B.Tech. 7th Semester (Civil Engineering) Examination, December—2015

GROUND WATER ENGINEERING

Paper-CE-453-F

Time allowed: 3 hours]

[Maximum marks: 100

Note: There are nine questions in all. Question No. 1 is compulsory and students have to attempt one question from each of the four sections.

1. (a) Define the term aquifer.

- $2 \times 10 = 20$
- (b) List various types of strains in tubewells.
- (c) Mention any two methods of artificial recharge.
- (d) Define unsteady flow.
- (e) What do you mean by radius of influence?
- (f) What are assumptions of Theis equation?
- (g) A 30 cm well penetrates 50 m below the static water table. If coefficient of permeability is 10.07m/day. Determine the transmissibility of the aquifer.
- (h) What do you mean by partial penetration of an aquifer by a well?
- (i) Why selection of pumping set important?
- (j) In what conditions basin method of ground water recharge recommended?

Section-A

- 2. (a) Explain 'steady' and 'Unsteady' flow of ground water stating their circumstances. Write down the corresponding equations of such flow, giving their validity.
 - (b) Define the following terms: 10
 - (i) Specific yield
 - (ii) Transmissibility
 - (iii) Ground water exploration
 - (iv) Storage coefficient.
- 3. (a) With the help of neat sketch explain different types of aquifer.
 - (b) What are different methods of ground exploration? Explain in detail. 10

Section-B

- 4. (a) What are leaky aquifers? Explain how you would determine the formation coefficient of leaky aquifer for steady case giving the equation? 10
 - (b) What is mutual interference of a well? How can this be avoided.
- 5. (a) Explain the effect of partial penetration on the drawdown in the well.
 - (b) How are the barrier and recharge boundaries are identified from pump test data? Explain with the help of neat diagrams.

Section-C

- 6. (a) Describe various methods commonly used for lifting water. Explain each with neat sketch. 10
 - (b) What is well development? List its favourable effects. Describe the various methods of well development.
- 7. (a) What do you mean by tube wells? How tubewells are classified?
 - (b) What are reasons for failure of tubewells? What remedies will you suggest for increasing their life.

Section-D

- 8. (a) Explain induced infiltration method of ground recharge.
 - (b) What is the purpose of designing artificial recharge projects, explain.
- 9. (a) Mention various spreading methods of artificial recharge? Explain any two.
 - (b) What factors lead to diminishing opportunity for natural recharge of ground water? List favourable conditions for artificial recharge.