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THEORY EXAMINATION (SEM-VIII) 2016-17 WATER RESOURCES SYSTEMS

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

Note: Be precise in your answer. In case of numerical problem assume data wherever not provided.

SECTION-A

1. Attempt all parts in short.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

- a) Explain the term stochastic modeling.
- **b**) Define the term 'system analysis'?
- c) Hydrologic measurements are subject to errors. Write the types of these errors.
- d) A LP problem has all equality constraints. The number of constraints is the same as the number of decision variables. How does the solution change with a change in the coefficients (of decision variables) in the objective function?
- **e)** What is a rating curve? Write the equation of a rating curve.
- f) Write four physical parameters of water quality?
- **g**) What is an objective function?
- **h**) Define optimal control problems.
- i) What are decision variables?
- j) What is the reservoir rooting?

SECTION-B

2. Attempt any five of the following:

 $(10 \times 5 = 50)$

- a) What do you mean by the 'system'? Classify the systems and explain them.
- **b)** With reference to a multipurpose project, define the terms: separable costs, joint costs, distributed costs and specific costs.
- **c**) What is Lagrange multiplier method? How this is used in planning of water resources systems?
- **d)** What do you understand by simulation? Under what conditions, simulation models are better than optimization models and in what conditions, optimization models are better than simulation models?
- e) A dam is proposed across a river in Himalayas. It will supply water for irrigation. List and explain possible beneficial and harmful environmental consequences of the project.
- **f)** Explain the following terms:
 - (i) Plan selection
 - (ii) Plan formulation
 - (iii) Sensitivity Analysis
- g) Differentiate weighting method and constraint method of formulation of a multi objective planning problem. Explain any one of them in detail.
- **h)** What is system decomposition? Explain in detail major types of decompositions.

SECTION-C

Attempt any two of the following:

 $(15 \times 2 = 30)$

- **3.** Explain the following in detail:
 - (i) Total, average and marginal cost curves
 - (ii) Production and objective functions



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- (iii) Discount factors and its types.
- Water is supplied from a project for two types of users: rural and urban. The benefits to rural community are given by $B_1 = 30y_1 1.5y_1^2$ and those to urban community are given by $B_2 = 10y_2 (\frac{y_2^2}{8})$. If the total cost of the project is $C = \frac{y_2^2}{2} + 2y$, where y is the aggregate demand, determine the optimum level of water supply. Also, determine the corresponding components of rural and urban water supply levels.
- **5.** Solve the following LP problem by simplex method:

Maximize
$$z = x_1 + x_2$$

Subject to $x_1 + 3x_2 \le 6$
 $4x_1 + 3x_2 \le 12$
 $3x_1 - x_2 \le 36$
 $x_1, x_2 \ge 0$

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