B.E. (CIVIL) Part IV 7th Semester Examination, 2007

Environmental Engineering II (CE – 706)

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 71 100

Use separate answerscript for each half
Two marks are reserved for neatness in each half

FIRST HALF

Answer question 1 and any three questions from the rest.

- 1. (a) Draw the flow diagram of a water treatment plant treating turbid surface water. Mention briefly the purpose of each unit.
 - (b) Draw the flow diagram of a sewage treatment plant treating municipal sewage.
- 2. (a) What are known as 'free chlorine' and 'combined chlorine' in disinfection of water supply?
 - (b) Why efficiency of disinfection with chlorine is dependent on pH of the system?
 - (c) Compare chlorine and ozone as water disinfectants.

(4+3+5)=12

- 3. (a) What type of ion exchange resin may be used for softening? How such resin may be regenerated?
 - (b) Why complete removal of hardness is not achievable by chemical precipitation method?
 - (c) What are the merits of ion exchange method of softening over chemical precipitation method? (5+3+4)-12
- 4. (a) What is stable suspension? How destabilisation can be achieved by addition of alum?
 - (b) Compare between alum and iron salts as coagulants in water treatment.

(6+6)=12

- 5. (a) Why aeration is adopted in water treatment plants? Do you expect any change in pH during aeration?
 - (b) Distinguish between Type-I and Type-II sedimentation.
 - (c) "Depth is not a factor in determining the smallest particle that will be completely removed in a rectangular tank handling Type-I suspension" Justify.

- 6. (a) What benefits can be achieved by use of multi-media filters over single medium filters?
 - (b) What are the differences of the sand bed (filter bed) used for slow sand and rapid sand filters?
 - (c) Why better removal of microorganisms is achieved in slow sand filters compared to rapid sand filters?

 (4+5+3)=12

SECOND HALF

Answer any three questions.

- 7. (a) List the various types of intake works. State the site selection criteria for intake works.
 - (b) Draw the various types of joint and level them
 - i) Spigot and socket joint, ii) Tyton joints, iii) Flanged joints.

(7+9)=16

- 8. (a) Classify the different distribution system based upon their methods.
 - (b) Distinguish between 'Dead End System' and 'Grid Iron System'.
 - (c) Show with sketches the 'pressure relief valves' and 'air relief valves'

(5+4+7)=16

- 9. (a) Define 'shallow well' and 'deep well'
 - (b) Explain with sketches the 'inverted cone of depression' and 'circle of influence'.
 - (c) List the common well development methods.

(A+6+6)=16

- 10. (a) Distinguish between separate and combined sewerage system.
 - (b) Show with sketches the various pattern of collection system.
 - (c) What do you understand by 'time of concentration'?

(6+6+4)=16

- 11. (a) Show the various types of 'drain sections' and 'sewer section'.
 - (b) Draw the section of a 'drop man hole' and 'combined gutter and curb inlet with catchpit'.
 - (c) What are the purpose of 'inverted syphon' and 'leaping weir'.

(4+6+6)=16