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**Open Channel Flows**

Full Marks : 100

Time : Three hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.*

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Answer ALL questions.

1. Write a short notes on the following 5\*2 = 10
- Specific force
  - Differences of velocity distribution between pipe flows and open channel flows.
2. If  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are alternate depth in a rectangular channel then show that 10
- $$y_c^3 = \frac{2y_1^2 y_2^2}{(y_1 + y_2)} \text{ and specific energy } E = \frac{y_1^3 + y_1 y_2 + y_2^3}{(y_1 + y_2)}$$
3. Find the bed slope of trapezoidal channel of bed width 6 m, depth of water 3 m and side slope of 3 horizontal to 4 vertical when the discharge through the channel is 30 m<sup>3</sup>/s. Take Chezy's constant as 70. 10
4. Write a short notes on the following 5\*2 = 10
- Nikuradse's equivalent roughness
  - Shield's diagram
5. a) Derive the governing dynamic equation for Gradually varied flow. Draw the necessary figure and assume the necessary. 15
- b) Write a short note on brink depth of open channel flows. 5

6. In a 4.0 m wide rectangular channel ( $n = 0.017$ ) the bed slope is 0.0006. When the channel is conveying  $10.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  of flow, estimate the nature of gradually varied flow profiles at two far away section M & N in this channel where depth of flow is measured as 1.6 m and 2.1 m respectively. 15
7. A rectangular channel carrying a supercritical stream is to be provide with a hydraulic jump type of energy dissipater. It is desired to have an energy loss of 5.0 m in the hydraulic jump when the inlet Froude number is 8.5. What are the sequent depth of this jump? 15
8. A 2.0 m wide rectangular channel has a discharge of  $0.350 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ . Find the height of a rectangular weir spanning the full width of the channel that can be used to pass this discharge while maintaining an upstream depth of 8.50 m. 10

