surplus water is allowed from canal then, there is chances of flowing water over the banks of canal and possibility of damages to the banks of canal in that situation canal escapes are provided at the in head reaches. Excess water goes to the waste canal and then natural drains. (*Note:-any other appropriate answer give full marks*) Q4)A)d)Draw the area capacity curve and state its significance. 4



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Fig:- Area Capacity curve

Significance of area capacity curve:

- i)Area capacity curve include area curve and capacity curve
- ii)Area curve shows area in hector of water spread plotted on x axis, gives area under submergence and useful in determining control levels of reservoir.
- iii)Capacity curve, on y axis gives information in deciding capacity of reservoir.

Q4)B)a)Fix the control levels LWL and FTL from the	ne given data:	6
Effective storage for crops =3200ha-m		
Tank losses=20% of effective storage		
Carry over allowance=105 of effective storage		
Dead storage=105 of gross storage		
Contour RL 250 253 256 278 28	1 284	
Storage (mm ³) 3.3 4.1 5.25 42.65 47	.3 55.12	
Gross storage =Dead storage+ Live Storage		
Live Storage = effective storage for crops+ Tank los	ses + Carry over allowance	1
=3000+((20x3000)/100)+((10x3000)/	100)	
=3900 ha-m		
$= 39 \text{ Mm}^3$		
But		
Gross storage = $(10/100)x$ gross storage+39.0		1
0.9 Gross storage=39.0		
Gross storage=43.33 Mm ³		
From above table Interpolating value of 43.33 Mm ³		
278+(281-278) x (43.3	33-42.65)	
(47.3-42.65)		
=278.43m		2
F.T.L=278.43m	(Ans)	
Dead Storage=(10/100)gross storage=(10/100)x39		
$=3.9 \text{ Mm}^3$		
R.L.corrsponding to 3.9 Mm ³ capacity		
$= \frac{250 + (253 - 250) \times (3.9 - 3.3)}{(4.10 - 3.3)}$		
(4.10-3.3)		2
L.W.L. = 252.25m	(Ans)	
Q4)B)b)State the importance of spillway in earthen	dam and explain construction and working of	6
ogee spillway with sketch.		
Importance of spillway in earthen dam are as follow	s (Any two of the following)	

12136 It expell the excess water rises above the full reservoir level safely. i) 1 1 ii) If spillway is not provided, water will go on rising above a embankment of earthen dam and causes erosion of all earthen material to move downstream side. It provides stability to earthen dam. iii) reservoir -Max. Level Designed head Upper nappe __-+= Lower Sharp crested -nappe weir ___ 2 Crest of the agee spillway U/s Face of -Fo ogee spillway r Fi Fig. c/s of ogee spillway g Construction and Working: Ogee spillway has 'S' type profile. It is widely used for gravity, arch and buttress dam i) also several earthen dams constructed with ogee spillway. In ogee spillway, water falling over the crest is guided smoothly over the crest of the ii) spillway and made it to glide over the downstream face of spillway. 2 Q5)a)Draw a layout of diversion of headwork and show its components .State the function of fish 8 ladder. Diagram on next page 4 fig Marginal bund joined to high comours -Guide bank +River flow 2 Under sluice La portion of weir Canal head regulator with gated openings bel called Head sluices Normal weir portion Of taking S ie. Weir proper or Main weir 11 Weir divided into bays with piers Length divided into ways by piers. Each way is provided with a gate ast act as an opening of controlled height Fig:- Layout of Diversion Head Works

Function of fish ladder: To provide convenient passage for the easy movement of fishes from
downstream to upstream side in summer season. It also divide the flow.

(Note-Neat layout-4 marks, labelling-2marks, functions of fish ladder-2 marks)

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Q5)b) Explain the types of failure in earthen dam and its remedial measures.

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Types of failure of earthen dam & its remedial measures.

The various causes leading to the failure of earthen dam can be grouped into the following three classes

- 1) Hydraulic failure.
- 2) Seepage failure.
- 3) Structural failure.
 - 1) **Hydraulic failure**:- above 40% of earthen dams failure have been attributed to these cause. The failure under category occurs due to following reason (remedial measure).

Type of Failure	Remedial measures
a) By over topping	Sufficient free board should be
	provided.
Erosion of upstream face	Upstream stone pitching or rip-rap
	should be provided
Cracking due to frost action	Additional free board allowance up to
	say 1.5m be provided for dams in areas
	of low temperature
Erosion of downstream face by gully	these can be avoided by proper
formation	maintenance, filling the cuts from time
	to time especially during rainy season
	by growing the slopes and by providing
	proper berm of suitable heights
Erosion of the d/s toe	The erosion of the toe can be avoided
	by providing a downstream slope
	pitching or a riprap up to a height
	slightly above the normal tail water

	depth
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2) **Seepage failure**: The failure under this category may occur due to the following reason. About 1/3 ^{rd.} of the earth dams have failed because of these reason.

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Type of Failure	Remedial measures
a)Piping through foundation	This can be avoided by properly compa
	the foundation strata & proper selection
	site.
b) piping through the dam body	This can be avoided by properly compa
	the soil of dam embankment.
c) sloughing of d/s toe	This process of failure due to sloughing
	when the d/s toe becomes saturated & s
	eroded hence it should be avoided by p
	rock toe of d/s.

3) **Structural failure**: About 25% of the dam failures have been attributed to structural failure are generally caused by shear failure causing slides. The failure under this category may occur due to the following reason.

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- a) Foundation slides.
- b) Slides in embankments.

(Note-In each category of failure for every type of failure and its Remedial measures 1 mark is given as mentioned above)

Q5)c)Differentiate between weir and barrage with respect to crest level ,afflux ,slitting. Food clearance and draw sketch of weir and barrage.

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Particulars	Weir	Barrages
Diagram	POND LEVEL CREST SHUTTER BLOCK PROTECTION LAUNCHING APRON U/S PILE POND LEVEL CREST SHUTTER WEIR WALL FINTERTED FILTER LAUNCHING APRON D/S PILE	POND LEVEL
Definitions	If the major part of the entire ponding of water is achieved by a raised crest and a small part by the shutters then this barrier is	If most of the ponding is done by gates and smaller part is by the raised crest then this barrier is knows as barrage

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	knows as weir		
Crest level	Crest level is high	Small crest level embankment is	1
		provided or barrage may be	
		provided without embankment	1
Afflux	Afflux is more	Afflux is less	1
Silting	Large silting may occurs	Very less silting occurs	1
Flood clearance	Flood clearance is less	Flood clearance is more	
Q6)a)Explain the river gauging method of estimation of MFD. Calculate MFD for a catchment area			
of 1600km² by Ingli's	formula.		
River Gauging- River or stream Gauging means actual measurement of the discharge of the river ,it			
is one of the method of calculating MFD .The area cross section of flow is measured by surveying			
the cross section of th	e stream at gauging stations . The w	rater elevation is read on the gauges .The	
gauge is read three times a day during the rainy season and every two hours during floods at other			
times it is read once a day. At the same time, velocity is observed by single float, double float,			
velocity rod or current meters. The discharge is calculated by using following formula			
$Q = A \times V$ Where, $Q = Discharge(m^3/s)$			
A=Area at the cross section of flow(m ²)			
	V=Mean Veloci	ty(m/s)	1
MFD for a catchment area of 1600km ² by Ingli's formula			
123 <i>A</i>			
$Q = \frac{122x1600}{\sqrt{(A+10.24)}}$			
$Q = \frac{123x1600}{\sqrt{(1600+10.24)}}$			
$Q=4904.33 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$			
Q6)b)List the factors	affecting runoff and explain any one	2 .	4
The various factor aff	ecting the runoff can be divided in	two groups:	
i) Characteristic	es of precipitation		
ii) Characteristics of drainage basin.			
i) Charac	cteristics of precipitation-This consi	st of following factors-	
a)Type	e of precipitation		1 1
b)Rair	n intensity		2
c)Dura	ation of rainfall		
d)Soil	moisture deficiency.		
e)Dire	ection of the prevailing storm		
f)other	r climatic condition.		

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ii) Characteristics of drainage basinThis consist of	
a)size of basin	
b)Shape of basin-Fan Shape or fern shaped	1 1
c)Elevation of water shade	2
d)The type of arrangement of stream channels	
e) other factors as the type of the soil, vegetation cover the slow and orientation	
of the catchment etc.	
Explanation of any one factor in brief	
(Note-In characteristics 1 and 2 any 3 are expected in each type and out of minimum 6 any	
one should explain)	1
Q6)c)What are the various types of engineering surveys carried out for an irrigation project.	4
Following surveys and investigation are necessary for irrigation project-	1
1)Engineering Surveys	
2)Geological investigations	
3)Hydrological investigations	
1)Engineering Surveys-In Engineering Surveys the area under the dam site is surveyed in	1
detail and contour plan is prepared . From the contour plan following physical	
characteristics are found out.	
i) Area elevation curve	
ii) Storage elevation curve	
2)Geological investigations-It is requires to obtain information about	1
i) Water tightness of reservoir	
ii) Suitability of foundation for the dam	
iii)Ground water condition in region	
iv) Geological structural features.	
3)Hydrological investigations- It can be done under two heads	1
i) Study of runoff pattern at the proposed dam site to find storage capacity.	
ii)Determination of the hydrographs to determine the spillway capacity and design.	
Q6)d)State the function of galleries in gravity dam.	4
Function of foundation gallery and inspection gallery are as follows:	1

	1)Foundation Gallery- It is provided near the rock foundation serves to drain of the	1
water which percolate through the foundation.		
	2)Inspection Gallery-The function of Inspection Gallery are	
	i) They intercept and drain of the water seeping through dam body	
	ii) They provide access to dam interior for observing and controlling the behavior	
of the dam.		
	iii) They provide enough space for carrying pips during artificial cooling of concrete.	
	iv)They provide access for grouting the contracting joints	
	v) They provide space for drilling and grouting the foundation	
	(Note-For Inspection Gallery out of 5 any 4 are expected)	
Q6) e)S1	rate the use of i)Canal head regulator ii) Silt Excluders.	4
i)	Canal head regulator: A canal head regulator is provided to the head of the off taking	2
	canal and it is used for.	
	1) Regulating the supply of water entering the canal.	
	2) Controlling the entry of silt in the canal.	
	3) Canal head regulator prevents the river floods from entering the canal.	
ii)	Silt excluder:	2
	Silt excluders are those works which are constructed on the bed of the river, upstream of	
	the head regulator.	
	Use: By use of silt excluder the silt is removed from the water before it enter in the canal	
	& the clearer water enters the head regulator.	

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