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**R16****SET - 1****II B. Tech I Semester Supplementary Examinations, May - 2019**  
**GROUND WATER HYDROLOGY, WELLS AND PUMPS**  
(Agricultural Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)  
2. Answer **ALL** the question in **Part-A**  
3. Answer any **FOUR** Questions from **Part-B**

**PART -A**

1. a) Define the terms transmissibility and zone of aeration.
- b) List any four common well drilling difficulties.
- c) What is unsteady state condition of an aquifer?
- d) What is Well losses and interference among wells
- e) Define Manometric head and Total head.
- f) What are the salient features of airlift pumps?

**PART -B**

2. a) State the difference between confined and confined aquifer.
- b) Explain in detail and support your answer with a neat sketch
  - i) Perched
  - ii) Semiconfined
3. a) Design an Open Well in fine sand to give a discharge of 0.004 cumec when worked under a depression head of 2.5 meters
- b) Explain the Jetting method and Core drilling method with neat sketch.
4. a) A 15 cm diameter well penetrates an 8 m thick water bearing strata underlain and overlain by impermeable beds. The well was operated with a constant discharge rate of 100 liters/min for 12 hours. The steady state draw downs were 3 and 0.05 m at distance 10 m and 50 m, respectively from the well. Using This equations calculate the transmissibility and hydraulic conductivity of the aquifer.
- b) Explain the aquifer parameters by Jacob's method
5. a) Explain the following method of ground water exploration method:  
Electrical resistivity method
- b) Seismic refraction method
6. a) How is selection of pumps made?
- b) Draw and explain the performance of characteristics curves.
7. a) Differentiate between hydraulic ram and centrifugal pumps.
- b) What is priming? Why is it necessary?

