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**I SEMESTER M. TECH (ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING) END  
SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS - 2021  
SUBJECT: ADVANCED WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT  
(CIE-5181)**

Date of Exam: 22-02-2021

Time of Exam: 2:00 – 5:00 pm

Max. Marks: 50

**Instructions to Candidates:**

❖ Answer ALL the questions &amp; missing data may be suitably assumed.

A.	List and explain the various levels of wastewater treatment and pollutants that are removed in each level.	5	CO2
1B.	Design a screen chamber to treat a peak flow of 80 MLD of sewage. Assume the inclination as 45 degree with the horizontal, size of the bar 10 mm* 70 mm with 50 mm clear spacing and the velocity through the screens is 0.8 m/s at peak flow.	5	CO2
2A.	What do you understand by digestion of sewage sludge? With a neat diagram explain the anaerobic sludge digestion process.	4	CO5
2B.	Write the typical composition of domestic wastewater and discuss its typical analysis at various points in its course.	4	CO5
2C.	Discuss the impact of suspended solids and nutrients on the receiving water bodies.	2	CO4
3A.	BOD of a sewage incubated for one day at 30 °C has been found to be 100 mg/L. What will be the 5-day BOD at 20 °C? Assume $k = 0.12$ (base 10) at 20 °C and $\theta = 1.056$	4	CO2
3B.	What is re-oxygenation? What are the factors that affect re-oxygenation?	3	CO2
3C.	<p>An average operating data for conventional activated sludge treatment plant is as follows:</p> <p>Wastewater flow = 35000 m<sup>3</sup>/day  Volume of aeration tank = 10900 m<sup>3</sup>  Influent BOD = 250 mg/l  Effluent BOD = 20 mg/l  Mixed liquor suspended solids (MLSS) = 2500 mg/L  Effluent suspended solids = 30 mg/l  Waste sludge suspended solids = 9700 mg/l  Quality of waste sludge = 220 m<sup>3</sup>/d</p> <p>Based on the information above, determine:</p> <p>i) Aeration period (hours)  ii) Food to micro-organisms ratio (F/M) (kg BOD per day/kg MLSS)  iii) Percentage efficiency of BOD removal  iv) Sludge age</p>	3	CO4
4A.	Design a circular sedimentation tank with all its components for primary treatment of sewage for a town having a population of 6 lakh with water supply rate of 140 LPCD. Assume surface loading rate of 50 m <sup>3</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> -d at peak flow and DT = 2 hrs	5	CO4

4B.	Discuss in detail two most common difficulties encountered in the operation of activated sludge plant. Elaborate the problem and solution to overcome the problem.	5	CO5
5A.	With a schematic diagram discuss the process description of trickling filter including media bed, containment structure, wastewater dosing system, under-drain system and the ventilation system.	5	CO4
5B.	A municipal wastewater treatment plant discharges secondary effluent to a surface stream. During summer, when the stream flow is low and water temperature is high, measurements are made. The wastewater is found to have a maximum flow of 12000 m <sup>3</sup> /d, BOD <sub>5</sub> of 35 mg/L, DO of 3 mg/L and the temperature of 25 C. The stream found to have a minimum flow of 0.6 m <sup>3</sup> /s, BOD <sub>5</sub> of 4 mg/L, DO of 10 mg/L and a temperature of 23°C. The mixing of wastewater and stream is instantaneous. The velocity of mixture is 0.4 m/s. The reaeration constant is estimated to be 0.5 d <sup>-1</sup> for 20°C. Assume $k_d = 0.23$ . Find the critical deficit of the mixture and the Minimum Dissolve Oxygen. Assume saturation DO as 90% of Dissolved Oxygen of the stream.	5	CO4