



**NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF ENGINEERING**  
**COLLEGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**  
**SANITARY ENGINEERING PROGRAM**

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**SA235 – ANALYSIS OF WATER SOURCES AND NETWORKS**

**I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

<b>CODE</b>	: SA235 Analysis of Water Sources and Networks
<b>SEMESTER</b>	: 10
<b>CREDITS</b>	: 3
<b>HOURS PER WEEK</b>	: 5 (Theory, Practice)
<b>PREREQUISITES</b>	: SA216 Water Supply II AA236 Computer Programming II
<b>CONDITION</b>	: Mandatory

**II. COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The course prepares students for the analysis and design of water supply networks. Students determine the hydraulic characteristics of water sources, project de future demand of water, determine demand density and zoning, and use this information for completing the design of a water supply network for a given city. Specialized software is used for designing and simulating the behavior of the network for different working conditions.

**III. COURSE OUTCOMES**

At the end of the course, students:

1. Analyze water sources, flow and pressure characteristics.
2. Project future water demand for different uses (domestic, industrial, etc.).
3. Design water distribution networks, dimensioning, selecting and integrating all of their components.
4. Simulate the behavior of the water distribution networks for different operating conditions, using specialized software.

**IV. LEARNING UNITS**

**1. INTRODUCTION**

Water sources. Types and characteristics. Water networks. Types. Scope.

**2. WATER SOURCES AND WATER AVAILABILITY**

Source types. Surface water. Under river flow. Groundwater. Frozen water. Desalination. Water uses. Drinkable water. Agriculture. Industry. Mining. Domestic. Recreation. Environmental. Projection of future water demand: population growing, economic grow by sectors.

**3. WATER SUPPLY NETWORKS**

Basic design parameters. Types of networks. Components of distribution networks, Primary and secondary networks. Classification of secondary networks. Population density, zoning and allocation. Pre-dimensioning of a matrix network. Considerations for the layout of a matrix network. Coding of system components. Consideration for the determining the flows at pressure nodes. Methods for computing the diameters of pressure pipes of matrix network. Design of an actual water network.

#### **4. ANALYSIS AND SIMULATION OF WATER NETWORKS**

Hydraulic computations. Practical formulas. Design methods and verification methods. Hardy Cross method with flow correction, with head correction. Linear methods and linearization. Newton Raphson method. Gradient-based methods.

Pipes, valves, and accessories. Reservoir, types. Head reservoir, Floating reservoir. Different forms of water distribution. Analysis of special cases.

#### **5. NETWORK OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE**

Construction and operation of distribution networks. SCADA systems. Networks maintenance. Preventive and corrective maintenance.

#### **6. WATER STRESS**

Population growth. Expansion of business activity. Rapid urbanization. Climate change. Depletion of aquifers. Pollution and water protection. Water shortage. Water and conflicts.

### **V. PRACTICE WORK**

Along the course, students use specialized software for the analysis, design and simulation of water networks, completing the following activities:

- Estimation of water demand.
- Zoning, density and allocation.
- Delimitation of service area.
- Pressure zones and pressure nodes.
- Location of hydraulic components.
- Layout of matrix network.
- Coding of water network components.
- Pre-dimensioning of distribution network.
- Network design and simulation for different working conditions.
- Final report with planes.

### **V. METHODOLOGY**

The course develops through theory, practice and computer laboratory sessions. In theory session, the instructor presents the concepts, principles and methods. In practice sessions, students solve different problems related to water distribution networks. In computer laboratory sessions, students use specialized software for completing the design of a water network for a given city in Peru. At the end of the course, students present and defend the design project. Active student participation is encouraged throughout the course.

### **VI. EVALUATION FORMULA**

The average grade PF is calculated as follows:

$$PF = (EP + 2 EF + PC) / 4$$

EP: Mid-term exam      EF: Final exam

PC: Average of quizzes including final report

### **VII. BIBLIOGRAPHY**

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2. **WATER SUPPLY AND NETWORKS**  
Simon Arocha  
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3. **PIPING HYDRAULICS**  
Juan Saldarriaga  
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