

SOLUTION MANUAL
for
WATER AND WASTEWATER ENGINEERING
Water Supply and Wastewater Removal

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Chapter 1

Introduction to Water Systems

Problem 1.1

What is the stream flow in MGD for a catchment area of 80 mile² where rainfall rate is 45 in. per year and evaporation rate is 20 in. per year?

Solution:

Runoff rate (R)

$$= \text{rainfall rate} - \text{evaporation rate}$$

$$= (45 - 20) \text{ in/year}$$

$$= 25 \text{ in/year}$$

Conversion factors:

$$1 \text{ in/year} = 1 \text{ in.-mile}^2/(\text{year-mile}^2)$$

$$= 47,600 \text{ gpd/mile}^2$$

$$= 0.0476 \text{ MGD/mile}^2$$

$$= 17.378 \text{ MG/year/mile}^2$$

Stream flow with a runoff rate of 25 in/year

$$= (25) (17.378 \text{ MG/year/mile}^2) (80 \text{ mile}^2)$$

$$= 34800 \text{ MG/year}$$

$$= \mathbf{95.3 \text{ MGD Stream flow}}$$

Evaluation:

$$R = Q/A$$

Where

R = runoff rate

Q = stream flow or runoff flow in the watershed, MGD

A = watershed, catchment, or drainage area, mile²

Runoff rate, $R = (95.3 \text{ MGD}) / (80 \text{ mile}^2) = 1.19 \text{ MGD/mile}^2$, which is **close to 1.0 MGD/mile²** for a typical well-watered watershed in North America

Problem 1.2

A city is served by a raw water reservoir which has a water surface of 5.8 mile² and an average effective depth of 18 ft. Determine the water storage volume.

Solution:

Conversion factor:

$$1 \text{ ft}^3 = 7.48 \text{ gal}$$

$$1 \text{ mile}^2 = 27,878,400 \text{ ft}^2$$

Water storage volume

$$= (5.8 \text{ mile}^2) (27,878,400 \text{ ft}^2/\text{mile}^2) (18 \text{ ft}) (7.48 \text{ gal}/\text{ft}^3)$$

$$= 21.8 \times 10^9 \text{ gal}$$

$$= \mathbf{21.8 \text{ BG}}$$

Problem 1.3

The population of a city is 400,000, and the average daily per capita water demand is 150 gallons per capita per day (gpcd). Determine the city's average daily water demand.

Solution:

Average daily water demand, Q_{ave} , MGD or gpd

$$= (\text{population}) (\text{average daily per capita water demand})$$

$$= (400,000 \text{ persons}) (150 \text{ gpd/person})$$

$$= 60,000,000 \text{ gpd}$$

$$= \mathbf{60 \text{ MGD}}$$

Problem 1.4

How many days of draft can a raw water reservoir support for a city of 400,000 people? The reservoir has a water surface of 5.8 mile² and an average effective depth of 18 ft.

Solution:

Water storage volume calculated from Problem 1.2

$$= 21.8 \times 10^9 \text{ gal.}$$

Average daily water demand calculated from Problem 1.3

$$= 60,000,000 \text{ gpd}$$

Reservoir's allowable days of draft

$$= (21.8 \times 10^9 \text{ gal}) / (60,000,000 \text{ gpd})$$

$$= \mathbf{363 \text{ days of draft.}}$$

Problem 1.5

What percent of mean annual runoff is to be consumed by a city of 400,000 people in an area with (a) rainfall rate = 45 in/year; (b) evaporation rate = 20 in/year; and (c) watershed catchment or drainage area = 80 mile²?

Solution:

Average daily water demand for a city of 400,000 people was calculated in Problem 1.3

$$= 60 \text{ MGD}$$

Annual water consumption per square mile

$$= (\text{average daily water demand}) / (\text{drainage area})$$

$$= (60 \text{ MGD}) / (80 \text{ mile}^2)$$

$$= 0.75 \text{ MGD/mile}^2$$

$$= 750,000 \text{ gpd/mile}^2$$

Mean annual runoff calculated from Problem 1.1

$$= 25 \text{ in/year}$$

$$= 435 \text{ MG/year/mile}^2$$

$$= 1,191,780 \text{ gpd/mile}^2$$

Percent of mean annual runoff consumed by the city

$$= (\text{annual water consumption per square mile}) / (\text{mean annual runoff})$$

$$= (750,000 \text{ gpd/mile}^2) / (1,191,780 \text{ gpd/mile}^2)$$

$$= 0.63$$

$$= \mathbf{63\%}$$

Problem 1.6

Determine the net yield and water storage volume of a rain water system assuming that (a) the net yield of a rain collection facility approximates two-thirds its gross yield; (b) the mean annual rainfall is 25 in/year; (c) the mean annual evaporation rate is 8 in/year; (d) the rain collection roof area equals to 3,200 ft²; and (e) water storage volume equals to 50% of annual net yield.

Solution:

The net mean annual rainfall rate

$$= (25 \text{ in} - 8 \text{ in})/\text{year} = 12 \text{ in/year}$$

Gross yield per year

$$\begin{aligned} &= (3,200 \text{ ft}^2) (17/12 \text{ ft}) (7.48 \text{ gal/ft}^3) \\ &= 33,900 \text{ gal/year.} \end{aligned}$$

Net yield per year

$$\begin{aligned} &= (2/3) (33,900 \text{ gal/year}) \\ &= 22,600 \text{ gal/year} \\ &= \mathbf{61.9 \text{ gpd}} \end{aligned}$$

Recommended water storage volume

$$\begin{aligned} &= 0.5 (22,600 \text{ gal}) \\ &= \mathbf{11,300 \text{ gal}} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 1.7

Determine the storage volume of a new raw water reservoir in accordance with the following given technical information: (a) city population = 400,000; (b) water consumption = 150 gpcd; (c) watershed or catchment area = 80 mile²; (d) rainfall rate = 45 in/year; (e) evaporation rate = 20 in/year; (f) minimum reservoir volume = 50 % annual net yield, or half of a year's water supply, whichever is greater; (g) 75 % water resources development.

Solution:

Reservoir storage volume based on annual net yield

$$\begin{aligned} &= (45 \text{ in/year} - 20 \text{ in/year}) [(0.0476 \text{ MGD} / \text{mile}^2) / (1 \text{ in/year})] \times (0.75) (80 \text{ mile}^2) (0.5 \times 365 \text{ d}) \\ &= (1.19 \text{ MGD/mile}^2) (0.75) (80 \text{ mile}^2) (0.5 \times 365 \text{ d}) \\ &= 13,030 \text{ MG} \\ &= 13 \text{ billion gal} \end{aligned}$$

Reservoir storage volume based on water supply

$$\begin{aligned} &= (400,000 \text{ persons}) (150 \text{ gpd/person}) (0.5) (365 \text{ d}) \\ &= 60,000,000 \text{ gpd} (0.5) (365 \text{ d}) \\ &= 10.95 \times 10^9 \text{ gal} \\ &= 11 \text{ billion gal} \end{aligned}$$

Select the greater value of 13 billion gal to be the reservoir storage volume.

Problem 1.8

Determine the number of people who can be sustainably supported by a watershed under the following conditions:

(a) watershed area = 80 mile²; (b) annual rainfall rate = 45 in/year; (c) annual evaporation rate = 20 in/year; (d) water resource development = 75 %; (e) raw water reservoir volume to store 50% net annual yield or provide half of a year's water supply, whichever is higher = 13 billion gal; and (f) water consumption rate = 150 gpcd.

Solution:

P = population of a city, which is to be determined.

It is expected that the reservoir will only provide half of a year's water supply = 0.5 x 365 days

$$P (150 \text{ gpcd}) (0.5) (365 \text{ d}) = 13,000,000,000 \text{ gal}$$

Population of a city, which can be adequately supported by the watershed, P

$$= (13,000,000,000 \text{ gal}) / [(150 \text{ gpcd}) (0.5) (365 \text{ d})]$$

$$= \mathbf{475,000}$$

Problem 1.9

Determine the number of people that can be adequately supported by a watershed under the following conditions: (a) watershed area = 80 mile²; (b) water supply system with no reservoir for water storage; (c) low-water flow = 0.1 ft³/s or 64,600 gpd per mile²; and (d) water consumption rate = 150 gpcd.

Solution:

Population that can be sustained

$$= (80 \text{ mile}^2) (64,600 \text{ gpd/mile}^2) / (150 \text{ gpcd})$$

$$= \mathbf{34,500 \text{ people}}$$

Problem 1.10

Make a rough estimate of the ground water movement velocity (ft/day) if (a) all the groundwater laterally within 400 ft of the well comes fully within its influence; and (b) the yield of the aquifer is 258 gpm (gallon per minute); and the aquifer through which ground water moves is 25 ft deep.

Solution:

$$Q = (A) (V) (7.48 \text{ gal/ft}^3)$$

Where

Q = groundwater flow, gpd

A = aquifer cross-sectional area, ft²

V = groundwater moving velocity, ft/d

Groundwater flow = 258 gpm = 371,520 gpd

$$371,520 \text{ gpd} = (25 \times 2 \times 400 \text{ ft}^2) (V) (7.48 \text{ gal/ft}^3)$$

$$V = (371,520) / [(25 \times 2 \times 400) (7.48)] = \mathbf{2.48 \text{ ft/d}}$$

Problem 1.11

Estimate the surface area (ft²) of a slow sand filter that is to deliver water to a village of 1000 people assuming that (a) the average daily water demand = 100 gpcd; (b) the slow sand filter's filtration rate is 3 million gallons per acre per day (MGAD); and (c) two slow sand filters are required, each filter is able to treat the full water flow and one of the two filters is a standby unit.

Solution:

$$Q = A R$$

Where

Qs = water flow treated by a slow sand filter, MGD

A = surface area of a slow sand filter, acre

R = filtration rate of a slow sand filter, MGAD

Water flow from a village of 1000 people at 100 gpcd, Q

$$= (1000 \text{ persons}) (100 \text{ gpcd})$$

$$= 100,000 \text{ gpd}$$

$$= 0.1 \text{ MGD}$$

Conversion factor: 1 acre = 43,560 ft²

Surface area of slow sand filter, A

$$= Q / R$$

$$= (0.1 \text{ MGD}) / (3 \text{ MGAD})$$

$$= 0.0333 \text{ acre}$$

$$= 0.0333 \times 43,560 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$= 1450 \text{ ft}^2$$

Select two slow sand filters, each has a surface area of 1450 ft². One of the two filters is a standby unit.

Problem 1.12

Estimate roughly the size of a water supply pipe leading to a water distributing reservoir serving a small village of 2000 people assuming that (a) the water consumption rate is 100 gpcd; and (b) water velocity in pipe = 3 ft/s.

Solution:

Average daily water demand, Q_{ave}

$$= (2000 \text{ persons}) (100 \text{ gpcd})$$

$$= 200,000 \text{ gpd} = 0.2 \text{ MGD}$$

Conversion factor: 1 MGD = 1.547 ft³/s

Maximum daily water demand, Q_{max}

$$= 1.5 Q_{ave}$$

$$= 1.5 \times 0.2 \text{ MGD}$$

$$= 0.3 \text{ MGD} = 0.464 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$$

$$Q = A V$$

Where

Q = selected design flow, ft³/s

A = cross-sectional area of pipe, ft²

V = water velocity in the pipe, ft/s

Here, $Q = Q_{max} = 1.5 \times Q_{ave} = 0.464 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$ for designing a conduit leading to a distributing reservoir; $V = 3 \text{ ft/s}$

Area of a circular conduit, $A = Q/V$

$$= (0.464 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}) / (3 \text{ ft/s})$$

$$= 0.1547 \text{ ft}^2$$

$A = \pi D^2/4$ where D = diameter of a pipe, ft

$$0.1547 \text{ ft}^2 = (D^2) (0.785)$$

$$D = 0.444 \text{ ft} = 5.32 \text{ in}$$

Select the nominal size of 6 in. for a circular conduit leading to the distributing reservoir.

Problem 1.13

Determine the diameter of a water main to serve a residential area, assuming (a) an average water demand of 150 gpcd; (b) population = 30,000; (c) fire flow requirement = 500 gpm; and (d) recommended water velocity = 3.5 ft/s.

Solution:

Residential average daily water demand

$$= (30,000) (150)$$

$$= 4,500,000 \text{ gpd}$$

$$= 1,875 \text{ gpm}$$

$$\text{Total water demand} = 1,875 + 500 = 2,375 \text{ gpm} = 2,375 / (60 \times 7.48) = 5.2 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$$

$$Q = A V$$

Where

Q = water flow selected for design, ft³/s

A = cross-sectional area of a pipe, ft²

V = water velocity in the pipe, ft/s

Here Q = 5.2 ft³/s and V = 3.5 fps, then

$$A = Q/V$$

$$= 5.2/3.5$$

$$= 1.49 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$A = 1.49 = \pi D^2/4$$

$$D = 1.37 \text{ ft} = 16.5 \text{ in.}$$

Select the next nominal size of 24 in for the water distribution pipe

Problem 1.14

Roughly, what is the replacement cost of the waterworks of a city of 10,000 people?

Solution:

Assuming a per capita cost of \$1,800, the total first cost is $1,800 \times 10,000 = \$18,000,000$

Assuming that 30% of this amount is invested in the collection works, 10% in the purification works, and 60% in the distribution works, the breakdown is as follows:

(a) Collection works, $0.3 \times 18,000,000 = \$5,400,000$

(b) Purification works, $0.10 \times 18,000,000 = \$1,800,000$

(c) Distribution works, $0.60 \times 18,000,000 = \$10,800,000$.