

## **ENERGY DISSIPATORS**

**9.1** Water depth and Froude number at the entrance of the stilling basin are 0.5 m and 6, respectively. Determine the length of the hydraulic jump and calculate the energy dissipated in the hydraulic jump with the analytical and graphical solution.

**9.2** Unit discharge ( $q$ ) is given  $6 \text{ m}^3/\text{m.s}$  in an energy dissipator. Water depth on upstream of hydraulic jump and downstream normal water depth is 0.6 m and 2.5 m, respectively. Determine the type of energy dissipator comparing water depth on downstream of hydraulic jump and downstream normal water depth.

**9.3** Maximum, minimum and average discharges in an energy dissipator are given as  $1300 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ ,  $40 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ ,  $135 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ , respectively. Water depths on downstream of the hydraulic jump and downstream normal water depths are shown in Table 1 for each discharge. Determine the type of energy dissipator by using rating curves for each discharge.

**Table 1** Water depths on downstream of hydraulic jump and downstream water depths

	Maximum discharge ( $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )	Maximum discharge ( $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )	Average discharge ( $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )
Water depth on downstream of the hydraulic jump (m)	2.5	0.9	1.8
Downstream normal water depth (m)	3.5	0.5	1.5

**9.4** Determine the dimensions of the stilling basin if water depth on downstream of the hydraulic jump and downstream normal water depth are 2.8 m and 1.6 m, respectively.

**9.5** Difference between crest elevation and the bottom of downstream is 10.5 m and the average velocity over a diversion weir is 0.4 m/s. Unit discharge ( $q$ ) is  $4 \text{ m}^3/\text{m.s}$  if the spillway water depth is 1.5 m. Find water depth and velocity on the toe of the diversion weir (Neglect the spillway losses).

**9.6** The length of a diversion weir and the fall height of the weir are 150 m and 25 m, respectively. Unit discharge ( $q$ ) is given as  $4.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{m.s}$  if water nappe can be 2 m, find water depth on the toe of the weir.

**9.7** Crest length of a diversion weir and elevation difference between crest and stilling basin are 42 m and 12 m, respectively. Discharge is given  $147 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ . Find critical water height over the weir and water depth at the toe of the weir.

**9.8** Velocity on the upstream of the hydraulic jump and Froude number are given for 2 cases in Table 2. Determine the dimensions and type of stilling basin for each case.

**Table 2** Velocities and Froude numbers for Question 9.8

	Velocity (m/s)	Froude Number
<b>Case 1</b>	3	1.4
<b>Case 2</b>	5	2.0

**9.9** Determine the dimensions of the stilling basin if velocity on the upstream of the hydraulic jump is  $7 \text{ m/s}$  ( $Fr=4.0$ ).