

Writing Space

Sub-WWWE Estn Diploma

Per Capita Demand

① (a) For the purpose of estimation of total requirement of water, the demand is calculated on an average basis, which is expressed as so many litres/capita/day.

\* If  $Q$  is the total quantity of water required by a town per year in litres, and the population of town is  $P$ , the Per Capita demand will be

$$\frac{Q}{P \times 365} \text{ litres/day.}$$

(b) Domestic Demand :- It includes the quantity of water required for drinking, cooking, bathing, washing etc. It mainly depends upon the habit, social status, climate conditions of people. In India on an average, the domestic consumption of water under normal conditions is about 135 litres/capita/day.

(c) Industrial Demand :- water requires in industry is called industrial demand. It depends upon the size of the industry. The water required by factories, papermill, clothmill, cottonmills, ~~beverage~~ Sugar refineries etc comes under industrial demand.

(d) Aquifer :- An aquifer is a saturated formation of the earth. It is not only stores water but also yield it in adequate quantity. Aquifers are highly permeable formation and hence they are considered main source of ground water application. Unconsolidated deposits of sand and gravels are example of aquifer.

② (a) Cavity of well :- When the water being drawn from the well at some constant rate, the water level inside the well starts going down and at a level it will become stable. The difference of head between the water level inside the well ~~starts~~ and ~~formation~~ outside the well will cause flow of water inside the well to meet the requirement of the pumping. The difference in head causing flow is known as depression head.

The surface of the water table around the well takes the shape of curved cone, and it is called cone of depression. The distance from the centre of the well to the base circumference of the cone is known as radius of influence of the well. The velocity of the water entering the well all around directly depends on the rate of pumping or withdrawal of water. When the rate of withdrawal is very high, it will increase the depression head, thereby causing increase in the velocity of percolating water. If this velocity is more than critical velocity of the soil, soil particles make hollows in the well bottom. Now when more and more sand particles will flow inside the well, the attractive area will be increased due to ~~the~~ formation of percolating water below critical velocity. The formation of the hollows below the wells are dangerous and may cause sinking and staining of the well and damage it.

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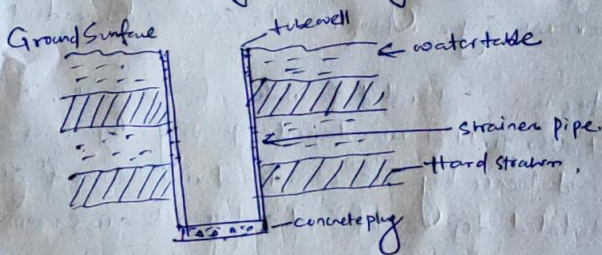
Types of aquifer :-

unconfined aquifer :- The top most water bearing stratum having no confined impermeable overburden laying over it.

Confined aquifer :- When the aquifer is confined on its upper and lower surface by impervious formation. The water in the confined layer will be under greater pressure and is greater than atmospheric pressure.

(c) strainer type tubewell :- This type of tubewell is in maximum in use and most of the state governments construct only this type of tubewell.

- \* A strainer or fine screen is placed against all water bearing stratum through which water passes. It prevents the entry of sand particles inside the well.
- \* The diameter of outer shell = 15cm to 100cm. The dia of pipe drawing water 2.5cm to 9cm. The size of tubewell denoted by the diameter of the inner pipe.
- \* It is suitable for very fine sandy water bearing stratum.



(3)(a) These are the following types of Demand in water Supply.

- (i) Domestic Demand.
- (ii) Commercial Demand.
- (iii) Fire Demand.
- (iv) Demand in public use.
- (v) Compensate loss Demand.

Domestic Demand :- It includes the quantity of water required for drinking, cooking, bathing, washing etc. It mainly depends upon the habit, social status, climate conditions and custom of people.

In India on an average the domestic consumption of water under normal condition is about 135 litres/capita/day.

In developed country it may be taken as 350 litres/capita/day.

It is generally about 55-60% of total water consumption.

Commercial & industrial Demand :-

It includes office building, warehouse, stores, hotels, shopping centers, health centres, schools, temples, cinema house, railway & bus stations etc.

The water requirement of Commercial and Public places may be upto 15 litres/capita/day.  
 \* water requires in industry depends on the size of the industry. The water required by factories, Papermill, Clothmills, Cottonmills, Sugar refineries etc comes under Industrial Demand.  
 It is generally 20-25% of total demand of city.

Fire Demand :- The quantity of water required for extinguishing fire is not more than 5-10% of total Demand.

Fire hydrants are provided at every 100-150 m apart on water main.  
 Minimum Pressure = 1-1.5 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>

(a) National Board of fire under writer formula

$$Q = 4640 \sqrt{P} (1 - 0.01 \sqrt{P})$$

Q = Quantity of water, P = Population

(b) Free Man's formula :  $Q = 1135.5 \left( \frac{P}{10} + 10 \right)$

(c) Kuchling's formula :-  $Q = 3182 \sqrt{P}$

(d) Buston's formula :-  $Q = 5663 \sqrt{P}$ .

Demand for Public use

washing & sprinkling of road, clearing of sewer, watering Parks, gardens, are in the category of Public use.

It is generally 5% of the total consumption of a city.

Compensate loss demand :- It is generally about 15% of the total quantity of water supply. It is generally made to compensate for losses due to theft and wastage of water.

(b) various Source of Surface water

Sources of ~~Surface~~ water is generally divided into two category

(i) Surface Source (ii) Ground source.

Surface Source

(i) Streams :- In mountainous regions streams are formed by the runoff. The discharge in stream is much in rainy season than other seasons. Those streams which dry up in summer and contain water only during rainfall are known as Raining Streams. The quantity of water in stream is normally good except the water of first runoff. But sometimes runoff water while flowing over ground is mixed with clay, sand, and mineral impurities. The stream generally flows in valleys and are the main source of water supply to villages of hills which are situated near them.

(ii) Lake :- In mountains at some places natural basins are formed with impervious bed. water from springs and streams generally flows towards these basins and lakes are formed.

The quality of water in lake depends upon the basin Capacity, catchment area, annual rainfall etc. The quality of large lake is good than small lakes. Lake water is available only to those towns which are situated near by them.

Rivers :- Rivers are born in the hills, when the discharge of large no of springs and ~~small~~ streams combine together. In mountains the quantity of water in rivers remains small, therefore called small rivers. River grow bigger and bigger as they move forward due to increase in their catchment area.

Rivers are the only surface water sources which has maximum quantity of water and is the main water supply source of towns & cities. Mostly all the cities which are situated near river discharge their used water of sewage in the rivers. River has self purifying action and it automatically become clear.

Ponds :- These are depressions in plains like lakes of mountains, in which water is collected during rainy seasons. Sometimes ponds are formed when much excavation is done for constructing Kuecha houses in villages, embankment of road, & railway etc. Generally it contains small amount of water and it contains large amount of impurities.

The water of ponds is used for washing clothes, animals bathing and drinking. It cannot be used for water supply purpose due to its limited quantity & large amount of impurities.

Impounded Reservoir :-

Mostly it is found that there is great variation in the quantity of river water during monsoon and summer season. The discharge in some rivers remains sufficient to meet the hot weather demand, but in some rivers the flow becomes very small and cannot meet the requirement of hot weather. In such cases it becomes essential to store water for summer season. The water can be stored in the river by constructing a bund, a weir or a dam across the river at such places where minimum area of land is submerged in the water and the reservoir basin remain cup-shaped having maximum possible depth of water.

\* From the reservoir we can supply water to the towns or cities.

| (c) Year      | Population | Increase in Population |
|---------------|------------|------------------------|
| 1940          | 8,000      | 4,000                  |
| 1950          | 12,000     | 5,000                  |
| 1960          | 17,000     | 5,500                  |
| 1970          | 22,500     |                        |
| Total         |            | 19,500                 |
| Avg. Increase |            | 4833                   |

Possible population of year 1980 =  $22,500 + 1 \times 4833 = 27,333$

Possible population of year 1990 =  $27,333 + 1 \times 4833 = 32,166$

Possible population of year 2000 =  $32,166 + 1 \times 4833 = 36,999$