

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**

**BE - SEMESTER-VI EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2025**

**Subject Code: 3160618**

**Date:30-05-2025**

**Subject Name: Open Channel flow**

**Time: 10:30 AM TO 01:00 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
<b>Q.1</b>	(a) Differentiate between pipe flow and open channel flow.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Write a short note on velocity distribution in open channel flow.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the concept of first hydraulic exponent in detail.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.2</b>	(a) Explain equivalent roughness in channel.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain channel transition with a hump.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Describe the hydraulically-efficient channel section. Also explain the relationship between the geometric elements to form an efficient section.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
	(c) Explain the compound channel section in detail.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Define the terms: regime flow, ripples, dunes.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Draw the definition sketch of specific energy and explain it.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain Shield's analysis method for studying incipient motion in channels.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.3</b>	(a) Discuss the requirements for the selection of type of canal lining.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain the Shear stress distribution for uniform flow in lined canals.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Explain the stepwise procedure to design the channel using tractive force method.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) What data or information are generally needed for computing a flow profile?	<b>03</b>
	(b) Write a note on Mannings roughness coefficient.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Describe the procedure of designing lined canal.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.4</b>	(a) State the rule regarding the direction of computation of flow profiles.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain why H1 and A1 profiles are practically not possible.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Describe different types of bottom slopes of open channels.	<b>07</b>
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Write the practical applications of hydraulic jumps.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Differentiate between Sharp crested weir and broad crested weir.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Classify the hydraulic jumps in horizontal rectangular channels according to USBR.	<b>07</b>
	<b>OR</b>	
<b>Q.5</b>	(a) Define Rapidly varied flow. Also give the characteristics of rapidly varied flow.	<b>03</b>
	(b) Explain positive and negative surges in open channel.	<b>04</b>
	(c) Write a detailed note on sluice gates.	<b>07</b>

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