Q1: Write down the factors affecting the coastal aquifers. Ans:



# Q2: What are the countermeasures available for controlling the saltwater intrusion in coastal aquifers?

Ans:

The available countermeasures are listed below

- Demand Management
- Non-potable Water Reuse
- Modified Pumping Rates
- Pumping Caps
- Well Relocation
- Conjunctive Use
- Aquifer Storage and Recovery



Q3: Explain the Bodon Ghyben-Herzberg Principle using simple sketches. Ans:

### Q4: Write down the classification of Hydraulic management strategies. Ans:

Hydraulic Management

- Embedding Approach
  - Finite Difference or Finite Element based discretization of governing equation as constraints of management model
- Linked Simulation Optimization Approach
  - Externally linked simulation model as binding constraint
- Meta-Model Based Approach
  - Response Matrix Approach-Linear Model as constraints of management model
  - Soft Computing Models (Artificial Neural Network, Support Vector Machine) as constraints of management model

## Q5: Define Monitoring Network Design. Write down the types of long-term monitoring network design approaches.

**Ans:** Monitoring Network Design is the method for selection of sampling schedule under budgetary limitation.

Types of long-term monitoring network design approaches

Ambient monitoring

- ✓ Regional, annual monitoring for water safety.
- Detection monitoring
  - ✓ Watch a dangerous spot
- Compliance monitoring
  - $\checkmark$  Evaluate the progress of a management policy
- Research monitoring
  - ✓ Monitoring for a specific research purpose

#### Q6: Write down the governing equations for combined surface-subsurface modeling.



Governing equation for 1-D Surface Flow  $\frac{\partial \mathbf{U}}{\partial \mathbf{U}} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}}{\partial \mathbf{F}} = \mathbf{S}$ 

$$\partial t \quad \partial x$$
  
with

$$\mathbf{U} = \begin{cases} h \\ q \end{cases}, \mathbf{F} = \begin{cases} q \\ \frac{q^2}{h} + \frac{gh^2}{2} \end{cases}, \mathbf{S} = \begin{cases} R - I \\ gh(S_0 - S_f) \end{cases}$$

Where,

- h =flow depth,
- q = discharge per unit width,
- g = acceleration due to gravity,

R = volumetric rainfall per unit surface area,

- I = volumetric infiltration per unit area,
- $S_0$  = bottom slope in the direction of flow,
- $S_f$  = friction slope.

Governing equation for 2-D subsurface flow (Richards equation):

$$\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ K(\psi) \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left[ K(\psi) \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z} - 1 \right) \right]$$
  
Where

 $\theta$  = volumetric moisture content,  $\psi$  = pressure head,

 $K(\psi)$  = unsaturated hydraulic conductivity

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