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THREE (3) OTHER QUESTIONS.

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- Q1** A communal domestic water supply is proposed. Design population is 16500 people. Water demand characteristics are tabulated in Table Q1 below.

Table Q1: Data on average daily demand.

User type	Average daily demand, L/d per person
Domestic	320
Commercial	10
Industrial	10
Public	10
Loss	10

- (a) Design a rectangular pre-sedimentation basin, given the following:

Detention time (t) = 3h

Depth (D) = 1.5m

Overflow rate (OFR) = 200 m³/d per metre length of overflow weir.

Determine the length (L), width (W), and overflow length of the basin.

Assume:

(i) Design flow = Maximum daily demand = 2 x Average daily demand

(ii) L = 10W.

(10 marks)

- (b) Design a rectangular cascade aerator that requires 0.2m² of surface area per litre/second of flow.

Determine the length (L), and breadth (W) of each cascade.

Assume:

(i) Design flow = Maximum daily flow = 2 x Average daily flow

(ii) There are six (6) cascades, each 1m deep

(iii) L = 6W.

(5 marks)

- (c) Design a rectangular flocculation tank (length, L and width, W), given the following:

Design flow = Maximum daily flow = 2 x Average daily flow

Product $G.t = 3.5 \times 10^4$

Velocity gradient, $G = 25$ per second

Tank depth (D) = 1.5m

$L = 6W$.

Calculate the electrical power required to flocculate the tank contents, using:

$$P = G^2 \cdot V \cdot \mu$$

Where: P = Power in kilowatts (kW)
G = Velocity gradient, per second
V = Volume of the tank, m³
 μ = Dynamic viscosity of water, 0.798×10^{-3} (N-s)/m²

(10 marks)

Q2 A water supply scheme is proposed. Demand characteristics at full plant capacity are as follows:

- Population = 10,000 people
- Domestic demand (average) = 0.32m^3 per day per person
- Industrial demand = 30% of the average domestic demand
- Agriculture demand = 50% of the average domestic demand
- Fire fighting flow = $2725\text{ m}^3/\text{d}$
- Duration to put off the fire = 2h

Other information:

- Maximum Daily Demand = 2 x Average Daily Demand
- Peak Hourly Demand = 3 x Average Daily Demand
- Plant operation = 24h/d

You are to provide a preliminary design of the following components for the proposed treatment works:

- (i) Power capacity of a low lift pump based on maximum daily flow (assume effective lift = 15m).
- (ii) Capacity of a high lift pump based on peak hourly flow (assume effective lift = 50m).
- (iii) Volume of balancing (equalizing) tank, assuming this volume = 25% of maximum daily flow (based on 24h/d plant operation).

The formula for calculating pump power is given by:

$$P \text{ (in kW)} = (0.1135) (\text{Design flow, MLD}) (\text{Effective lift, meter})$$

(25 marks)

Q3 Two processes applied at a water supply works are described as follows.

- Alum coagulation for removing turbidity. Sludge formed is $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$. (Atomic weights: Al=27; O=16; H=1).
- Carbonate softening for removing magnesium (Mg^{2+}) hardness. Sludge formed is MgCO_3 . (Atomic weights: Mg =24; C=12; O=16).

With respect to the two different types of sludge and for a given design flow for the water works, explain the following:

- (i) Requirement of surface loading rate (SLR). SLR has the units of velocity (m/d) or m^3/d of flow per square metre (m^2) of tank surface area.
- (ii) Sludge produced and hence tank volume requirement for sludge handling, and retention time in the tank.

(25 marks)

- Q4**
- (a) Explain the differences between sterilization and disinfection as used in water treatment. (2 marks)
 - (b) Explain why you need to have residual chlorine in treated water. (2 marks)
 - (c) Sketch a graph of residual chlorine versus chlorine dose. (2 marks)
 - (d) What is breakpoint chlorination? (2 marks)
 - (e) What is disinfection-by-product (DBP)? (2 marks)
 - (f) Explain why the use of chlorine gas is not encouraged at a treatment plant. (2 marks)
 - (g) Ozone is used for disinfection of bacteria in water. If a kill of 99.9% is required with ozone residual of 0.5 mg/l, determine the contact time (in seconds) needed.

Use the following equation to calculate t.

$$t = (1/k) \log_{10} (N_0/N_t)$$

Where: t = contact time (seconds)

N_0 = Initial number of bacteria (number or percent)

N_t = Number of organisms remaining (not killed) after time t

k = Disinfection constant for ozone = 2.5×10^{-2} per second.

(13 marks)

- Q5** (a) You are required to design several slow sand filters (SSF) based on a total design flow of 3.5 MLD, given the following:

Number of filters, $N = 2.7 (\text{Total design flow, MGD})^{1/2}$
Hydraulic application rate = $10 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}$ per surface area, m^2
Depth of filter, $D = 1 \text{ m}$
1 Gallon = 3.785 L
Design flow = Peak hourly flow = 3 x Average daily flow
Filter is square in shape.

Determine:

- (i) Number of filters
- (ii) Design flow for every filter
- (iii) Surface area of every filter
- (iv) Length (L) and Width (W) of every filter.

(15 marks)

- (b) List the differences between Slow Sand Filter (SSF) and Rapid Sand Filter (RSF).
(10 marks)

- S1** Bekalan air dicadangkan untuk penduduk seramai 16500 orang. Ciri-ciri keperluan air adalah seperti Jadual **S1** berikut.

Jadual S1: Purata kegunaan air harian

Pengguna	Purata kegunaan air harian, liter sehari seorang
Domestik	320
Perniagaan	10
Kilang	10
Awam	10
Kehilangan	10

Dengan menggunakan maklumat dalam Jadual **S1**, anda dikendaki merekabentuk komponen loji air seperti berikut:

- (a) Sebuah tangki pra-enapan segi-empat bujur menggunakan maklumat berikut:

Masa tahanan (t) = 3jam
 Ukurdalam (D) tangki = 1.5m
 Kadar limpahan = $200 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$ per meter panjang limpahan

Tentukan panjang (L), lebar (W), dan panjang limpahan tangki.
 Anggap:

- (i) Kadaralir rekabentuk = Kadaralir harian maksima = $2 \times$ Kadaralir harian purata
 (ii) $L = 10W$.

(10 markah)

- (b) Satu tangki pengudaraan air terjun berasaskan keperluan 0.2 m^2 luas permukaan per liter/saat kadaralir rekabentuk.

Kadaralir rekabentuk ialah kadaralir harian maksima, iaitu, 2 kali ganda kadaralir harian purata. Kesemuanya ada enam (6) tangki kecil air terjun pada ukurdalam yang sama, iaitu $D = 1 \text{ m}$.

Tentukan panjang (L) dan lebar (W) setiap tangki kecil air terjun.

(5 markah)

- (c) Rekabentuk satu tangki flokulasi segi-empat bujur, jika diberi maklumat berikut:

Kadaralir rekabentuk = Kadaralir harian maksima = 2 x Kadaralir harian purata

$$G.t = 3.5 \times 10^4$$

Cerun halaju, $G = 25$ per saat

Ukurdalam tangki (D) = 1.5m

Panjang tangki (L) = 6 x Lebar (W).

Tentukan saiz tangki (L dan W) dan juga kuasa letrik yang diperlukan untuk membaaur tangki, menggunakan formula berikut.

$$P = G^2 \cdot V \cdot \mu$$

Di mana: P = Kuasa, Watts (W)
G = Cerun halaju, per saat
V = Isipadu tangki, m³
 μ = Kelikatan dinamik air, 0.798×10^{-3} (N-saat)/m²

(10 markah)

S2 Satu projek bekalan air dirancang. Berikut adalah maklumat berkaitan rekabentuk projek:

Bilangan penduduk = 10,000 orang
 Keperluan domestik (purata) = 0.32m^3 sehari seorang
 Keperluan industri (purata) = 30% daripada keperluan domestik
 Keperluan pertanian (purata) = 50% daripada keperluan domestik
 Kadar alir pemadaman api = $2725\text{ m}^3/\text{hari}$
 Masa memadam api = 2 jam
 Keperluan harian maksima = 2 x Keperluan harian purata
 Keperluan jaman kemuncak = 3 x Keperluan harian purata
 Air terawat dipam terus kepada pengguna 24jam sehari.

Anda dikehendaki merekabentuk komponen rawatan air berikut:

- (i) Pam kuasa rendah berdasarkan kadar alir harian maksima. Anggap *effective lift* pam bersamaan 15m.
- (ii) Pam kuasa tinggi berdasarkan kadar alir jaman kemuncak (Anggap *effective lift* pam bersamaan 50m).
- (iii) Isipadu tangkiimbangan
- (iv) Isipadu tangki air bersih (Anggap isipadu tangki 25% daripada keperluan harian maksima).

Kuasa pam boleh dikira menggunakan formula berikut:

$$P (kW) = (0.1135) (Kadar alir rekabentuk, MLD) (Effective lift, meter)$$

(25 markah)

S3 Berikut ialah dua proses yang digunakan di sebuah loji rawatan air.

- Pengentalan berasaskan alum untuk penyingkiran kekeruhan. Enapcemar terjana ialah $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$.
- Pelembutan berasaskan karbonat (CO_3) untuk penyingkiran kekerasan magnesium (Mg^{2+}). Enapcemar terjana ialah MgCO_3 .

Berpandukan dua jenis enapcemar di atas dan untuk satu kadar alir rekabentuk loji tersebut, terangkan perkara-perkara berikut:

- (i) Keperluan surface loading rates (SLR). (Unit SLR ialah unit halaju (m/hari) atau kadar alir (m^3/hari) per keluasan permukaan tangki, m^2).
- (ii) Enapcemar, dan seterusnya isipadu tangki untuk enapcemar dan juga masa tahanan dalam tangki.

(Berat atom: Al=27; O=16; H=1; Mg=24; C=12)

(25 markah)

- S4**
- (a) Terangkan perbezaan antara sterilization dan disinfection dalam merawat air. (2 markah)
 - (b) Terangkan mengapa klorin lebih perlu dihadirkan dalam air terawat. (2 markah)
 - (c) Lakarkan graf klorin lebih melawan dos klorin. (2 markah)
 - (d) Terangkan *breakpoint chlorination*. (2 markah)
 - (e) Terangkan disinfection-by-products (DBPs)? (2 markah)
 - (f) Terangkan mengapa penggunaan gas klorin tidak digalakkan di loji. (2 markah)
 - (g) Ozon digunakan untuk pembasmian bakteria dalam air. Jika peratus pembasmian bakteria (pembunuhan) ialah 99.9% dengan ozon lebih sebanyak 0.5 mg/l, tentukan masa tindakan antara klorin dan bakteria (t dalam saat).

Berikut ialah formula untuk kiraan t:

$$t = (1/k) \log_{10} (N_0/N_t)$$

di mana: t = Masa tindakan antara klorin dan bacteria (saat)
 N_0 = Populasi bakteria peringkat permulaan (bilangan atau peratus)
 N_t = Populasi bakteria yang masih hidup selepas masa t
 k = Pekali pembasmian untuk ozon, 2.5×10^{-2} per saat.

(13 markah)

- S5** (a) Anda dikehendaki merekabentuk beberapa penapis kadar perlahan (SSF) berdasarkan jumlah kadaralir rekabentuk 3.5 MLD, jika diberi parameter-parameter berikut:

Bilangan penapis, $N = 2.7$ (Jumlah kadaralir rekabentuk, MGD)^{1/2}

Kadar aplikasi haidrolik = $10 \text{ m}^3/\text{hari}$ kadaralir rekabentuk per m^2 keluasan penapis

Ukurdalam penapis, $D = 1 \text{ m}$

1 Gallon = 3.785 liter

Kadaralir rekabentuk = Kadaralir jaman kemeucak = 3 x Kadaralir Harian Purata
Penapis berbentuk segi empat sama.

Tentukan:

- (i) Bilangan penapis
- (ii) Kadaralir rekabentuk setiap penapis
- (iii) Keluasan setiap penapis
- (iv) Panjang (L) dan Lebar (W) setiap penapis.

(15 markah)

- (b) Senaraikan perbezaan antara Penapis Kadar Perlahan dan Penapis Kadar Deras

(10 markah)