

Q#1 (a) Define "Delta" and duty and derive their relationship in MKS and FPS systems.

Ans) Delta of Water:-

The depth of water in inches required for the crops through the base period is known as delta of the crops.

Generally a crops need a certain volume of water at fixed through out its base period.

Duty of Water:-

The duty of water is the relationship between the volume of water and the area of water in crops ~~it is~~ of crops it mature.

Relationship b/w Duty and delta in FPS system:-

Let  $D = \text{Duty (acres/cusec)}$

$D = A \text{ feet base period} = B \text{ day by cusec}$

One cusec of water flowing continuously for "B" days gives a depth "A" on "D" acres.

Volume of Water ( $\text{ft}^3/\text{sec}$ ) in one day.

$$= 1 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60$$

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$$1 \text{ Acre} = 43560 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$1 \text{ ft}^2 = 1/43560 \text{ Acre}$$

Putting in eq ① become

$$= 86400B \times 1/43560 \text{ Acre-ft}$$

Volume of Water =  $1.983B \text{ Acre-ft}$  - ②

( $\text{ft}^3/\text{sec}$ ) B day

Depth of water required by crops.

③ Relationship b/w Duty & Delta in MKS system

→ Let there be a crop of base period B days let one cume (m<sup>3</sup>/sec) of water be applied to this crop during B days = V

$$V = (24 \times 60 \times 60 \times B) \text{ m}^3$$

$$V = 86400 \text{ m}^3$$

→ By definition of duty - 1 m<sup>2</sup> of water supplied for B days matures D hectares of land. This quantity of water (V) mature D bar of land 10<sup>4</sup> D m<sup>2</sup> of area.

→ Total depth of water applied on this land.

$$= \frac{\text{Volume}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{86400}{10^4 D} = \frac{8.64 B}{D} \text{ m}$$

Therefore

$$D = 8.64 B / 0 \text{ m} = 864 B / 0 \text{ cm}$$

D is duty in hecter/cume

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Q11) If wheat required about 9 cm of water after every 35 days and the base period or crop period of wheat is 140 days. Find out the delta for wheat?

Ans) <sup>Sol:-</sup> B = 140 days

D = ?

Water required for wheat = 9 cm

No of days = 35 days

By Ratio Method

$\Delta = 140$  days

9 cm = 35 days

$35\Delta = 140 \times 9$

$$\Delta = \frac{140 \text{ days} \times 9 \text{ cm}}{35 \text{ days}}$$

$\Delta = 36 \text{ cm.}$



(Q) Explain Indus Water Treaty - (5)

Ans) The Indus water treaty is a water distribution treaty b/w India and Pakistan. signed on sep 19, 1960. The treaty was signed by President Ayub Khan and P.M J. Nehru. It was brokered by the World bank.

The Indus water treaty deals with river and its five tributaries which are classified in two categories.

Eastern Rivers      Western Rivers

1) Sutlej

4) Jhelum

2) Beas

5) Chenab

3) Ravi

6) Indus

→ According to the treaty, all the water of western rivers shall be available for unrestricted use in India.

→ India should get unrestricted flow of water from western river to

→ The treaty <sup>⑥</sup> allocated 80% of water from the six river Indus water system to Pakistan.

→ A permanent Indus Commission was setup as bilateral commission to implement and manage the treaty.

D) Write significance of Duty of a Crop?

Significance of duty of a Crop:

→ It help in designing efficient canal irrigation system knowing the total available water at the head of the main canal and the overall duty of crops required to the irrigated in different seasons of the year the area which can be irrigated can be worked out.

→ Inversely if <sup>⑦</sup> you know the crops area required to be irrigated and their duties, we can work out the discharge required for designing the canal.

## Question # 2 Part (A)

Q#2  
(Part A) Explain the factor affecting Consumptive Use?

Ans) Factor affecting use are given below.

- 1) Temperature
- 2) Humidity in air.
- 3) Velocity of Wind.
- 4) Soil topography.
- 5) Sun lights



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Temperature:-

Consumptive use of water is directly affected by the temperature.

At high temperature the plants tend to show decrease while at low temperature there is decreased plant growth.

Humidity:-

Evaporation is inversely proportional to humidity. as at low humidity evaporation rate is more while at high humidity evaporation is showed down.

Velocity:-

Evaporation rate is more when there is more velocity as air is moving faster so there will be more evaporation, if the velocity of wind is low then rate of evaporation is



#### 4) Soil topography ;

If a soil is made more fertile through the application of manure or by some other means. The yield maybe expected to increase with an error ranging small increases in use of water. However an increase in fertility of the soil causes a decrease in the amount of water consumed per unit of crop field.

#### 5) Sunlight :-

At days in summer there is more sunlight than usual so high evaporation occurs when in winter there is low evaporated rates.

Q#2 Part #B

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Given data:

Usefull Rainfall (cm) = 10

Water application Efficiency ( $n_a$ ) = 80%

Cumulative Consumption use (cu) = 40 cm  
= 0.8

Required:-

(FIR) Field irrigation Requirement = ?

(CIR) Consumption Irrigation requirement

Sol:-  
$$\Rightarrow CIR = cu - Re = 40 - 10 = \boxed{30 \text{ cm}}$$

$$\Rightarrow FIR = CIR / n_a$$

$$= 30 / 0.8$$

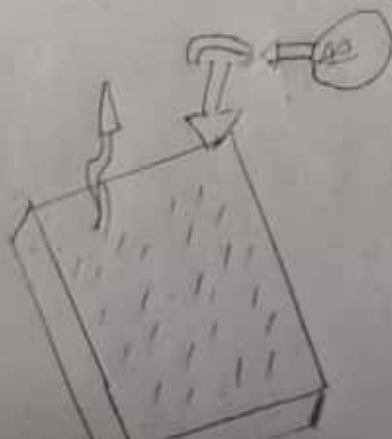
$$= \boxed{37.5 \text{ cm}}$$

## Question # 2 (c)

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Part # C :- Explain Class A Pan Evaporation (EP) measurement with the help of diagram.

Ans)  $\rightarrow$   $E_p$  can be experimentally determined directly measuring the quantity of water evaporation from the standard class a pan. This pan is 1.0 m in dia 25 cm deep and bottom is raised 15 cm above the ground surface. The depth of water is to be kept in a fixed range such that the water surface is at least 5 cm. and ~~never~~ never more than 7.5 cm. below the top of ~~pan~~ pan.



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→ A pan evaporation  $E_p$  can also be determined by using the Christensen formula which states.

$$E_p = 0.459 \cdot R \cdot C_t \cdot C_w \cdot C_h \cdot C_s \cdot C_e$$

$R$  = extra. Terrestrial Radiation is

the same unit as

$E_p$  in cm or mm

$C_t$  = Coefficient for Temperature.

$C_w$  = Coefficient for wind velocity.

2d :: Explain Crop Seasons (Rabi and Kharif) and Kharif Rabi Ratio.

Ans) a) "RABI" :-

1 October to 31<sup>st</sup>

March winter.

Rabi Crops :-

Rabi Crops are wheat, Barley, Gram, Mustard, Potatoes.



or plant wilts and no longer recover its turgidity which, placed in a saturated atmosphere for 12 hours.

c) Available and readily available moisture contents:

The difference in moisture content of the soil between capacity and permanent wilting is termed the available moisture. Available moisture can be expressed as percentage moisture per as percentage PV or as depth.

d) Optimum of Water

### Question #3 (14)

Define and explain the following terms.

① Field Capacity:

When all gravity water has drained down to water table by surface soil. This water which cannot be easily drain under the action of gravity.

② Permanent wilting Point:

It is defined as the minimum amount of water in the soil that the plant requires not to wilt.

At the soil water content decreases to this or any lower point

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Readily available moisture contents:

It is a water that a plant can easily extract from the soil RW

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is the soil moisture held between field capacity and nominated refill point for unrestricted growth. In the range of soil moisture plant are neither waterlogged or water stressed.

E) Optimum Utilization of water:-

The yield increases with water can reaches a certain maximum value and then fall down. The quantity of water at which the yield is maximum is called the optimum water depth. Therefore the optimum utilization of water measure getting maximum yield with any amount of water.