
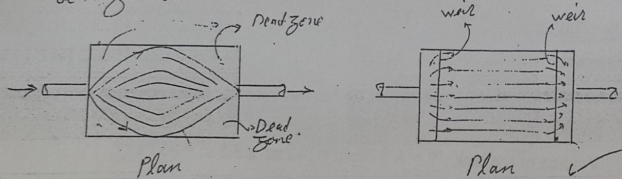


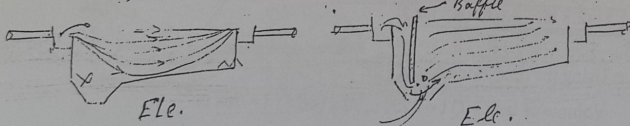
\* Factors affecting efficiency of sedimentation

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- ① Retention Period.  $E \propto T$
- ② velocity of flow  $V_h$ .  $E \propto \frac{1}{V_h}$
- ③ Surface Loading Rate (over flow rate).  $E \propto \frac{1}{S.L.R}$
- ④ Size and shape of particle. 
- ⑤ Density of Particle  $E \propto P$
- ⑥ Density of fluid (water)  $E \propto \frac{1}{\rho}$  water viscosity
- ⑦ Turbulance & Eddies
- ⑧ Increasing size of particles by using chemicals
- ⑨ Inlet and outlet arrangement in order to avoid dead zones.

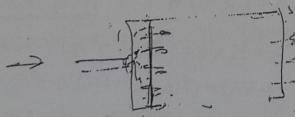


\* using weirs at the inlet and outlet of tank

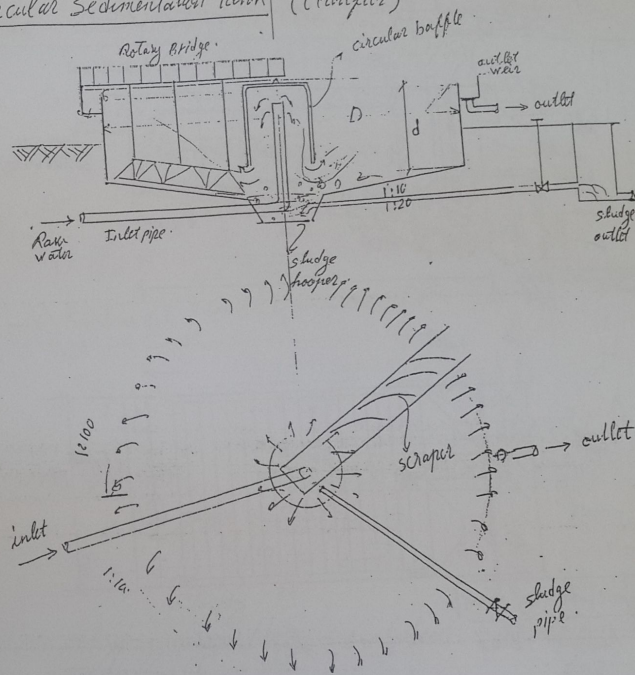


\* using Baffle at the beginning of the tank

- ⑩ Dimensions of Tank. (width, Length,  $L/B$ , surface area)
- ⑪ Concentration of suspended solids.
- ⑫ sludge collection & removal;



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Circular Sedimentation Tank (Clarifier)

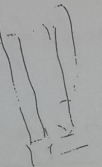


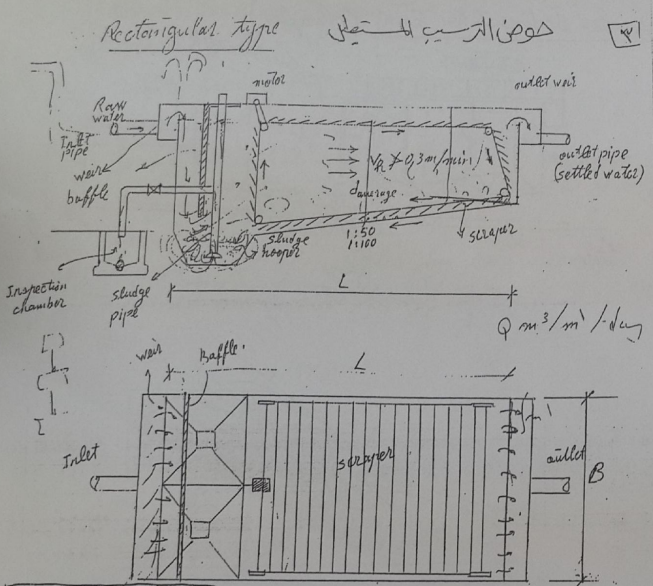
Design Criteria of tank

the same as for rectangular tank, except.

Diameter  $\neq 35m$

O.F.W  $\neq \frac{300}{300} m^3/m^2/day$





- Design criteria of Tank:**
- Retention Period  $T = 3-5$  hr.
  - depth  $d = 3-5$  m
  - horizontal velocity  $V_h \neq 0.3$  m/min
  - $\frac{L}{B} = 3:5$  max  $L \neq 50$  m, max  $B = 10-12$  m.  
 $\frac{B}{d} = 2 \rightarrow 3$
  - Surface loading rate (O.F.R.) =  $\frac{Q}{\text{surface area}} = 25 \rightarrow 40$  m<sup>3</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>/day
  - Allowable hydraulic load on outlet weir  $\neq 300$  m<sup>3</sup>/m/day,  $\neq 150$  m<sup>3</sup>/m/day
  - velocity of flow  $\neq 0.3$  m/min  
 $v = \frac{Q_d}{\text{No. of Tanks} \times R \times D}$

\* Surface Loading Rate (Over Flow Rate)  $\frac{Q_d}{\text{surface area}}$

S.L.R (O.F.R.) =  $25 \rightarrow 40$  m<sup>3</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>/day

$$O.F.R = \frac{Q_d}{\text{No. of Tanks} \times \text{Surface area}}$$

$$O.F.R = \frac{Q_d}{n \times L \times B}$$

in case of Rectangular.

$$O.F.R = \frac{Q_d}{n \times \frac{\pi d^2}{4}}$$

in case of circular.

\* Over Flow Weir

O.F.W  $\neq 300$  m<sup>3</sup>/m/day

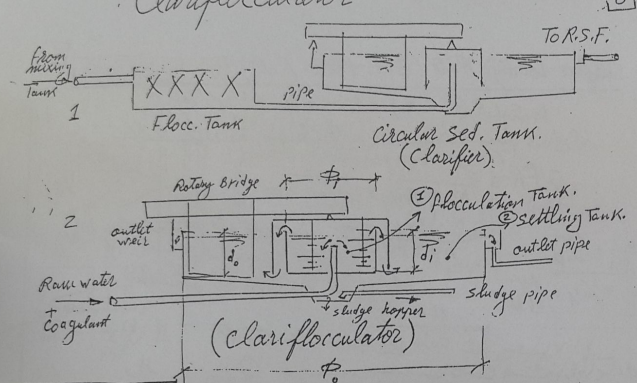
$$L = \frac{Q}{\frac{O.F.W \times W.P.}{24}}$$

(check if it is)

$$O.F.W = \frac{Q}{L \times \frac{W.P.}{24}}$$

(check if it is)

# Clariflocculator



\* Clariflocculator  
 (جمع بين عملية الفلوكوليشن والرسوب)  
 Sedimentation

**Design Data**

\* Outer Tank  
 $T_o = 25 \rightarrow 3.5$  hr for sed.  
 $+ 1/3 \rightarrow 1/2$  hr for flocc.

\*  $d_o = 3 \rightarrow 5$  m.  
 $\phi_o \geq 35$  m.  
 $n_o \geq 2$

\* Inner Tank  
 $T_i = 1/3 \rightarrow 1/2$  hr.

$d_i = d_o - (0.5 - 1.0)$  m.  
 $\phi_i = (1/3 \rightarrow 1/2) \phi_o$   
 $n_i = n_o \geq 2$

\* Checks

\* O.F.R. =  $25 - 40 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day} = \frac{Q (\text{m}^3/\text{d}) / n_o}{\frac{\pi}{4} [\phi_o^2 - \phi_i^2]}$

\*  $V_h \geq 0.3 \text{ m/min} = \frac{Q (\text{m}^3/\text{min}) / n_o}{\pi \phi_o \times d_o}$

\* Hyd. hd. on outlet weir =  $150 \rightarrow 600 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$   
 $= \frac{Q (\text{m}^3/\text{d}) / n_o}{\pi \phi_o}$

Example: It is required to design the number and dimensions of sedimentation tanks given the following data:

Design flow:  $50000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$   
 Retention Time: 3 hrs  
 Depth: 4 m  
 Working Period: 24 hrs/day

Solution:  $Q_{des} = 50000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$   
 $= \frac{50000 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}}{24 \text{ hrs/d}} = 2083 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}$   
 $= \frac{2083 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}}{60 \text{ min/hr}} = 34.72 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$

Volume =  $Q \times T$   
 $= 2083 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr} \times 3 \text{ hr} = 6250 \text{ m}^3$

Total Area =  $\frac{\text{Volume}}{\text{Depth}} = \frac{6250}{4} = 1562.5 \text{ m}^2$

**Rectangular**

$\frac{L}{W} = 3:5$   
 $\frac{W}{d} = 2:3$   
 Take  $L = 4W$   
 $\therefore L = 40 \text{ m}$  &  $W = 10 \text{ m}$   
 $\therefore A = 400 \text{ m}^2$   
 $n = \frac{A_{total}}{A} = \frac{1562.5}{400} = 3.9$   
 Take  $n = 4$   
 $A = \frac{1562.5}{4} = 390.6 \text{ m}^2$   
 $\therefore 390.6^2 = W \times 4W$   
 $\therefore W = 9.9 \text{ m}$   
 $L = 39.5 \text{ m}$

**Circular**

Total surface Area =  $n \left( \frac{\pi \phi^2}{4} \right)$   
 Take  $\phi = 31.6$  &  $n = 962$   
 $\therefore n = \frac{A_{total}}{A_{unit}} = \frac{1562}{962}$   
 $= 1.6$  Take  $n = 2$   
 $\therefore \phi = \sqrt{\frac{1562.5 \times 4}{2 \times \pi}} = 31.6 \text{ m}$

Check: S.L.R. =  $\frac{50000}{2 \times 962} = 26 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$   
 $> 25$   
 $\therefore \text{O.K. } \geq 40$

Check: S.L.R. =  $\frac{Q}{n \times A \times d} = \frac{50000}{4 \times 390.6 \times 4} = 32 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d} > 25$   
 $\therefore \text{O.K. } \geq 40$

$V_h = \frac{Q}{n \times W \times d} = \frac{34.72 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}}{4 \times 9.9 \times 4} = 0.22 \text{ m/min}$   
 $< 0.3 \text{ m/min}$   
 $\therefore \text{O.K. } \geq 0.3 \text{ m/min}$

Length of weir =  $\frac{Q}{n \times \phi} = \frac{50000}{2 \times 31.6} = 785 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}$   
 $> 150$   
 $\therefore \text{O.K. } \geq 150$

Example: Design the sedimentation tanks for a water treatment plant of an daily output of 30000 m<sup>3</sup> and working 24 hrs per day. The maximum surface loading rate in the sedimentation tank is 30 m<sup>3</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>/d and depth is 4m.

Sol:  $S.L.R = \frac{Q \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{A \text{ m}^2} = \frac{30000}{30} = 1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$   
 $\therefore \text{Area} = \frac{Q \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{S.L.R} = \frac{30000}{30} = 1000 \text{ m}^2$   
 $\therefore \text{Volume} = \text{Area} \times \text{depth} = 1000 \text{ m}^2 \times 4 \text{ m} = 4000 \text{ m}^3$   
 $\text{Time} = \frac{\text{Volume m}^3}{Q \text{ m}^3/\text{d}} = \frac{4000}{30000} = 0.133 \text{ day} = 3.2 \text{ hrs}$

Rectangular

Choose  $a = 50 \text{ m} \times 10 \text{ m} = 500 \text{ m}^2$   
 $\therefore \text{No. of tanks (n)} = \frac{A}{a} = \frac{1000 \text{ m}^2}{500 \text{ m}^2} = 2 \text{ tanks}$   
 $\therefore 2 \text{ tanks with } L=50 \text{ m}, W=10 \text{ m}, d=4 \text{ m}$

Circular

Choose  $\phi = 35 \text{ m}$   
 $\therefore a = \pi \frac{(35)^2}{4} = 962 \text{ m}^2$   
 $\therefore \text{No. of Tanks (n)} = \frac{A}{a} = \frac{1000}{962} = 1.04$   
 note that min n is 2  
 $\therefore \text{Actual } a = \frac{A}{2} = \frac{1000}{2} = 500 \text{ m}^2$   
 $\therefore \text{actual } \phi = 25.2 \text{ m}$

Check  $V_h = \frac{30000}{24 \times 60} = 0.26 \text{ m/min}$   
 $\neq 0.3 \text{ m/min}$   
 O.K.

Check  $V_h = \frac{Q_{\text{des}}}{n \cdot \phi \cdot d} = \frac{30000}{2 \times 25.2 \times 4} = 0.103 \text{ m/min}$   
 $(\text{OK}) < 0.3$

\* Length of weir required =  $\frac{Q \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{OFW \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}}$   
 $= \frac{30000}{300} = 100 \text{ m}$   
 $\therefore \text{Length for each Tank} = \frac{100 \text{ m}}{2 \text{ (number of tanks)}} = 50 \text{ m}$

\*  $OFW = \frac{30000 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{2 \times \pi \times 25.2} = 189.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$   
 $(\text{OK}) \geq 150$   
 $< 300$

Example: Design the rectangular sedimentation tanks required for a water purification plant of a city of population 200,000 Cap and an annual average water consumption of 180 L/c/d.

Solution:  $Q_{\text{des}} = \frac{1.4 \times 180 \times 200000}{24 \times 1000} = 2100 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr} = 2100 \times 24 = 50400 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}$

Assume T (Retention Time) = 3 hrs.  
 $\therefore \text{Volume} = Q \times T = 2100 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr} \times 3 \text{ hr} = 6300 \text{ m}^3$

Assume S.L.R (O.F.R) = 30 m<sup>3</sup>/m<sup>2</sup>/d.  
 $\therefore \text{Total Area} = \frac{Q}{S.L.R} = \frac{50400 \text{ m}^3/\text{d}}{30 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}} = 1680 \text{ m}^2$

$\therefore \text{depth} = \frac{\text{Volume}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{6300}{1680} = 3.75 \text{ m} > 3 \text{ m}$   
 $< 5 \text{ m}$   
 O.K.

For Rectangular type:

$\frac{L}{W} = 3:5 \quad \& \quad \frac{W}{d} = 2:3 \quad \& \quad n \geq 2$

Take  $W = 3d = 3 \times 3.75 = 11.25 \text{ m}$   
 $\& \quad L = 4W = 4 \times 11.25 = 45 \text{ m} < 50 \text{ m}$

$\therefore n = \frac{A}{a} = \frac{1680}{11.25 \times 45} = 3.3$   
 Take  $n = 4$

$\therefore \text{actual } a = \frac{1680}{4} = 420 \text{ m}^2 = 4W \times W \quad \& \quad W = 10.25 \text{ m}$   
 $\therefore L = 4 \times 10.25 = 41 \text{ m}$

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$$V_h = \frac{Q_{des.}}{n \times W \times d} = \frac{50400 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{24 \times 60 \times 4 \times 10.25 \times 3.75 \text{ m}^2} = 0.228 \text{ m/min}$$

< 0.3  
O.K.

$$\text{Hyd. Load on Outlet weir} = \frac{Q_{des.}}{n \times W}$$

$$\therefore n \times W = \frac{50400 \text{ m}^3/\text{day}}{300 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{day}}$$

$$= 168 \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore \text{Length of weir for each Tank} = \frac{168}{4} = 42 \text{ m}$$

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Example: Design the number and dimensions of clariflocculators units, given the following data:

Design Flow	60500 m <sup>3</sup> /day.
Retention Time	3 hrs.
Flocc. Time	0.5 hr.
Depth	3 m
W.P.	24 hr/day.

Solution

Outer Tank	Inner Tank
$C_o = Q_d \times T_o$ $= \frac{60500}{24} \times 3 = 7562 \text{ m}^3$ Assume $d_o = 3 \text{ m}$ $\text{Total } A_o = \frac{C_o}{d_o} = \frac{7562}{3} = 2520 \text{ m}^2$ $\text{max } \phi_o = 35 \text{ m} \therefore A = 962 \text{ m}^2$ $\text{no. of Tanks} = \frac{2520}{962} = 2.6$ Take $n = 3$ $\therefore A_o \text{ actual} = \frac{2520}{3} = 840 \text{ m}^2$ $\therefore 840 = \pi \phi_{act}^2$ $\therefore \phi_{act} = 32.7 \text{ m}$	$C_i = Q_d \times T_i$ $= \frac{60500}{24} \times 0.5 = 1260 \text{ m}^3$ $d_i = 3 - 0.5 = 2.5 \text{ m}$ $\text{Total } A_i = \frac{C_i}{d_i} = \frac{1260}{2.5} = 504 \text{ m}^2$ $n = 3$ $A_i \text{ actual} = \frac{504}{3} = 168 \text{ m}^2$ $\phi_{act} = 14.6 \text{ m}$

$$\text{Check: } + \text{ S.L.R (O.F.R.)} = \frac{Q_d/n}{(A_o - A_i)} = \frac{60500/3}{\frac{\pi}{4} (32.7^2 - 14.6^2)} = 30 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2$$

$$* V_h = \frac{60500 \text{ m}^3}{24 \times 60 \text{ min}} = 0.102 \text{ m/min}$$

$$* \text{Hyd. Load on outlet weir} = \frac{60500/3}{\pi \times 32.7} = 196.2 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$

> 150  
< 300

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