

APPLIED HYDROLOGY

Course Outcomes: At the end of the course, the student will be able to

- Develop basic tools for analysis of hydrologic processes
- Apply time series models for hydrologic data generation and forecasting
- Knowledge about the hydrologic design concepts and method including estimation of the design flows
- Assess impact of mathematical modeling, Hydrological routing and Reservoir routing
- Discuss about the flood forecasting, Auto regressive and moving average methods, Extreme value distribution methods

SYLLABUS

UNIT I

Introduction: Hydrologic system and hydrologic budget, fundamental laws of hydrology; atmospheric water vapour. Hydrologic Inputs: Precipitation and its forms, snowfall and rainfall; measurement techniques and space-time characteristics

UNIT II

Hydrologic Abstractions: Infiltration – indices, Hortons, Phillips, Green-Ampt methods, depression storage, evaporation, evapo transpiration; measurement techniques and estimation, space time characteristics and their modelling.

UNIT III

Stream flow: Measurement techniques, space-time characteristics, rating curves System Approach: Unit Hydrograph, distribution hydrographs, IUH - Clark and Nash models

UNIT IV

Mathematical Modelling: Linear and Nonlinear models, Physically based models, Hydrological routing – Channel routing – Muskingum, Reservoir routing – Pulse and Goodrich methods

UNIT V

Flood forecasting, Advanced Method of Frequency Analysis Outliers, Time series analysis – Auto regressive and moving average methods, Extreme value distribution methods

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