

Morphometric characteristics of watershed :-

Morphometric characteristics cover the quantitative analysis or study of basin morphology, relief, and network.

تدریج

First :-

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Basin Morphology :-

The study of the relationship between basin area and its dimensions

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Importance of morphometric characteristics

Study ?

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1- For determine runoff volume in intermittant and permanent streams.

موقتی

Stream

Intermittant

perennial

Ephemeral

2- For developing programs.

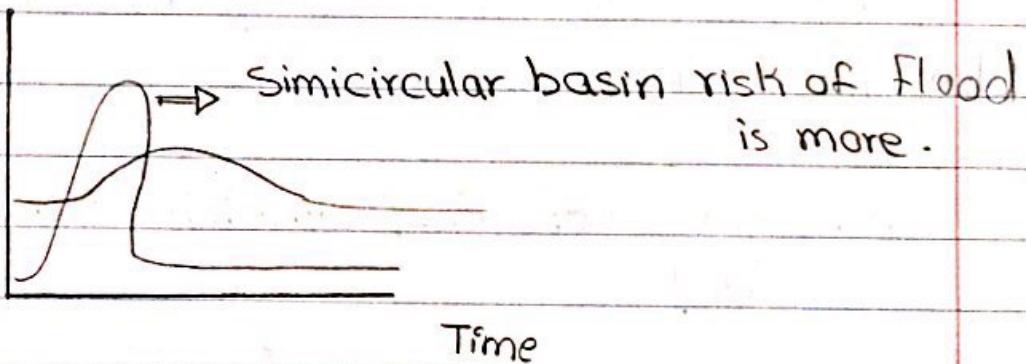
3- For designing irrigation projects.

Basin morphology :-

There is a close relationship between basin shape and runoff pattern.

Semicircular basin yield runoff hydrographs with high peaks and narrow bases the reverse may be true for an elongated one, i.e. elongated basins produce hydrographs with small peaks and broad (wide) bases

discharge = Q



Basin Morphology parameters :-

$$Re = \frac{D}{L}$$

Re = elongation ratio

D = diameter of circle having the same area as the basin (m, km) unit.

L = the longest dimension of the basin.

$Re \approx 1.0$ semicircular

$Re \gg 1.0$ elongated.

نحوه

Re

discretion

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| | |
|-----------|------------------------|
| 0.3 - 0.5 | high |
| 0.5 - 0.7 | medium |
| 0.7 - 0.9 | not rectangular |
| > 0.9 | not rectangular at all |

example :-

Calculate the elongation ratio (Re) for a basin which has an area of (112 Km²) and maximum Length of (35 Km) also Comment on the result .

Answer

$$A = 112 \text{ Km}^2$$

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \Rightarrow 112 = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2$$

$$D^2 = \frac{4 \times 112}{\pi} = \sqrt{\frac{7(4) \times 112}{22}}$$

$$D = \sqrt{\frac{28 \times 112}{22}} = \sqrt{142.54} = 11.93 \text{ Km}$$

$$Re = \frac{D}{L}$$

$$Re = \frac{11.93}{35} = 0.34$$

its high elongated its rectangular to high degree .

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Second:-
perimeter $\Rightarrow P = \pi D$

$$\boxed{R_c = \frac{A}{A_c}}$$

A = area of basin

A_c = area of circular having the same parameter as the basin.

R_c

discrepancy

> 0.6

high

$0.4 - 0.6$

medium

$0.2 - 0.4$

not circular at all

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} P &= \pi D \\ A_c &= \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \\ R_c &= \frac{A}{A_c} \end{aligned}}$$