

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE- SEMESTER-VI EXAMINATION – WINTER 2025****Subject Code:3160618****Date:25-11-2025****Subject Name:Open Channel flow****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

		MARKS	
Q.1	(a) What are the different types of channels?	03	
	(b) Explain the velocity distribution in open channel flow.	04	
	(c) Explain continuity and momentum equation for open channel flow.	07	
Q.2	(a) What is specific energy? Draw curve of it.	03	
	(b) Define: 1. Section modulus, 2. Alternate depths, 3. Sequent depths, 4. Flumes	04	
	(c) Derive differential equation of gradually varied flow with assumptions.	07	
OR			
Q.3	(c) Explain surges in open channel and their types.	07	
	(a) Write on drawdown and back water curves.	03	
	(b) What is hydraulic jump? Explain applications of it.	04	
Q.3	(c) Explain classification of flow profiles with examples.	07	
	OR		
	(a) Calculate the critical depth and the corresponding specific energy for a discharge of 5 m ³ /s in the rectangular channel of width 2.0 m.	03	
Q.4	(b) What is energy dissipation? Define location of hydraulic jump.	04	
	(c) Explain and derive St. Venant's equation.	07	
	(a) Define gradually varied and rapidly varied flow.	03	
Q.4	(b) What is unsteady flow? What are the types?	04	
	(c) In a rectangular channel 3.5 m wide laid at a slope of 0.0036, uniform flow occurs at a depth of 2.0 m. Find how high the hump be raised without causing afflux?	07	
	OR		
Q.4	(a) A concrete lined trapezoidal channel (n=0.015) is to have a side slope of 1:1. The bottom slope is 0.0004. Find the bottom width of the channel necessary to carry 100 m ³ /s of discharge at normal depth of 2.5 m.	03	
	(b) What do you mean by non-scouring channels?	04	
	(c) Explain regimes of flow & prediction of regimes.	07	
Q.5	(a) What is Incipient motion?	03	
	(b) What are the types of bed forms? What is the difference between aggradation and degradation?	04	
	(c) A circular drainage pipe 0.80 m in diameter conveys a discharge at a depth of 0.30 m. If the pipe laid on the slope of 1 in 900, estimate the discharge. Manning's n=0.015.	07	
OR			
Q.5	(a) Explain in brief Lacey's regime theory.	03	
	(b) A hydraulic jump takes place in a rectangular channel with sequent depths of 0.25 m and 1.5 m at the beginning and end of the jump respectively. Estimate the i) discharge per unit width of the channel and ii) energy loss.	04	
	(c) Write in brief about shield's analysis. Write in brief about flow resistance.	07	