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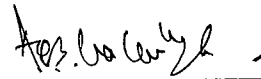
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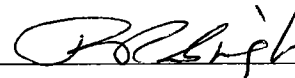
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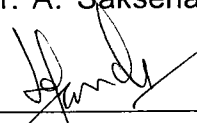
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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

Abbreviations

AET	:	Actual evapotranspiration
AICRPAM	:	All Indian Coordinated Research Project on Agricultural Management
AMC	:	Antecedent Moisture Condition
B/C	:	Benefit-Cost ratio
CBIP	:	Central Board of Irrigation and Power
CF	:	Conservation factor, Conservation factor approach
CGWB	:	Central Ground Water Board
cm	:	Centimetre
CN	:	Curve number, Curve number method
CSE	:	Centre for Science and Environment
cu.m	:	Cubic metre
Deptt.	:	Department
d/s	:	Down stream
ET	:	Evapotranspiration
ET _o	:	Reference crop evapotranspiration
FAO	:	Food and Agriculture Organization
g l ⁻¹	:	Gram per litre
GOI	:	Government of India
GOMP	:	Government of Madhya Pradesh
ha	:	Hectare
hp	:	Horse Power
hr	:	Hour
ICMR	:	Indian Council of Medical Research
i.e.	:	That is
IGAU	:	Indira Gandhi Agricultural University
IMD	:	India Meteorology Department
J-1, J-2	:	Microwatersheds at Jagdalpur (Plateau)
JP-1, JP-2	:	Ponds in microwatersheds 1 and 2 at Jagdalpur
kg	:	Kilogram
km	:	Kilometre
mm	:

M.P.	:	Madhya Pradesh
msl	:	Mean sea level
NARP	:	National Agricultural Research Project
NBSS& LUP	:	National Bureau of Soil Survey and Land Use Planning
NGO	:	Non-government organization
PET	:	Potential evapotranspiration
R-1, R-2	:	Microwatersheds at Raipur (plains)
RP-1, RP-2	:	Ponds in microwatersheds 1 and 2 at Raipur
Rs	:	Rupees
SCS	:	Soil conservation service
SFR	:	Small farm reservoirs
SMW	:	Standard meteorological week
Sq.m.	:	Square metres
t/ha	:	Tonnes per hectare
USDA	:	United States Department of Agriculture
U/s	:	Upstream
viz.	:	Namely
viz.	:	Namely
WHP	:	Water harvesting potential
WUE	:	Water-use efficiency
ZARS	:	Zonal Agricultural Research Station

Symbols

α, β	:	Parameters of Gamma distribution
>	:	Greater than
<	:	Less than
$^{\circ}\text{C}$:	Degree celcius
%	:	Per cent
@	:	At the rate of
\geq	:	Greater than or equal to
\leq	:	Less than or equal to
R^2	:	Coefficient of determination

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

Scarcity of water had been a critical limitation in adoption of modern technologies for increasing productivity of traditional rainfed rice growing areas of Chattisgarh. About 80 per cent cultivated area of the region is under rainfed farming. The principal crop, rice has very low productivity (1.2 t/ha) owing to the shortage of water at critical stages and water logging at initial stages of crop growth. The shortage of water results from uneven distribution of rains, significant gaps between rain events and field water losses. During monsoon the prolonged dryspell is a common feature which occurs twice or thrice in the same season. Their occurrences at the critical crop growth stages, becomes detrimental in realising the full potential of crop. It more often leads to temporary drought and subsequent crop failure over large area. This also causes temporary migration of farmers to the potential areas (Gupta and Prajapati, 1998).

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It has been reported that about 50 per cent of the rainfall occurs in the form of high intensity rains (Pishroty, 1987). It results in flooding of cropped area. The generated runoff alongwith productive soil and nutrients flows from field to field as waste. This excess runoff amounts to about 30-42 and 40-55 per cent in plains and plateau areas of Chhattisgarh respectively (Pal *et al.*, 1994; Sahu, 1999).

Amongst several techniques of rainwater management, small ponds at community level were the most common technique followed by the ancient people. With the pace of development other options viz. large reservoirs, tubewells, diversions overshadowed the pond culture and virtually it became a dying wisdom (CSE, 1997). But the adverse impact of these new techniques in terms of water logging, salinity development

and ground water depletion has forced the researchers and policy makers to look back into the traditional wisdom of pond culture and revive it with latest input of scientific techniques. In Chhattisgarh region, small ponds at farmers level are again becoming popular to alleviate drought and submergence. However, no design specifications are available for runoff water harvesting, storage structures, to support production system, particularly in those areas where ground water availability is either poor or its harnessing is difficult due to unfavourable geologic conditions (Plate 1).

A study is therefore, has been undertaken to investigate into the techno-economic feasibility of runoff harvesting, its storage and recycling for stabilizing biomass production, through improvement in existing rice based farming systems (Plate 2). The major objectives of the study are :

1. To select an appropriate runoff estimation model for water harvesting based on the analysis of the available hydrologic data.
2. To develop alternative designs of drainage system and farm ponds using the model output.
3. To evaluate optimal crop plan for different alternative designs to achieve maximum B/C ratio of the crop production.

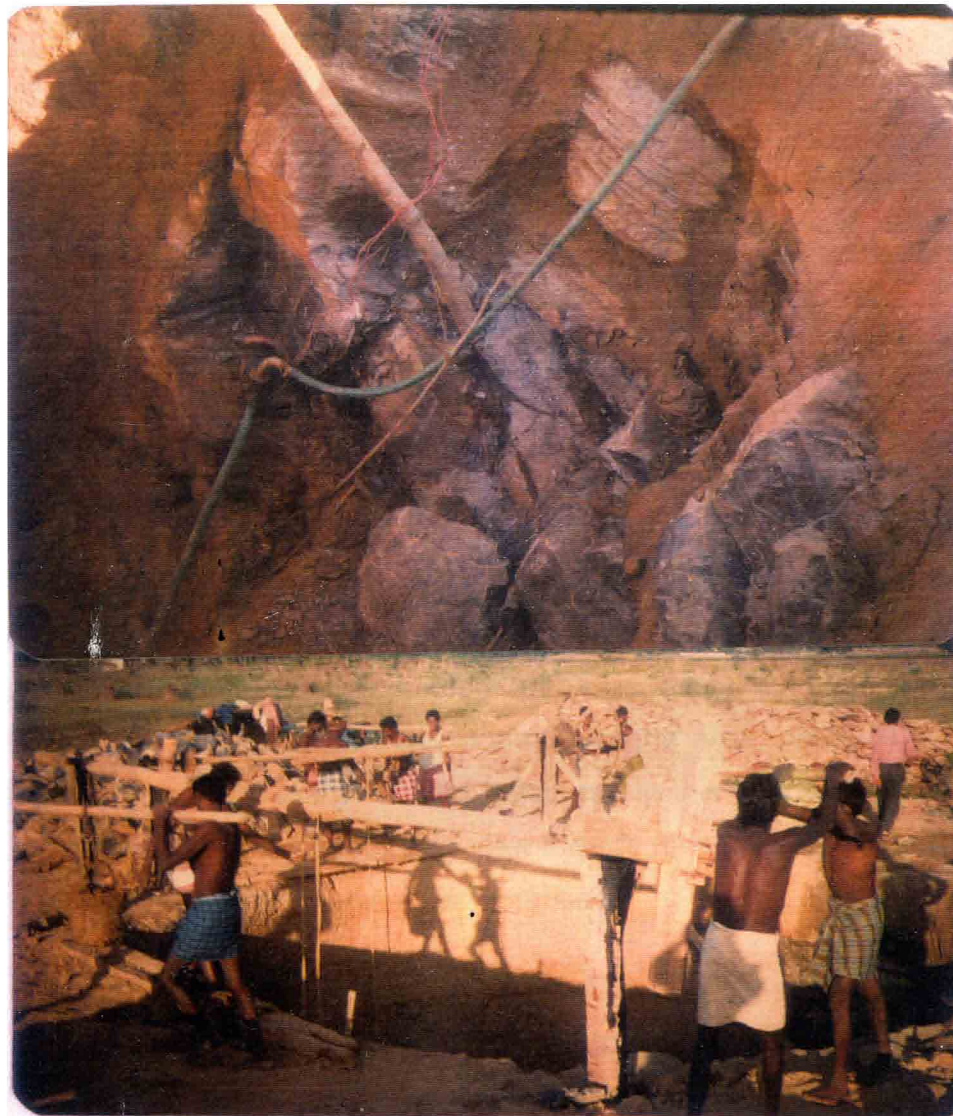


Plate 1. Absence of potential aquifers and presence of hard strata make ground water harnessing difficult.



Plate 2. Rainwater harvesting and recycling has a potential to save crop against drought

CHAPTER II

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

A major characteristic of Indian monsoon, mostly affecting rainfed agriculture is its temporal variability leading to unpredictable drought and floods. It is, therefore, necessary that agricultural planning, through efficient water management in rainfed areas, is taken up on scientific basis to harness available rainwater potential of the area, particularly for the benefit to small and marginal land holdings. In this chapter, a review of the previous work done, keeping in view today's most discussed issues, pertinent to the present study is summarised.

2.1 ECO-FRIENDLY TECHNOLOGY

The potential of rainwater harvesting through small farm reservoirs (SFR) to augment water supply to rainfed areas has been demonstrated by researchers (Sahu and Kadrekar, 1981; Das and Chowdhary, 1988; Bharadwaj and Singh, 1990), extensionists and NGO's (Sinha, 1988; Varghese, 1990). Watershed is considered an ideal unit for managing water, vegetation and soil - the three vital and interdependent natural resources (Singh *et al.*, 1996). The other two major water management procedures viz. large reservoirs with canal networks and groundwater exploitation are proving hazardous besides being cost intensive. Water logging, high water table, salinity build up in canal command areas and declining of water table in tubewell command area are the cause of concern (Sarkar and Singh, 1997). To build large reservoirs or putting up tubewells are often inappropriate because these are either financially or geologically infeasible (Sharma *et al.*, 1982). However, despite of achieving full potential by these two approaches India would still be left with about its 45 per cent area to be managed by other methods of water supplies (Singh *et al.*, 1996). Traditional methods of pond culture

provide solutions and show promise for their revival with modern skills and knowledge (CSE, 1997). Construction of a series of stop dams, tanks, diversions and SFRs utilizing watershed based water management concept is emerging as potential approach in developing local surface water resources for direct use and augmenting the recharge of ground water too. Developing water resources by impounding local surface runoff is perhaps the best option to improve water availability and to reduce environmental hazards. Such on-farm and community based measures in the catchments of major and medium irrigation reservoirs, increase their life by reducing its load (Dhawan, 1991; Sarkar and Bhattacharya, 1991). There is a need for comprehensive management and development of water resources on a microwatershed (MW) basis so that benefits of watershed development will not be restricted to farmers whose fields are in advantageous locations (Bortrall and John, 1991). Research on these storage systems has been conducted in Bangladesh, India, Indonesia and the Philippines to determine their value in conserving rainwater, improving land productivity and the impact on farmer income (Bhuiyan, 1994).

2.2 SUSTAINABILITY

A production system can be considered sustainable in long term only if outputs produced or lost can be balanced with inputs into the system (Lal, 1993). Lack of sustainability in traditional low input systems mostly has its roots in the inadequate control and/or supply of water for crop production. Judicious management of rainwater that improves local hydrology, reduces soil erosion and fertility loss from top soil and reduces runoff losses, contribute to sustainability of the production system (Pal and Bhuiyan, 1995). However, adoption of these new technologies need to be integrated with existing farming systems through interactive process of research and development (Singh, 1996; Sarkar and Singh, 1997) and it needs location specific studies in order to improve production and protection against degradation (Singh and Bhattacharya, 1998).

2.3 FARMER'S FIELD - A CONCEPTUAL MICROWATERSHED

Majority of land holdings in our country (78.2%) are of small and marginal category with average size of 1.43 and 0.39 ha respectively (GOI, 1998). A more or less similar land holding pattern exists in Philippines and Indonesia where SFRs are mostly individually owned and managed by farmers, thus organizational complexity inherent in conventional irrigation technologies is avoided. An individual farmer would find managing a SFR relatively simple and easy (Moya *et al.*, 1994). Farmer's field, if made hydrologically isolated and independent from the surrounding area on even a flat topography by bunding and trenching or by some other means, so that all incoming runoff from upstream (u/s) area is cutoff, it creates artificial microwatershed (MW). Within MW, all rainwater is either conserved and/or stored in SFR through surface drainage system and subsequently recycled for crop production. This symbolizes the judicious use of rainwater, where it falls and is significant in arresting soil and nutrient losses besides avoiding water logging (Pal and Bhuiyan, 1995; Sahu and Chandrakar, 1993).

2.4 RAINFALL VARIABILITY, DROUGHT RISK AND SUBMERGENCE

The influence of weather on yield of rice showed significant relationship with seasonal rainfall in the study area (AICRPAM, 1998).

$$\text{Raipur district : } Y = 230.77 + 0.26 X \text{ (R}^2=0.288^{**}\text{)}$$

$$\text{Bastar district : } Y = 360.55 + 0.33 X \text{ (R}^2 = 0.263^{**}\text{)}$$

** Significant at 1%, X is the rainfall, Y is the rice yield.

Erratic nature of rainfall occurrence - time, space and quantity often results in submergence and drought problems. Drought is one of the significant causes of year to year fluctuations in the rice production (Fukui, 1982). Enormous losses of rice production occur in Eastern India (Widawsky and O'Toole, 1990), as a result large scale migration of farmers take place (Gupta and Prajapati, 1998). Even with high concentration of rainfall events, rainfed rice in many areas and in most

years suffers from in-season drought and consequent loss of yield. Another constraint farmers face is the variation in the timing of the onset and termination of monsoon. Such a situation gives farmers little choice but to adopt a very low risk, low input cropping system, which is directed to giving a stable rather than a high production. Water shortage prevents most farmers from growing an economic non-rice crop during post-monsoon season. Even a marginal improvement in the soil water status in this season can make a significant difference in cropping opportunity and/or yields (Bhuiyan and Zeigler, 1994).

2.5 ROLE OF SFR

The SFR system plays a crucial role in the alleviation of drought and submergence. Established on farm, this system is used to harvest surplus rainfall and runoff produced in the catchment area and in-situ rainfall, and store the water for subsequent use. SFRs or farm ponds have been in use in rural areas since ancient times. But today this time tested technology has acquired a new dimension because of the following reasons :

1. Modern farming technologies have opened up new opportunities for farmers, provided availability of water is ensured.
2. The pressure to produce more crops and a higher income from rainfed land is increasing.
3. Recent research results have shown that scientific management of water resources within MW using SFR as the centerpiece, is economically attractive and socially desirable.

2.6 ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

A major thrust is now underway in Indonesia and Philippines to adopt and adapt the SFR based farming system in a variety of field conditions with the objective of raising productivity and farmer income. But inspite of these recent advances, there is a lack of clear understanding of the range of physical, social, economic, institutional and

environmental factors that favours successful adoption of the system, and allow sustainable benefits to be achieved from use of the concept. Some of the issues and challenges are :

1. Minimum data needed to design SFRs and to site them within MW or to identify areas potentially suited for SFRs.
2. Measures to reduce water losses, economically in SFRs.
3. Sustained availability of water in SFR, as affected by land use in the catchment area.
4. Fish and duck rearing in SFRs as optional activity during storage period, without sacrificing crop production.
5. Low cost, low head, water lifting device to lift water from SFRs for irrigation.
6. The effect of SFR on groundwater status in the long run.
7. Crop diversification selection of remunerative and water efficient crops.

Rainwater harvesting is undoubtedly a sound concept for rainfed areas. Its successful adoption by farmers depends on whether or not the relevant issues and challenges are properly addressed (Bhuiyan and Zeigler, 1994).

2.7 DESIGN OF WATER HARVESTING SYSTEM

Water harvesting for MW can be physically characterised by the presence of 4 components (1) well defined catchment (2) A suitable reservoir (3) Drainage system (4) Irrigation service area/ command area (Galang *et al.*, 1994). SFR based production system offers crop diversification and facilitates remunerative crop production including fish rearing and more intensive cropping (Pal and Bhuiyan, 1995; Sahu, 1996). The SFR technology is highly suitable to mildly rolling landscape with heavy soils where runoff collection and storage are convenient and where

the lower fields can be irrigated by gravity flow. However, the technology can also be adopted in flat areas, using suitable and economic water lifting devices (Moya *et al.*, 1994). Land slope is an important determinant of reservoir suitability. Slopes higher than 2 per cent are required when constructing reservoirs with high storage ratio (Guerra *et al.*, 1988). Excavating type SFR can be constructed in varying toposequence. This is a common situation prevailing in farmer's field. It is generally constructed at the lowest area of MW where a higher water storage capacity per unit volume of earth work is achievable (Sahu, 1999). The ideal location of SFR is in the middle of MW so that a sizable amount of runoff collected in SFRs is used for irrigating lower areas by gravity flow (Radder *et al.*, 1995). Among various shapes, the circular SFRs have the highest storage capacity and have least circumferential length for a given surface area and side slopes (Radder *et al.*, 1995) and it results the minimum wetted perimeter for a given storage thereby reducing seepage losses and least cost of lining or other seepage control measures. However, circular shape is diadvantageous in agricultural operations, fish netting and quite often does not match with the existing field layout (Sahu, 1999).

The design of SFR consists of finding a suitable combination of water spread area and depth of storage at a permissible side slopes and a given storage volume. Krimgold equation (Krimgold and Harrold, 1944) was found to be appropriate for designing SFR capacity and size (Bhandarkar, 1985; Sahu and Chandrakar, 1993) using different water balance and hydrological parameters of a MW.

SFR sizing is a difficult process because of the scarcity of information on the stochastic nature of runoff yield and irrigation water requirement and storage losses. Historically, pond sizing has been done by guess work. Palmer *et al.* (1982) estimated the required amount of irrigation water by superimposing monthly rainfall (R) onto the average monthly potential evapotranspiration (PET) to form a PET-R diagram.

From this, the magnitude and duration of long term average deficiency and surplus during the crop's growing period was obtained. Paul and Tiwari (1994) followed the same principle using weekly PET-R values, with the assumption that tank catchment area is sufficient to fill the reservoir atleast once a month at 60 per cent rainfall probability and 40 per cent storage loss due to evaporation, seepage and percolation.

2.8 WATER LOSSES AND ITS CONTROL

Water losses from SFR comprise of seepage, percolation and evaporation losses. Seepage and percolation constitute major losses and may be as high as 18.56 lit/hr-sq. m. in newly dugout SFR in lateritic soils (Kale *et al.*, 1986). With the passage of time soil pores get choked and sealed off resulting in reduction of losses. Studies at Dehradun and Rajkot (Vijayalakshmi *et al.*, 1982) reveal that seepage from a newly dug SFR stabilizes to a very low rate in a period of 8 years due to silting. The annual change in seepage loss rates, Y (ha-cm) and age, in years after construction of SFR were fitted by an equation (Husenappa *et al.*, 1979).

$$Y = 262.2 / T^{0.2615} \quad (r = 0.82) \quad \dots\dots\dots 2.1$$

A linear relationship exists between seepage rate S (lit/sq.m./day) and hydraulic head (m)

$$S = 8.541 H - 1.2067 \quad (r = 0.991) \quad \dots\dots\dots 2.2$$

The seepage losses in SFRs were calculated at Kharagpur and Hazaribagh from the relationship (Paul and Tiwari, 1994; Rao, 1969).

$$S = 0.314H + 35.7 H^2 \quad \dots\dots\dots 2.3$$

where H is the storage depth in meters and S is the seepage loss.

Cluff (1977) has suggested compartmentalisation of SFR to reduce seepage and percolation losses by reducing wetted area but under Indian conditions it is not viable and cost effective (Verma, 1987). The study conducted at Jagdalpur indicated that seepage losses in light soils

reduced from 71.3 per cent to 24.1 per cent by combination of several low cost treatments such as mixing of clay soil in SFR bed followed by trampling by animals and puddling and finally compacting manually by impact type hand compactor and roller. In another SFR in medium soils, compaction alone proved to be effective in controlling seepage losses. In this SFR seepage losses were reduced from 37.8 per cent to 15.2 per cent. To maintain low seepage rate, the SFR bed and side slopes are to be compacted and rolled every year before the onset of monsoon (Sahu, 1999). The treatment of puddling and trampling SFR bed by water buffaloes was found to be beneficial in checking seepage losses in SFRs at Raipur. The treatment of sodium carbonate alongwith puddling was found to be more effective than puddling and trampling. However, it was not cost effective and may cause harm for fish rearing in the SFR (Pal *et al.*, 1994).

An economical, efficient and durable evaporation retardant for SFR is yet to be found by research under varying agro-climatic regions and soil types. Until such time, to overcome the storage losses in SFRs, it is advisable to use the water by irrigating as soon as it is needed and storing the water in the soil profile for subsequent utilization by deep rooted perennial crops (Radder *et al.*, 1995). Paul and Tiwari (1994) estimated evaporation loss from open water surface of SFR from pan evaporation records and corrected using the coefficient (0.74). Khandelwal (1999) used this coefficient as 0.66 for estimating the evaporation from open water surface of SFRs at Rajkot in Gujrat.

2.9 RUNOFF ESTIMATION MODELS

Continuous watershed models offer the most reliable method of runoff estimation for even very short intervals. Many of these models for estimating watershed yield are described by Fleming (1975). Some of these kinds of models are Stanford watershed model (Crawford and Linsley, 1966), the Boughton model (Boughton, 1966), HEC runoff yield model (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 1968) and the USDAHL model

(Holtan and Lopez, 1971). These models require a large input data recorded continuously over a watershed, limiting their general applicability.

Pedersen *et al.* (1980) reported a model considering the watershed as a single linear reservoir and observed that the use of this model was restricted to small flashy watersheds having very small time of concentration. Helweg *et al.* (1982) presented the improvement of non linear rainfall-runoff model suggested by the Amorocho (1967). Multiple linear regression was used to solve the model coefficients from historical values. Mathematical model of the instantaneous unit hydrograph based on time-area histogram was developed (Vinod Kumar and Rastogi, 1989). The instantaneous unit hydrograph was used for generation of runoff hydrographs. The predicted runoff hydrographs were found to be in good agreement with the observed runoff hydrographs. Gupta and Solomon (1977) have developed a distributed model for predicting both runoff and sediment discharge. They used the square elements. Though the above discussed models reveals better accuracy in the prediction of runoff, their increased complexity, huge data requirements and time of computation are the major limitations for their use.

Naef (1981) concluded, while attempting to test such complicated models, that neither simple nor complex models are free from failures and found that simple models also perform satisfactorily in many cases. This was further supported by Mathur *et al.* (1992) by observing in their review that application of theories and models should be done on merit and the best suited methodology to the conditions and hydrologic data available in the watershed, particularly in developing countries like India.

The review of above models reveals that they are complicated and sophisticated in nature and predict the runoff rates even during small time intervals, less than a day, with reasonable accuracy. However, in most of the cases, the continuous measurement of rainfall and soil moisture are needed as input which are usually not available. Hence

some of the research workers have developed water yield models with total rainfall in a given period as input.

Various empirical formulae such as Inglis formula, Lacey's formula, Khosla's formula were developed for Indian catchments (Verma, 1987).

Singh (1987) developed different regression equations using the concept of cumulative rainfall, threshold rainfall, conservation factor and topography of the watershed to estimate runoff and soil loss from hill slope watersheds. It was observed that the water yield potential of hilly MWs varied from 0.10 to 0.72 ha-m/ha indicating the scope for construction of water storage structure. Bajpai (1999) also used conservation factor concept to assess the water yield potential of 6 MWs located in different agro-hydrological conditions.

Binnie was one of the first who studied the relationship of runoff to rainfall and expressed as a percentage of rainfall. His results were based on the observations on two rivers in Madhya Pradesh. The runoff percentage varied from 7 to 55 for annual rainfall variation from 250 to 1725 mm. The Binnie's percentages have been slightly adjusted to give a more regular curve (CGWB, 1994). Binnie's method of runoff estimation was used for designing farm ponds in heavy textured soils of Bhopal (Bhandarkar, 1985) and medium textured soils of Bastar (Sahu, 1996).

Using annual runoff coefficient is quite a crude method. This requires considerable judgement in selection of runoff coefficient which is considered to vary with annual rainfall, nature of soil and catchment slope. Burton (1965) recommended this method for the design of small storage and he suggested that runoff coefficients vary with average rainfall and soil type, but not with the slope of catchment.

Strange's method (CGWB, 1994) gives total monsoon rainfall and corresponding runoff in terms of the percentage of rainfall in the catchment area according to its nature i.e. good, bad or average. A good catchment has high slope, poor surface water retention and

absorption and a bad catchment has high surface retention and absorption due to low gradient, heavy soil cover, vegetation etc. Average catchment has mixed characteristics.

The storm or daily rainfall-runoff relation that has had maximum application in water storage structure design is US Soil Conservation Service runoff curve number method developed by SCS, USDA (1964). This method is based on the recharge capacity of the watershed. The recharge capacity is determined by antecedent moisture condition and by the physical characteristics of the watershed. The recharge capacity is empirically related to curve number which is a function of soil type, antecedent wetness, land use or cover, farming treatment and hydrologic condition. By selecting suitable curve number based on watershed conditions including antecedent wetness, the runoff can be calculated by using the equation :

$$Q = (P - I_a)^2 / (P - I_a + S) \quad \text{Where } P > I_a \quad \dots\dots 2.4$$

$$Q = 0 \quad \text{When } P < I_a \quad \dots\dots 2.5$$

The potential maximum retention, S, is determined by the equation

$$CN = 25400 / (254 + S) \quad \dots\dots 2.6$$

where Q is the runoff, P is the rainfall, CN is the curve number and I_a is the initial abstraction.

In this method, the rainfall-runoff relationship is discrete and not continuous, implying step shift in curve number with corresponding change of antecedent rainfall index. Actually, curve number varies continuously with soil moisture and thus there should be many values instead of only three. Some modifications of this method were done for antecedent moisture using soil moisture accounting procedure (Williams and La Seur, 1976; Hawkins, 1978; Pathak *et al.*, 1989) but these modified methods are complicated requiring more data.

2.10 PROBABILISTIC ESTIMATES OF PARAMETERS

Rainfall, runoff, length of dryspell, crop ET are some of the important parameters, the estimates of these at various probabilities of exceedence are needed for design of storage structures, drainage system, planning irrigation to crops and subsequently economic analysis of the water harvesting system or its components. Ray *et al.* (1980) predicted expected rainfall amount of 50, 60 and 80 per cent probability of exceedence for Bhubaneshwar and concluded that the rainfall expected at 80 per cent probability of exceedence can be taken as minimum assured value for crop planning, Suresh *et al.* (1992) used Weibulls method of frequency analysis for predicting rainfall at 10, 50, 100 per cent probability levels at Pusa, Bihar. Verma and Sarma (1988) estimated the lowest assured weekly rainfall at different probability levels using incomplete Gamma distribution for Kandi region of Punjab. Gupta (1982) worked out the water requirement of rice at Karnal during continuous dryspell at 25 per cent probability of exceedence. Chaudhary (1998) analysed the occurrence of dry and wet spells using the concept of Markov chain modelling for upland and lowland situations of Bastar district of M.P. Gabriel and Neumann (1957) have shown that dry and wet spells follow a geometric distribution. They used Markov-chain model to the spell distribution and other properties of rainfall occurrence. The same procedure was adopted by Basu (1971) to study the daily rainfall at Calcutta and by Bhargava *et al.* (1973) to study the occurrence of rainfall in Raipur district. Later it was also applied by Sundararaj and Ramachandra (1975) to study the weather spells at Hebbal and by Singh and Bhandari (1998) in Himachal Pradesh.

2.11 DRAINAGE SYSTEM DESIGN

The SCS curve number method is also used to determine daily runoff from daily rainfall without any consideration of the size of watershed. The curve numbers developed by SCS, USDA (1964) were used in determining the surface drainage coefficients of agricultural land

in the watersheds of the country (Gupta *et al.*, 1971) for AMC III condition. Boughton and Stone (1985) studied the effect of conveyance losses due to increase in size of watershed on the value of curve number and reported modification for semi arid tropics. The curve number method was used for drainage system design at Bhopal (Bhandarkar and Nimje, 1990) and Jagdalpur (Sahu, 1999).

For surface drainage, the main requirement is of suitable outlet and the outlet design is dependent on the drainage coefficient which denotes the depth of water to be removed per day. Gupta *et al.* (1971) had worked out drainage coefficient for different parts of India. He considered crops, soil cover complex numbers, rainfall intensity for 2-5 years frequency for the duration equal to the period considered safe for the crops and conversion of this rainfall to the runoff depth. The time required for removal of excess water was taken as 6-8 hours for vegetable crops, 24 hours for general crops and 72 hours for rice crop. Drainage system was designed at Jagdalpur (Sahu, 1999) and Bhopal (Bhandarkar and Nimje, 1990) by considering 16 and 24 hours respectively as the excess water removal time from composite MWs.

2.12 RUNOFF POTENTIAL AND SEDIMENT TRAPPING

Runoff potential vary greatly from one region to other, even within same region-from one location to other and catchment size. It is estimated that between 20-35 per cent of the annual rainfall is available for harvesting in cultivated red soils of Karnataka (Hegde *et al.*, 1981). In Doon valley it is 16.5 per cent of monsoon rainfall (Sastry and Singh, 1993). The seasonal runoff coefficient for 2-3 ha MW at Luzon, Philippines was found to be 0.35 (Guerra *et al.*, 1988). In the sub mountain area of Maharashtra, the rainwater harvesting potential was found to be 23 per cent of monsoon rainfall (Chunale *et al.*, 1994) whereas at Bellary, Karnataka, it was worked out to 5000 cu.m/ha (Chittaranjan, 1981). The SFRs are very effective in controlling soil erosion and flooding. The long term sediment trapping efficiency ranges

from 60-100 per cent (Dendi, 1974; Griffin, 1979; Dendi and Cooper, 1984). The overall nutrient trapping efficiency was 72 per cent for phosphorus and 82 per cent for nitrate nitrogen during the five years of study (Cooper and Knight, 1990). The average annual reduction in SFR's capacity due to siltation was found to be 1 per cent at Doon valley for the period of 18 years (Husenappa *et al.*, 1978).

2.13 VALIDATION OF MODEL

Validation of developed model can be done by comparing the model output with the observed data series. This comparison can be made by applying statistical tests. These tests of significance are done to know the extent of agreement between the observed and predicted hydrologic data series. However, some research workers have used non-parametric tests and correlation analysis for the same. Bhattacharya (1977) used Wilcoxon matched pairs signed ranks test for examining water table depths while the same test was applied for verifying the water levels in different wells (Selvarajan, 1990). Savabi *et al.* (1988) used least square analysis to correlate the measured water yield with the simulated water yield.

2.14 RUNOFF RECYCLING FOR CROP PRODUCTION

The prime objective of runoff recycling for crop production is to get maximum return per unit of water stored. The volume of water in SFR goes on reducing with time after monsoon and within monsoon if long dryspell exists. Hence the unit cost of water storage increases with time. Maximising yield per unit area through intensive irrigation is economically justified where water is readily available and irrigation cost is low. On the other hand, when water supplies become more limited or irrigation cost is high, the objective of irrigation shall be to maximise yields per unit of available water (Stegmen *et al.*, 1980). Supplement irrigations at critical crop growth stages is more productive.

These critical periods for various crops have been described by Hukkeri and Pandey (1977) and Rao (1991). Verma (1987) reviewed various work done in connection to application of stored water as supplemental irrigation and its benefits for different crops and concluded that extensive irrigation increased the water use efficiency (WUE) of crops.

2.15 OPTIMAL ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES

Both linear and dynamic programming have been used by different research workers for optimal allocation of water resources to various competitive crop activities. A comprehensive study using simulation approach was conducted by Hall *et al.* (1968). They presented a dynamic programming model to estimate optimal usage of irrigation supplies, particularly in a season when there is insufficient water for meeting all the demands. The model included two state variables, i.e. the soil moisture content and the total amount of water available at the start of the season. Aron (1968) used dynamic programming to optimize the conservation and use of a ground water-surface water system. A study by Bargur (1972) offered a multi-sector planning and management approach to water resources. The model was based on general equilibrium analysis employing input-output models and linear programming technique. Heady *et al.* (1973) employed linear programming model to determine optimal water and land allocation and agricultural water needs of USA in the year 2000 A.D. Soni (1984) formulated two goal programming models with the main aim of optimal utilization of land and water in *rabi* season and efficient utilization of human resources in *Kharif* season. Varshney (1990) developed linear goal programming model within the conflicting goals of maximising the irrigated cropped area and the economic returns. The model was formulated for three crop seasons during a year, utilizing surface water and ground water conjunctively. Singh *et al.* (1997) developed multiple objective model of linear programming for optimal utilization of land and water considering various

resource and requirement constraints. Land allocation was made under different crops in *rabi* season for the considered objectives of net benefit maximizing, production maximization and investment minimization.

2.16 CRITIQUE OF LITERATURE REVIEWED

The review on MW based runoff water harvesting reveal the following facts :

1. The traditional wisdom in rainfed water management have potential and if properly evaluated can provide clues for better adoption of new technologies.
2. Development of new technologies needs to be aim at improving farming systems and their integration demands interactive process of research and development.
3. MW based water harvesting is emerging as effective means of water management for rainfed agriculture.
4. Scientific management of water resources in MWs are economically attractive and viable, socially desirable and environment friendly.
5. Optimal crop plan based on optimal allocation of land and water resources and profits of production activity, ensures maximization of profits from SFR based farming.
6. Fish rearing, as an optional activity during storage period of water and without sacrificing crop production, can further strengthen economy of SFR based farming.
7. Crop diversification is possible in SFR based farming. Water efficient and remunerative crops, vegetables, fruits, tubers, oilseeds, pulses can be included in the crop plan, which can fulfil family's nutritional requirement.

CHAPTER III

STUDY AREA AND MICROWATERSHEDS

This chapter deals with the location, agroclimatic features, soils, crops, irrigation, production constraints, climatic water balance of study area and details of experimental microwatersheds investigated in the present study. The various data were collected from different sources and the relevant parameters were worked out during the course of investigation.

3.1 LOCATION

The study area lies in the Chhattisgarh state with three agro climatic zones viz. (i) Chhattisgarh plains (ii) Bastar plateau and (iii) Northern hills. In the present study, first two agroclimatic zones are covered. The study sites were in Raipur and Jagdalpur (Fig. 3.1) representing zone (i) and (ii) respectively.

One of the study site (21°16' latitude and 81°36' E longitude, 289.6 m above msl) is located at Labhandi farm IGAU in district Raipur. The other site, Jagdalpur (19°05' N latitude and 82° E longitude, 553, 35 m above msl) is located at Kumhrawand farm of IGAU in district Bastar. The first site is located in Kharoon river (a tributary of Mahanadi river) basin while the other site is located in Indravati river (a tributary of Godavari river) basin.

3.2 AGROCLIMATIC FEATURES

In general, the climate of the region is sub-humid with an average annual rainfall of about 1400 mm. However, there is considerable spatial variation of rainfall. The average rainfall over plains is 1422 mm and over plateau areas is 1538 mm with 64 and 73 average annual number of rainy days respectively. The stable rainfall period is higher in plateau

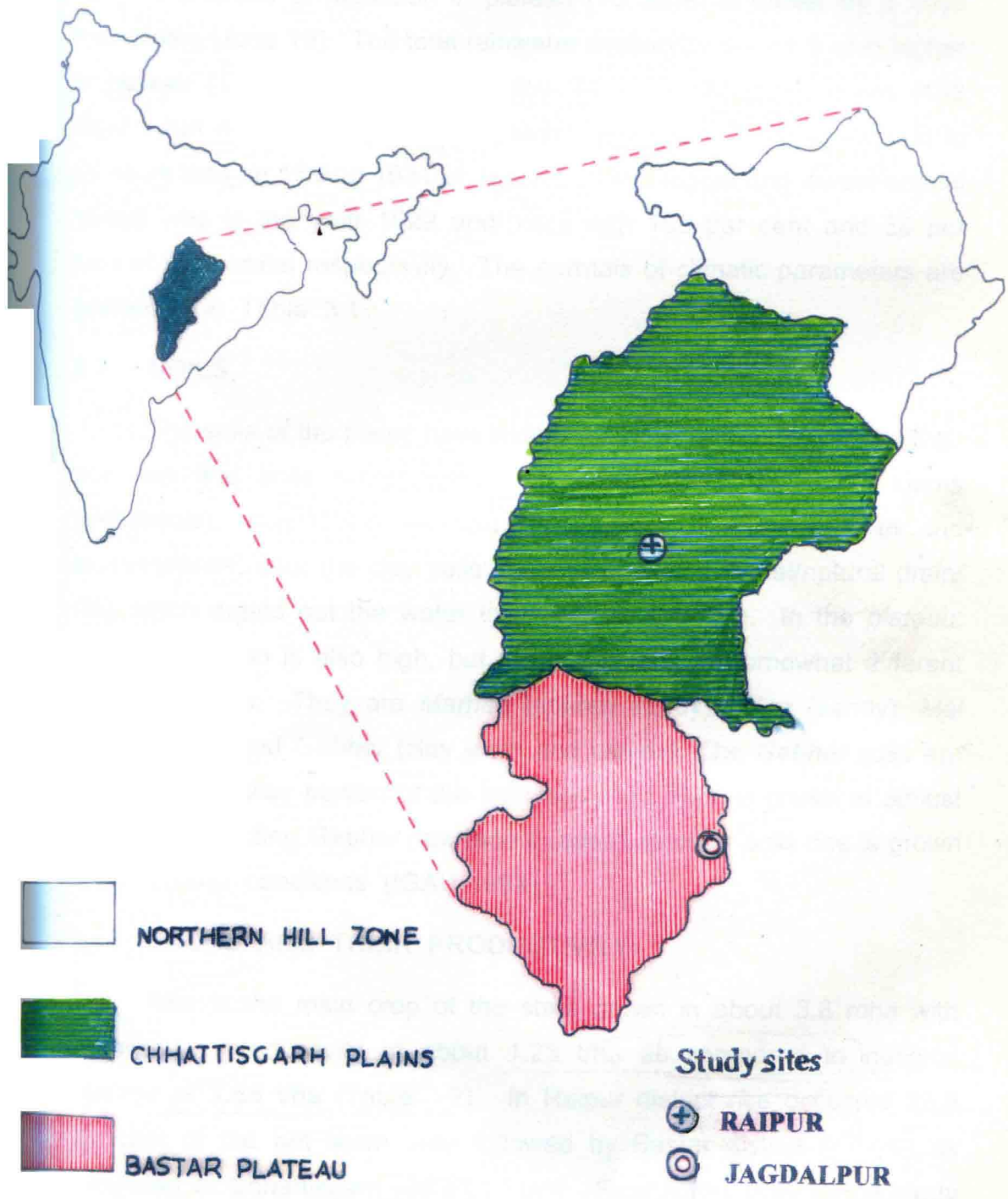


Fig. 3.1 Location of study sites in Chhattisgarh state with agroclimatic zones

areas as compared to plains. It is 84 days (22 Jun to 13 Sep.) at Raipur and 98 days (21 June to 26 Sep.) at Jagdalpur.

The onset of monsoon in plateau (10 June) is earlier by 5 days than plains (June 15). The total rainwater availability period is also higher in plateau (171 days; May 22 to Nov. 7) as compared to plains (143 days : Jun 1 to Oct 21). The highest rainfall (203.2 mm) recorded in 24 hours was on 15 Aug 1931 at Jagdalpur. The highest and lowest annual rainfall was in the year 1929 and 1923 with 153 per cent and 56 per cent of the normal respectively. The normals of climatic parameters are presented in Table 3.1

3.3 SOILS

The soils of the plains have wide variability. In almost every village one can find soils ranging from lateritic (Entisols) to sandy loams (Inceptisols), clay loam (Alfisol) and clayey (vertisols). In the toposequence, after the clay soils, there is always a rivulet/natural drain/*nala* which drains out the water to rivers (IGAU-1994). In the *plateau*, the soil variation is also high, but the soil texture is somewhat different from the *plains*. They are *Marhan* (coarse sandy), *Tikra* (sandy), *Mal* (sandy loam) and *Gabhar* (clay loam and clayey). The *Gabhar* soils are found in the valley portion of the toposequence. Rice is grown in almost all soils. Excepting *Gabhar* (low land bunded), in other soils rice is grown under upland conditions (IGAU-1994).

3.4 CROPS AND THEIR PRODUCTIVITY

Rice is the main crop of the state grown in about 3.8 mha with an average productivity of about 1.23 t/ha as compared to national average of 1.88 t/ha (Table 3.2). In Raipur district rice occupies 93.5 per cent of the net sown area followed by Bastar district (77.7%) as compared to Chhattisgarh (30.3%) State. Rice productivity in the study area, under both rainfed and irrigated condition are below the national average (Table 3.2). The other important crops are lathyrus (6% of

Table 3.1 Monthly normal (30 years) of meteorological parameters of the study area

Month	Rainfall (mm)	Max. temp. (°C)	Min. temp (°C)	RH (%)	wind speed (km/hr)	Sunshine (hours)	Evapo- ration* (mm)
RAIPUR							
Jan	7.9	27.2	11.7	84	3.5	8.1	3.1
Feb.	16.1	30.5	14.1	74	4.4	9.2	4.8
Mar	23.5	35.2	17.9	59	5.4	9.1	7.1
Apr	15.1	39.9	22.9	47	7.4	9.4	10.3
May	21.3	41.9	26.1	43	8.7	9.0	12.5
June	203.7	37.3	26.2	69	11.5	5.2	9.0
July	354.4	31.1	24.3	88	11.1	3.5	4.7
Aug.	332.5	29.9	23.9	90	10.3	3.4	3.5
Sep	225.6	31.0	24.0	90	6.6	5.9	3.7
Oct	57.6	31.3	21.1	88	3.6	8.1	3.7
Nov.	9.1	29.3	14.7	86	3.3	8.9	3.4
Dec.	2.6	26.1	10.7	82	3.2	9.0	3.0
Total/Av	1269.4	32.6	19.9	75	6.6	7.3	5.8
JAGDALPUR							
Jan	9.9	28.5	11.0	73	2.8	8.1	3.0
Feb.	22.6	31.0	14.3	66	3.9	9.3	4.1
Mar	14.0	34.7	18.4	54	4.5	9.2	5.7
Apr.	49.5	36.9	22.2	54	5.7	8.5	6.2
May	60.5	38.3	24.6	53	6.6	8.2	6.4
June	232.7	33.5	23.9	71	7.2	7.9	5.2
Jul	384.6	28.1	22.2	86	9.1	3.2	2.5
Aug	391.4	28.4	22.2	86	7.8	2.4	2.3
Sep.	261.4	29.5	22.3	85	5.6	3.4	2.9
Oct	110.0	29.5	19.9	80	3.7	6.1	3.2
Nov.	30.0	28.1	14.7	76	3.0	7.1	3.1
Dec.	3.8	27.4	11.3	76	2.5	7.6	2.8
Total/Av.	1570.4	31.2	18.9	72	5.2	6.7	3.0

* Average of 15 and 22 years at Jagdalpur and Raipur respectively.

cropped area in Raipur) and minor millets (15.6% of cropped area in Bastar), besides smaller area under soybean, pigeonpea, vegetables, fruits and tuber crops. Cropping intensity is low (129% in Bastar district and 112% in Raipur district) due to lack of irrigation facilities for a second crop.

3.5 IRRIGATION

About 22.3 per cent of cropped area in Chattisgarh is irrigated (Table 3.2) which is dependent on accumulation of rainwater in reservoirs and in the event of early withdrawal of monsoon, the water is used to give life saving irrigation to crops. The availability of irrigation, depends on adequacy of rains. The uncertainty on availability of water at the time of sowing forces the farmers to go for broadcast *biasi* system in preference to transplanting even in irrigated area (IGAU-1994). The irrigation system in the region is designed to avert famine rather than for productive agriculture. The percentage coverage of rice under irrigation at Raipur (47.5) is comparable to the national figure (49.8) while in Bastar this is extremely low (3.1). Among the different sources of irrigation, canal and tank irrigation are dominant at Raipur and Bastar respectively (Table 3.2).

3.6 PRODUCTION CONSTRAINTS

Among the physical factors, rainfall is the most important one as the onset of monsoon at the initial stage, break in monsoon during crop growth stage and withdrawal of monsoon at the terminal stage determine the productivity of rice in this region. Even the 22 per cent area under irrigation is also dependent upon the rainfall intensity and distribution in the catchment area, which determines the runoff for both medium and minor irrigation projects.

Farmers in this region generally grow long duration (145 days) photosensitive tall rice varieties. These varieties flower by mid-October and mature by mid-November, while monsoon usually withdraws by

Table 3.2 Agricultural characteristics of the study area in comparison to the state and country (1997-98)

Agricultural characteristics	Raipur* district	Bastar* district	Chhattisgarh* State	National**
LAND HOLDINGS				
(i) Marginal (<1 ha)				
As % of total				
No.	55.9	28.3	51.3	59.4
Area	16.5	4.3	12.4	15.1
Average size, ha	0.45	0.47	0.43	0.39
(ii) Small (1-2 ha)				
As % of total				
No.	21.6	22.4	21.0	18.8
Area	20.3	10.8	16.9	17.4
Average size, ha	1.43	1.49	1.44	1.43
(iii) Average size of all holdings, ha	1.50	3.10	1.79	1.57
IRRIGATION				
Cropped area covered by (%)				
Canals	37.4	0.8	16.9	11.6
Tanks	2.7	1.0	1.4	2.1
Wells	1.9	0.3	1.0	6.3
Others	4.0	0.7	3.0	10.6
Total	46.0	2.8	22.3	30.6
RICE				
(i) As % of cropped area	93.5	77.7	80.3	30.3
(ii) Irrigation coverage of rice area, (%)	47.5	3.1	28.1	49.8
(iii) Rice yield - t/ha				
Rainfed	1.17	0.77	0.93	1.25
Irrigated	1.88	1.90	1.58	2.64
Average	1.30	1.10	1.23	1.88
CROPPING INTENSITY %	129	112	124	132

** Government of India (1998)

* Government of Madhya Pradesh (1998)

mid-september. Thus terminal drought (at flowering and grain filling) is a recurring feature in this region and the success of the rice crop under rainfed conditions depends upon the October rainfall, occurring due to cyclonic activity.

Increased population pressure has forced farmers to extend rice cultivation in marginal and sub marginal lands (shallow depth and high percolation rate) where frequent moisture stresses during crop growth result in poor yield.

3.7 CLIMATIC WATER BALANCE

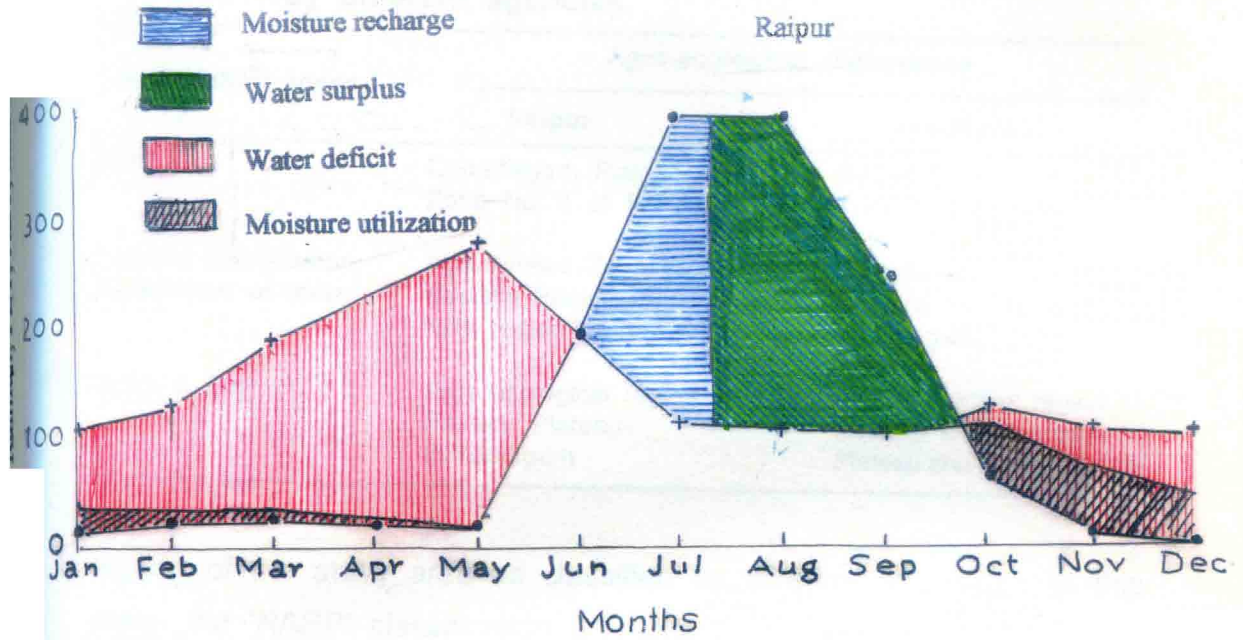
The climatic water balance for the study area was worked out and is shown in Fig. 3.2. Monthly water surplus was estimated by climatic water balance computations using Thornthwaite's book keeping procedure. Soil moisture reaches field capacity often in the month of June itself in most of the case and thereafter the actual ET becomes equal to PET. Under such a scenario, in high rainfall areas, the surplus rainwater is lost either through runoff or percolation, depending on the terrain. The details are discussed in Chapter VI. The water availability periods, based on humid and moist periods (humid period : $R > PET$, moist period : $PET > R > PET/2$, where R is the rainfall) were worked out. Growing season soil moisture was worked out based on soil moisture at field capacity. Availability of water for post-rice crop was worked out based on average plant available residual soil moisture. The results are presented in Chapter VI.

3.8 EXPERIMENTAL MICROWATERSHEDS

The details of the experimental microwatersheds investigated for the present study are given below :

3.8.1 Agro-ecological Region

Four microwatersheds were taken up for detailed investigation, two each at Raipur and Jagdalpur. Table 3.3 depicts the agroecological



●—● Rainfall +—+—+ PET x—x—x AET

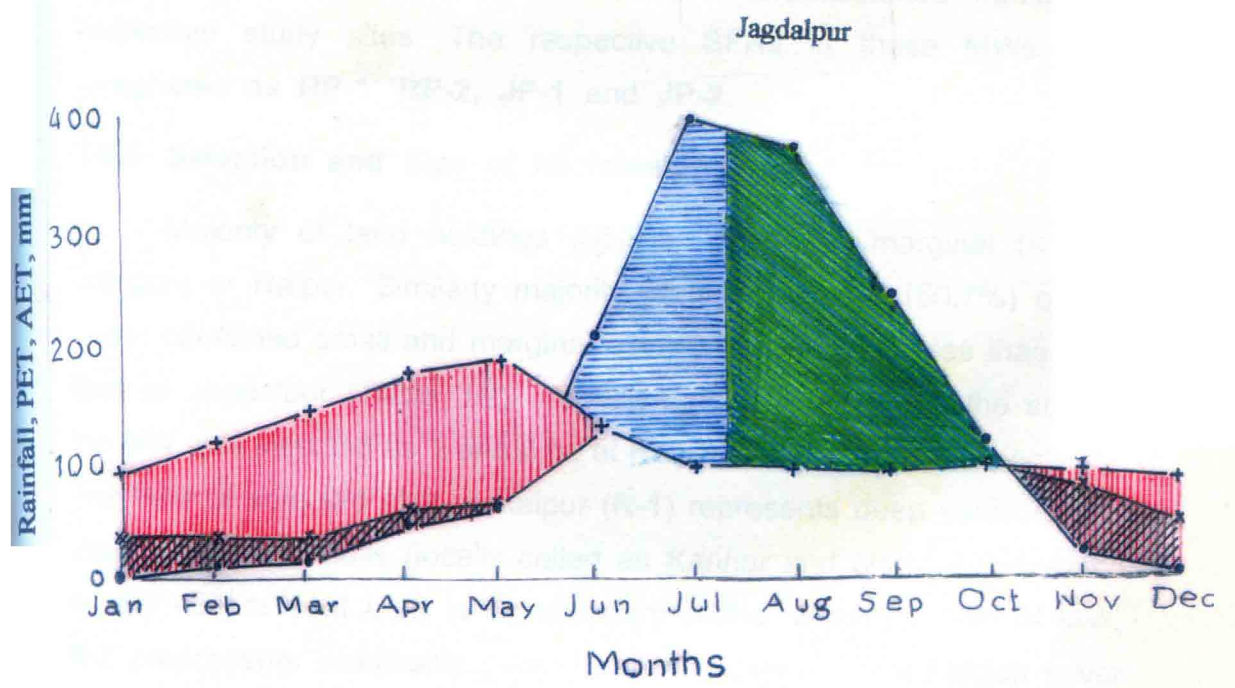


Fig. 3.2 Climatic water balance of study sites

Table 3.3 Agro-ecological regions of the study area as classified by different agencies.

Classification agency	Agro-ecological region/zone	
	Raipur	Jagdalpur
NARP	Chhattisgarh Plains Zone No. 1 of M.P.	Bastar Plateau Zone No. 2 of M.P.
Planning Commission Government of India	Agroclimatic Zone 7 Eastern Plateau & Hills region	Agroclimatic Zone 7 Eastern Plateau & Hills region
NBSS & LUP	Agro-ecological region 11 Eastern Plateau- Chhattisgarh	Agro-ecological region 12 Eastern Chhotanagpur Plateau and Eastern Ghats

regions of the study area as classified by different agencies. In this study, the 'NARP' classification of regions was adopted.

3.8.2 Nomenclature of Microwatersheds

Selected four microwatersheds (MW) were designated as **R-1**, **R-2**, **J-1** and **J-2**. The letters stand for study sites (**R** : Raipur; **J** :Jagdalpur) and numerical stands for microwatershed number at respective study sites. The respective SFRs in these MWs were designated as **RP-1**, **RP-2**, **JP-1** and **JP-2**.

3.8.3 Selection and Size of Microwatersheds

Majority of land holdings (55.9%) belong to marginal (<1 ha) category at Raipur. Similarly majority of land holdings (50.7%) comes under combined small and marginal category possessing less than 2 ha land at Jagdalpur (Table 3.2). Considering land holdings, the size of the MW was selected as 1 and 2 ha at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively. The field of selected MW at Raipur (**R-1**) represents deep vertisols and associated vertic soils (locally called as *Kanhar* and *Dorsa* soils) which covers 45 per cent area in Chhattisgarh plains, while the field of MW, **R-2** represents inceptisols (locally called as *Matasi* soils) which cover about 40 per cent area in the Chhattisgarh plains region.

Bunded rice fields were considered as MW. These artificially made MW were isolated hydrologically (as far as surface runoff is concerned) and independent from upstream (by bunding and cutoff drain) and surrounding area (by bunding). No outside runoff entered into experimental MW. It was tried that all the runoff in MW be either conserved or stored, in ponds. However, excess runoff, if any, was allowed to drain out safely.

3.8.4 Soils

Detailed field and laboratory investigations were carried out to find various soil physical and chemical properties (Table 3.4 and 3.5). Cumulative infiltration was determined under two conditions viz. barren land and ploughed land at Jagdalpur. Similarly basic infiltration rate of different pond strata was determined. In order to see the long term effect of SFR based intensive farming on infiltration, the infiltration study was further conducted in the year 2000. The soils of MWs have special problems viz. hardening, crusting, loss of water and nutrients, acidity, poor aggregation and low water retentivity, resulting in restricted root growth. In general, the MW area falls under the land capability class IIs and irrigability class 2.

3.8.5 Topography

During 1999-2000, topographic survey, of MWs **R-1** and **R-2**, was conducted. The topographic map of these MWs are shown in Fig. 3.3 and 3.4. The topographic map of **J-1** and **J-2** were available in the MWs (Sahu, 1996) and are shown in Fig. 3.5 and 3.6. All the MWs were more or less rectangular in shape with general slope varying between 0.4 to 1.05 per cent. The general slope is from South to north (**J-1**, **J-2**), north to south (**R-1**) and east to west (**R-2**). There are cross slopes of 0.08 (**J-1**) and 0.20 (**J-2**) from west to east, 0.15 per cent from east to west (**R-1**), 0.05 per cent from south to north (**R-2**). In MW **J-1** and **J-2**, SFR lies on the lowest part such that its drainage contributing area of 1.75 ha lies in the u/s side. Such SFRs have topographical

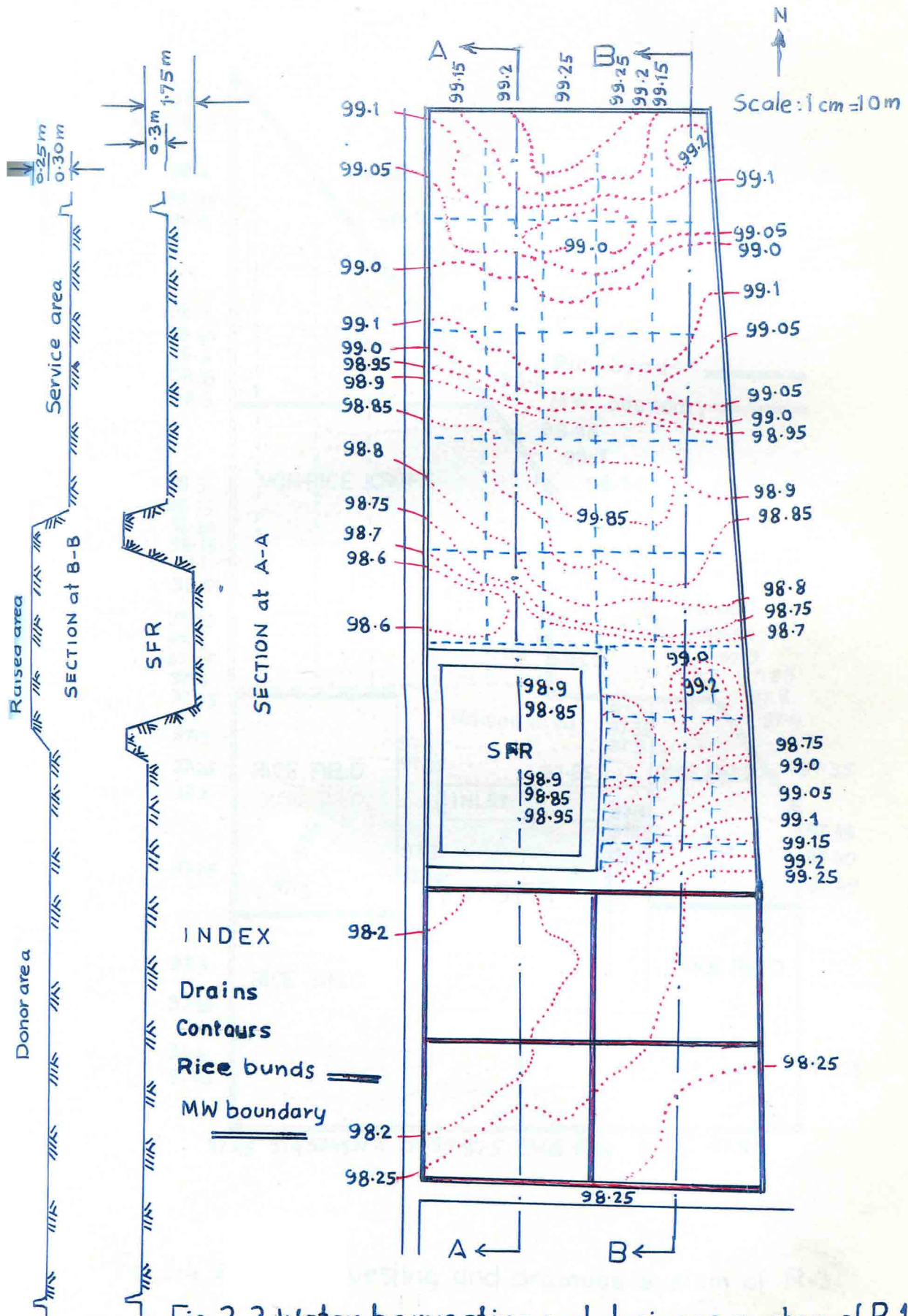


Fig 3.3 Water harvesting and drainage system of R-1

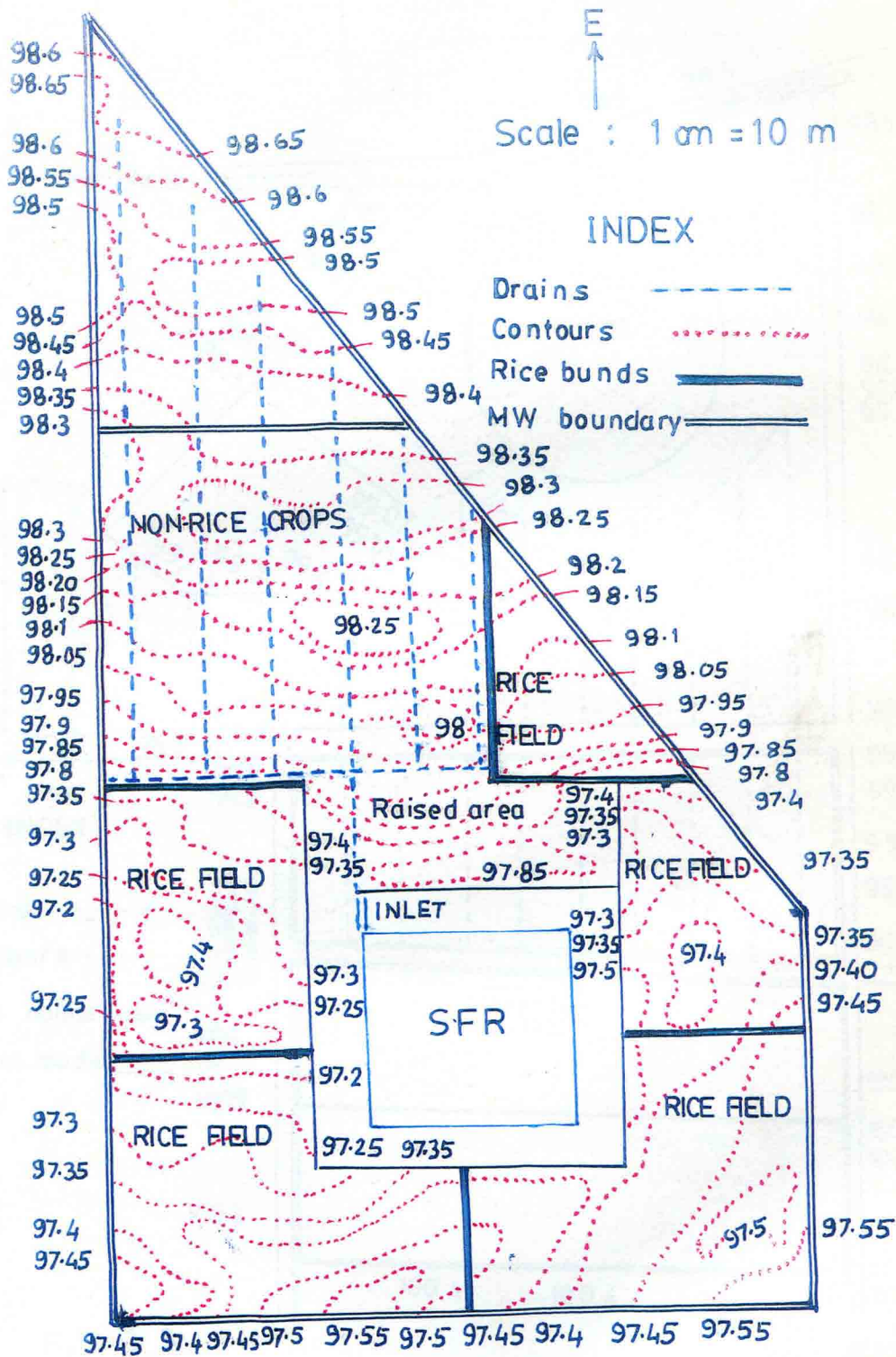


Fig 3.4 Water harvesting and drainage system of R-2

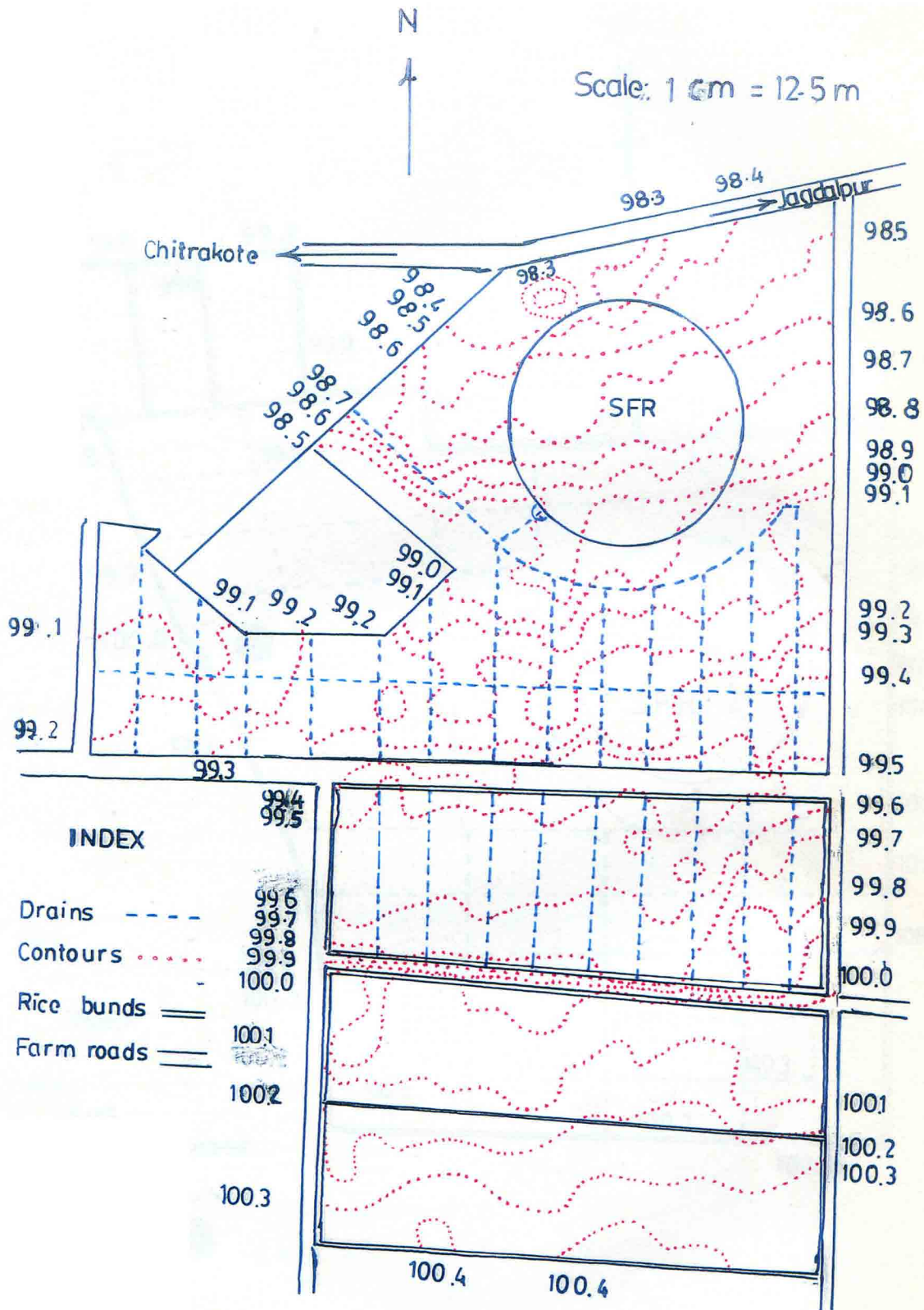


Fig 3.5 Water harvesting and drainage system of J-1

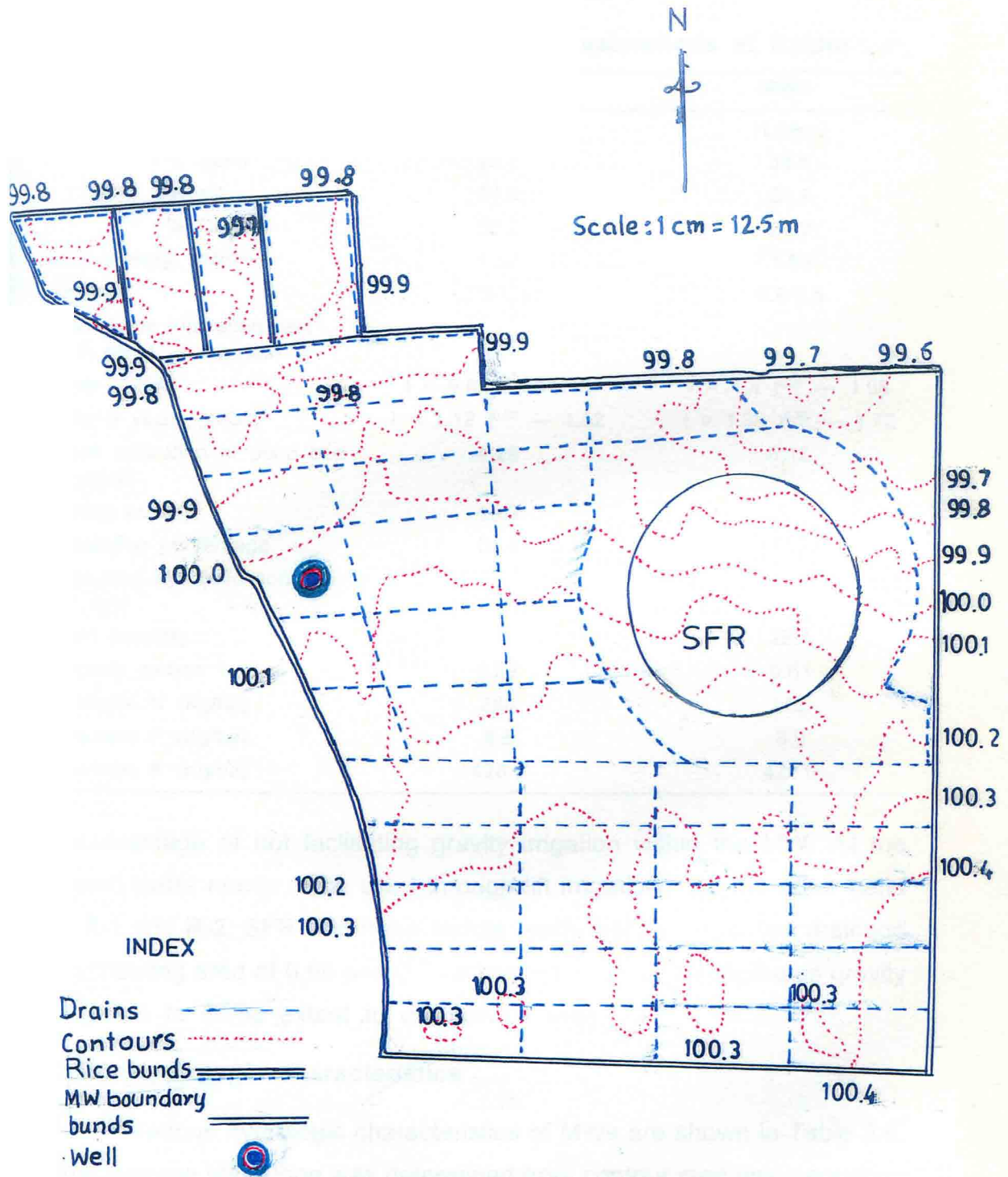


Fig. 3.6 Water harvesting and drainage system of J-2

Table 3.4 Soil characteristics of microwatersheds at Raipur

Soil Characteristics	MW1	MW2
Texture	Clayey	Loam
% Sand	25.2	38.6
% silt	24.6	35.4
% Clay	50.2	25.0
Bulk density, g/cm ³	1.52	1.55
Soil pH	7.3-6.8	6.8-6.6
Cumulative infiltration rate (I in cm, t in minutes)		
Initial (1994)	I = 9.8 t ^{0.31} — 1.43	I = 1.4 t ^{0.28} — 1.68
After 6 years (2000)	I = 1.12 t ^{0.36} — 1.52	I = 1.39 t ^{0.36} — 1.72
Basic infiltration of pond bed (cm/day)	4.29	5.13
Wilting point	13.3	5.6
Saturation percentage	54.4	47.8
Saturated hydraulic conductivity (m day)	0.62	0.65
Field capacity	39.9	28.7
Organic carbon %	0.62	0.51
Available N (Kg/ha)	288	252
Available P (Kg/ha)	8.8	8.0
Available K (Kg/ha)	428.0	422.6

disadvantage of not facilitating gravity irrigation within the MW. All the stored water needs to be used through lift irrigation. On the other hand in **R-1** and **R-2**, SFR lies in the middle, such that its respective drainage contributing area of 0.66 and 0.7 ha lies in the u/s and it facilitates gravity irrigation to some extent to d/s service area.

3.8.6 Hydrologic characteristics

Various hydrologic characteristics of MWs are shown in Table 3.6. The average MW slope was determined from contour map using equation 3.1.

$$X_2 = MN/A \quad \dots 3.1$$

Where M is the total length of contour within the MW in meter
 N is the contour interval in meters
 A is the size of the MW in square meters.

Table 3.5 Soil Characteristics of microwatersheds at Jagdalpur

Soil Characteristics	MW1	MW2
Texture	Clayey	Loam
% Sand	30.83	35.16
% Silt	39.40	38.44
% Clay	29.70	26.40
Bulk density, gm/cm ³	1.58	1.57
Soil pH	5.6-6.0	5.8-6.3
Cumulative infiltration rate (I in cm, t in minutes)		
Initial (1990)		
Barren Land	I = 1.16 t ^{0.20} — 1.03	I = 0.56 t ^{0.37} — 0.30
Ploughed land	I = 1.52 t ^{0.40} — 0.61	I = 5.40 t ^{0.20} — 4.08
After 2 years (1992)		
Barren land	I = 1.01 t ^{0.35} — 0.82	I = 0.84 t ^{0.35} — 0.69
Ploughed land	I = 1.43 t ^{0.43} — 0.96	I = 3.49 t ^{0.25} — 1.65
After 10 years (2000)		
Barren land	I = 0.98 t ^{0.42} — 0.48	I = 1.02 t ^{0.42} — 0.76
Ploughed land	I = 1.34 t ^{0.48} — 1.24	I = 1.15 t ^{0.51} — 1.18
Basic infiltration rate (cm/day of pond Strata)		
0 - 50 cm	3.82	3.68
50 - 100 cm	3.68	3.12
100 - 150 cm	5.12	4.08
150 - 200 cm	5.31	4.12
200 - 250 cm	6.15	3.88
250 - 300 cm	6.42	4.03
Drainable porosity, %	26.60	27.90
Saturation percent	40.40	40.50
Saturated hydraulic conductivity (m/day)	0.69	0.63
Field capacity %	37.50	36.8
Organic carbon, %	0.56	0.40
Available N (kg/ha)	270	256
Available P (kg/ha)	12.7	13.4
Available K (Kg/ha)	424	314

Table 3.6 Hydrologic characteristics of microwatersheds

Parameters	Microwatersheds			
	R-1	R-2	J-1	J-2
Area, ha	1.05	1.04	2.0	2.0
Land Slope, (%)	0.4	0.62	1.05	0.4
Soil type	Vertisol Clayey to clay loam	Inceptisol Clay-loam, Underlain by Impermeable hard strata	Alfisol, Clay-loam, acidic, crusting and hardening	Alfisol clay - loam, loam acidic, crusting and hardening
Infiltration (mm/ hr)	Very low 1.86	Very low 2.28	Very low 2.12	Very low 2.22
Land use	April, May : Poor Fallow Remaining months : straight row crops	April, May : Poor fallow Remaining months : straight row crops	April, May : Poor fallow Remaining months: straight row crops	April May : Poor fallow. Remaining month : straight row crops
Soil conservation Measures	Partly bunded, well laid out drainage system. Water harvesting pond	partly bunded, General drainage Water harvesting Pond	Partly bunded, well laid out drainage system. Water harvesting pond	Partly bunded, well laid out drainage system. Water harvesting pond
Major Crops	Monsoon : Rice, soybean, groundnut, pigeonpea Post Monsoon : gram, mustard, vegetables	Monsoon : Rice, soybean (small area), pigeon pea (long duration, extended to post-monsoon season). Post monsoon : Gram, mustard, vegetabales	Monsoon : Rice, Pigeon pea (short duration), groundnut, soybean, tapioca, intercrops, Post monsoon : pigeon pea (ratoon), gram, mustard, vegetables	Monsoon : Rice, pigeon-pea (short duration), groundnut, soybean, vegetables. Post monsoon ; Pigeon pea (ratoon) mustard, gram, vegetables
Monsoon rainfall				
June	185.3	185.3	256.7	256.7
July	306.4	306.4	346.8	346.8
August	335.1	335.1	354.7	354.7
September	180.5	180.5	194.3	194.3
October	46.6	46.6	81.7	81.7
Total	1053.8	1053.8	124.2	1234.2
Hydrologic soil group	D*	D*	D*	D*

* High runoff potential

3.8.7 Hydrological Behaviour of Microwatersheds

Daily record of gauged runoff of all the MWs for the period of 6 years (**J-1, J-2**: 1988-1993), 7 years (**R-1** : 1990-1996) and 5 years (**R-2** : 1992-1996) were collected from previous research (Pal *et al.*, 1996 and Sahu, 1999). It was planned to record one more year recent data of runoff in experimental MWs. Accordingly in 1999, the monsoon runoff data were recorded at Raipur (**R-1, R-2**) for both the MWs. The same was not possible at Jagdalpur, another study site, due to leasing of ponds and laying out of underground pipelines for irrigation, in the MWs. However, daily accretion and loss of water in SFRs were recorded.

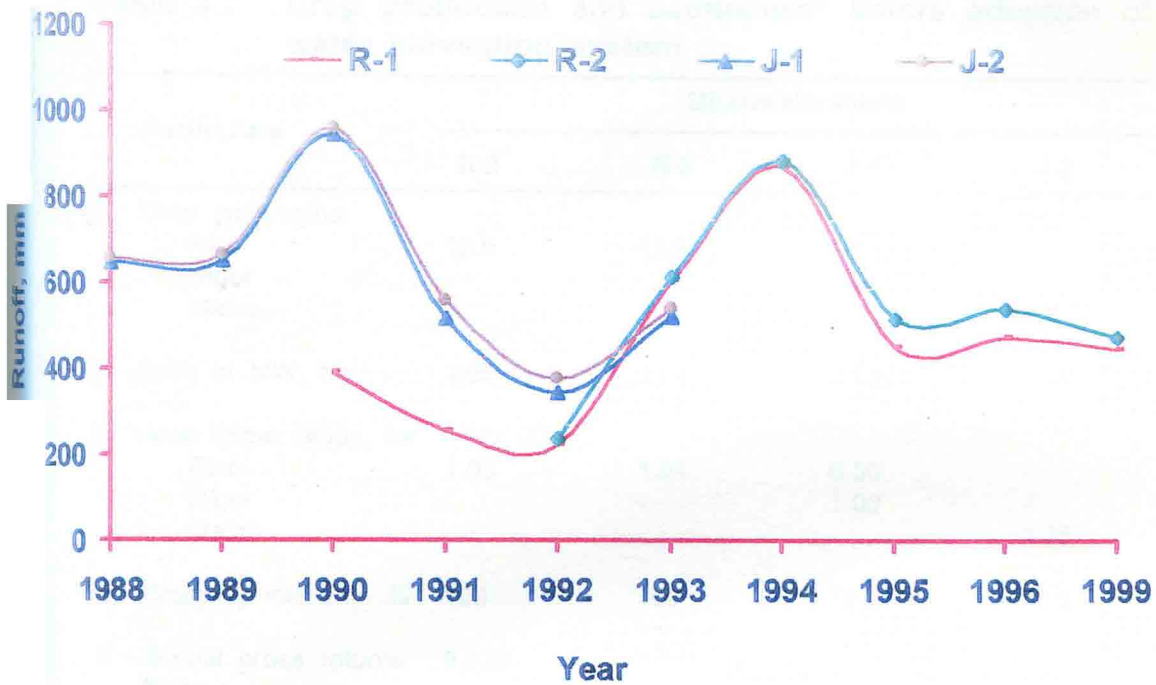
In this way, a total of 8 years (**R-1**) and 6 years (**R-2, J-1, J-2**) data of daily runoff were used in the present investigation (Fig. 3.7).

3.8.8 Production Situations

Crop production scenario in MWs before adoption of water harvesting system was quite disappointing. In **R-1** and **R-2** with comparatively fertile soil, rice was grown during monsoon season, no second crop was taken during post-monsoon season due to deficient soil moisture. However some farmers in similar soils grew *lathyrus* (broadcast in rice field one month before harvest), utilising residual soil moisture. Since no economical yields are expected, it is used as fodder for their animals. The monsoon rice yield was poor with 15.5 and 13.5 q/ha grain. The cropping intensity, thus, only 100 per cent in the monocropped rice system. With the data available from IGAU, Raipur, the economics of crop production was worked out for **R-1** and **R-2** at the current price levels (1999-2000) of inputs, power, labour and wholesale rate of produce (Table 3.7).

In MWs **J-1** and **J-2** with poor and degraded soils, the crop production scenario was still worse, except some portion of **J-1** where rice was grown. Rice yield in **J-1** was 16.7 q/ha. The oil seed crop niger was grown in major portion at the last phase of monsoon season

a. Seasonal Runoff



b. Monthly Runoff

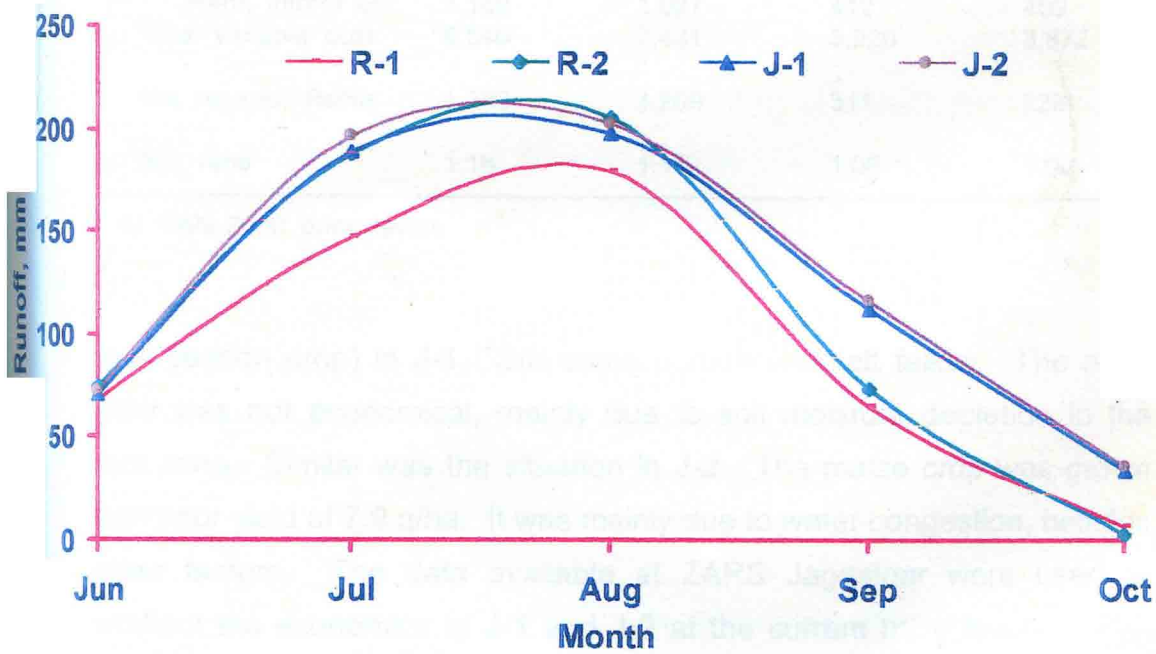


Fig 3.7 Observed runoff in microwatersheds

Table 3.7 Crop production and economics* before adoption of water harvesting system

Particulars	Microwatersheds			
	R-1	R-2	J-1	J-2
1. Crop yield, q/ha				
Rice	15.5	13.5	16.7	-
Niger	-	-	1.8	-
Maize	-	-	-	7.9
2. Area of MW, ha	1.05	1.04	2.00	2.00
3. Area under crops, ha				
Rice	1.05	1.04	0.50	-
Niger	-	-	1.00	-
Maize	-	-	-	1.25
4. Cropping intensity, %	100	100	75	62.5
5. Annual gross returns Rs/ha	9,920	8,640	4,231	4,098
6. Variable cost, Rs/ha				
Labour and Power	5,886	4,904	3,090	2,798
Material inputs	1,486	1,500	419	665
Rent, interest etc.	1,169	1,027	412	409
Total variable cost	8,540	7,431	3,920	3,872
7. Net returns, Rs/ha	1,380	1,209	311	226
8. B/C ratio	1.16	1.16	1.08	1.06

* At 1999-2000 price levels

(mid season crop) in **J-1**. Still some portion was left fallow. The niger yield was not economical, mainly due to soil moisture depletion in the root zone. Similar was the situation in **J-2**. The maize crop was grown with poor yield of 7.9 q/ha. It was mainly due to water congestion, besides other factors. The data available at ZARS Jagdalpur were used to workout the economics of **J-1** and **J-2** at the current price levels (1999-2000) of inputs and wholesale rates of produce. Besides annual gross returns, total variable cost and net returns, the B/C ratios of all the MWs with rate of returns of various inputs were worked out and is presented in Table 3.7

CHAPTER IV

THEORETICAL CONSIDERATIONS

Since time immemorial water harvesting has been a practice to meet water demand in drought prone areas. Agricultural development, particularly during the past few decades, witnessed clear demarcation in terms of rainfed and irrigated agriculture. The success of rainfed agriculture centres around water harvesting to meet water demands for irrigation and drought mitigation. In this area, assessment of water availability in terms of runoff in the micro water sheds (MWs) is essential for designing appropriate water storage structures. There are several methods of runoff estimation and four of them were examined with a view to select the most appropriate one for use in this study.

4.1 CONSERVATION FACTOR APPROACH (CF)

The concept of conservation factor (CF) of a watershed was first used by Singh (1987) and later by Bajpai (1999) for the assessment of runoff. In this method, monthly/monsoon, season/annual, rainfall, land use, conservation measures, soil type and slope of the watershed are the input parameters. Potential of watershed, in producing runoff and soil loss, is related to a discrete number called 'conservation factor' (CF). The CF is a function of land use, conservation measures and soil type in the watershed. It is a dimensionless number.

4.1.1 The Concept of CF

Besides rainfall, the other major factors which govern the runoff from a MW are land use, conservation measures and soil type. These factors have their individual potential of affecting the runoff producing process. These factors are listed in descending order of their runoff retarding potential and numerical values are assigned to these factors

considering their relative influence such that the more influencing factors in retention of rainfall get higher value. Areas under different land uses from A1 to An, conservation measures C1 to Cn and soil type from NS1 to NSn are combined into single weighted number through equation 4.1.

$$CF = \frac{A1 (NL1 + NC1+NS1)+\dots\dots\dots+An(NLn+NCn+NSn)}{A} \dots\dots 4.1$$

where A1.....An : area under assigned to land uses
 NL1.....NLn : numbers assigned to land uses
 NC1.....NCn : numbers assigned different conservation measures
 NS1.....NSn : numbers assigned different soil types.

In this way CF shows the relative strength of watershed to runoff retardation potential. Larger the CF, lesser the runoff and smaller the CF, higher the runoff.

4.1.2 Development of Runoff Models

Runoff models were developed for monthly monsoon and annual runoff estimation using water yield producing factor and observing water yields as inputs. The water yield producing factor is defined as

$$X = (X_1 * X_2) / CF \dots\dots\dots 4.2$$

where X is the water yield producing factor,

X₁ is the rainfall, mm.

CF is the conservation factor.

X₂ is the land slope in per cent.

4.2 CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE (CN)

USDA-SCS curve number method is one of the most widely used methods for runoff estimation from small watersheds (Pathak *et al.*, 1989). The CN is simple and provides reasonable accurate results under certain conditions (Williams and La seur, 1976). Its biggest advantage is that

it requires few inputs which are generally available. Original CN was developed for individual rainfall events, however, researchers are using now daily rainfall values with appropriate changes. Besides rainfall, it requires land use hydrological soil group and antecedent moisture condition (AMC) of watershed as input. In this method, the potential maximum retention storage of watershed is related to a discrete number (CN) which is a function of land use, different land treatments, AMC of watershed and soil type. CN is dimensionless and its value varies from 0 to 100. However, this method has following major drawbacks (Williams and La seur, 1976; Hawkins, 1978) :

- (i) The model does not take into consideration the effects of surface roughness. It provides soil profile water retention on the basis of soil type only.
- (ii) Because a discrete rather than a continuous relationship between CN and soil moisture content is used in the original model, small changes in water content sometimes result in sudden shifts in CN which then give unrealistic quantum jumps in the calculated runoff.
- (iii) Accurate selection of CN is very difficult. Since upto 23 mm rainfall, runoff is more sensitive to CN than to rainfall. Any inaccuracy in CN, therefore, may lead to unrealistic runoff, estimation.
- (iv) There is no consideration of slope and area of watershed.

4.2.1 Development of New Criteria for AMC in *Plateau* Areas

Despite the above drawbacks, CN may apply suitably in *plains* (Raipur) but may not give desirable results in *plateau* (Jagdalpur) areas of Chhattisgarh where slope is a dominating feature affecting runoff. In an artificial MW separated hydrologically from u/s slopy area grown with paddy with cutoff drains and bunds (Fig 4.1) the sub surface flow continues to as usual and changes moisture regimes. This enhanced moisture regimes can not be described by the existing AMC's limits.

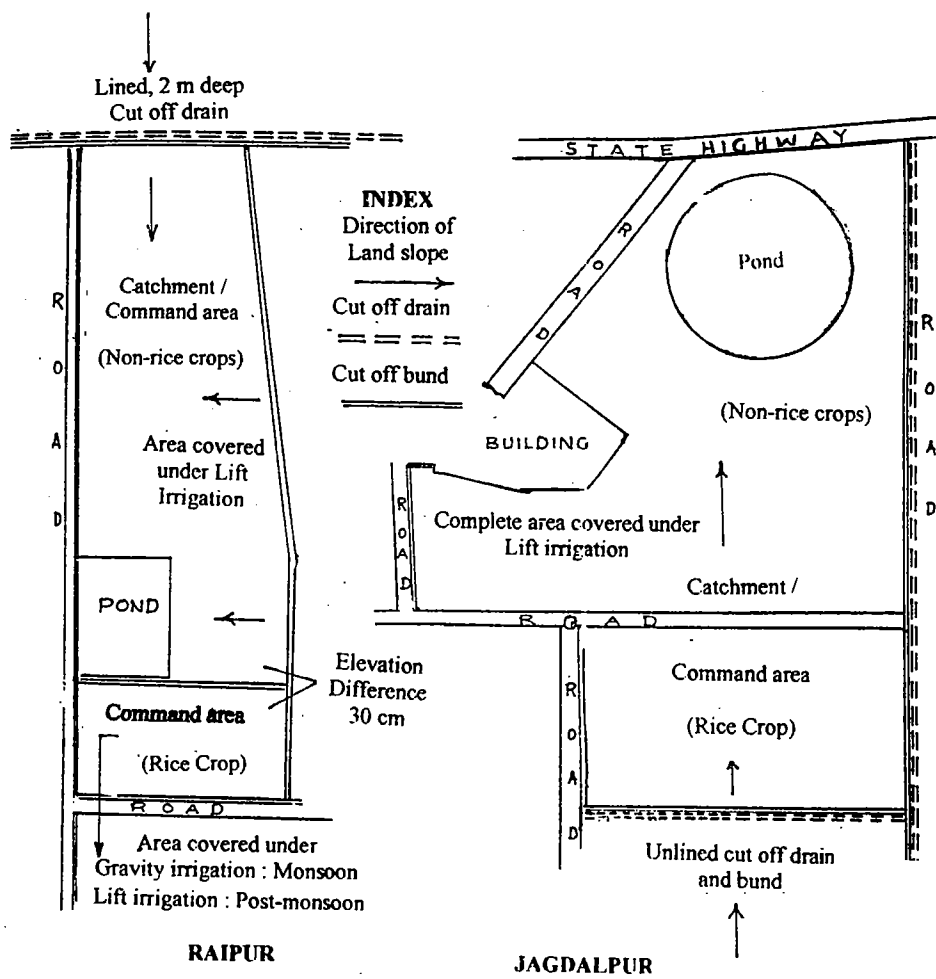


Fig. 4.1 Schematic representation of catchment, pond, command area in microwatersheds

Therefore, it is necessary to modify the existing limits (previous 5 days sum of rainfall) of AMCs. In order to simulate moisture conditions in *plateau* area corresponding to AMC I, AMC II and AMC III (as per the existing criteria and assumed to be applicable in *plains*, new criteria was developed for *plateau* areas, the steps followed were :

- (i) Past 6 years moisture depletion/addition data of crop root zone at Raipur (*plains*) and Jagdalpur (*plateau*) were studied with regard to sum of previous 5 days rainfall.
- (ii) Range of moisture regimes at *plains* were determined for different sum of previous 5 days rainfall (viz <36 mm, 36-53 mm, > 53 mm).
- (iii) Ranges of moisture regimes in *plateau* area were determined for different sums of previous 5 days rainfall (viz <10 mm, <14 mm, <18 mm, <22 mm).
- (iv) The range of moisture regimes as determined in (ii) were compared with those determined in (iii).
- (v) The most appropriate value of the sum of previous 5 days rainfall in *plateau* as determined in (iii) was selected against which the ranges of moisture regimes were closely matching to those as determined in step (ii).

The above procedure was repeated for different growing seasons, dormant seasons, monsoon seasons and non-monsoon seasons. Thus the above procedure was aimed at arriving appropriate criteria of AMC in *plateau* area that had equivalent moisture status to that under plains corresponding to different AMC groups so that the same procedure could be applied in *plateau* areas for runoff estimation. The new criteria developed for *plateau* and the existing criteria adopted for *plains* is presented in Table 4.1.

Table 4.1 Existing and modified criteria of AMC

AMC	Existing Criteria (Raipur)		Modified Criteria (Jagdalpur)	
	Growing season (Jun to Mar)*	Dormant season (Apr and May)	Monsoon season (Jun to Oct)	Non-monsoon season (Nov to May)
1	<36 mm	<12 mm	<10 mm	<10 mm
2	36-53 mm	12-28 mm	Escaped	10-18 mm
3	>53 mm	>28 mm	>10 mm	>18 mm

* Months are divided on the basis of crop cover-poor, fair, good as reflected by growth stages in the region.

Comparing of runoff using existing and modified criteria and subsequent verification/validation of developed model will be presented in chapters V and VI

4.2.2 Estimation of Direct Runoff from Rainfall

The data generally available in India are the amounts of rainfall measured by non-recording raingauges and for such data, rainfall-runoff relation was developed given by the following formula (CGWB-1994).

$$Q = (P - I_a)^2 / P - I_a + S \quad \dots\dots\dots 4.3$$

where Q is the runoff in mm.

P is the rainfall in mm.

S is the potential maximum retention in mm.

I_a is the initial abstraction during the period between the beginning of the rainfall and runoff in equivalent depth over the catchment in mm.

Condition of the Region for black soils, (AMC III) :

$$I_a = 0.1S \quad \dots\dots\dots 4.4$$

This equation can be used with the assumption that the cracks which are typical of these soils when dry have been filled. Therefore, the equation can be used where AMC would fall into groups II and

III. The same equation can be used for AMC I, if summer ploughing is done in the field and mixed with previous crop residues. Also uniformly under all AMC conditions, equation 4.4 can be used where the soils are of hydrologic soil group 'D' with problems of acidity, soil hardening and crusting. To show this relationship graphically, S values are transformed into curve numbers (CN) by the following equation.

$$CN = 25400 / (254 + S) \quad \text{.....4.5}$$

Using the above equations 4.3 to 4.5, the equation developed is

$$Q = (P - 0.1 S)^2 / (P + 0.9S) \quad \text{.....4.6}$$

4.3 DEVELOPMENT OF PROGRAMME FOR RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY CN

A computer programme was developed (Appendix II) for runoff estimation by CN as described in section 4.3, using the programming language C++. It contains three separate sub programmes for (i) Raipur - MW 1 (ii) Raipur-MW 2 and (iii) Jagdalpur. Various subroutines involved in this programme corresponds to various steps described in Fig 4.2 for runoff estimation. Two separate programmes are required for MW 1 and MW 2 of Raipur because of different durations of crop grown with changed crop cover conditions in different months. The programme has been made user's friendly. It is required to enter date (1.....28/29.....30/31), month (1.....12), and rainfall (mm) each time. It directly estimate runoff after calculating sum of previous 5 days rainfall, delineating crop cover, assigning CN-II, AMC, converting CN-II to new CN as per AMC, calculating S and finally runoff from rice, non-rice and its weighted value. The flow of informations in these computations is shown in the flow chart, Fig 4.2. A sample calculation of this programme was tested and it very well matched with those calculated by conditional statements (Appendix I) using MS Excel 5.0.

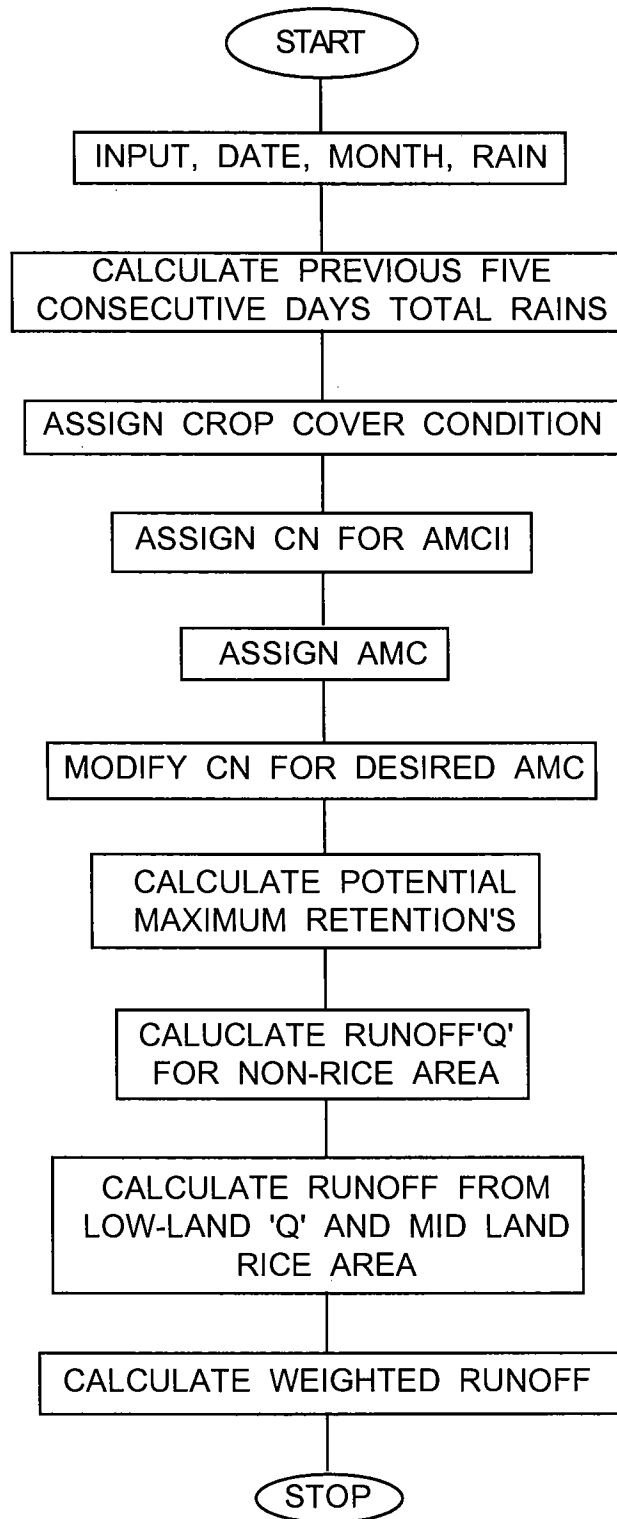


Figure 4.2

Flow chart for estimation of runoff by curve number technique

4.4 STRANGE'S METHOD

Strange's method as described in section 2.9, can be used to estimate monsoon runoff in terms of the percentage of monsoon rainfall by considering nature of the catchment as good, bad or average. Strange's method can be applied considering the catchment as 'good', if managed well with drainage system and SFR.

4.5 BINNIE'S METHOD

The readymade table prepared by Captain Garret and later slightly adjusted by Deptt. of irrigation, Govt. of Maharashtra (CGWB, 1994) can be used to estimate annual runoff as percentage of annual rainfall. In order to estimate monsoon runoff using corresponding rainfall, the Binnie's percentages are to be increased by 1.0 to 4.0 per cent, according to the observed series of monsoon and annual rainfall and runoff. This is based on the report of Betwa Command Area (CGWB, 1981) and adopted by the Minor Irrigation Deptt., Govt. of M.P.

4.6 RAINFALL ANALYSIS BY MARKOV CHAIN MODEL

For effective growth of rice crop, a minimum weekly rainfall amount of 50 mm is considered (Chaudhary, 1998). This is because of the fact that on daily basis 3-4 mm of percolation loss and 3-4 mm of ET loss take place. In early crop stages, percolation losses are found to be high as compared to later growth stages. On the contrary, the ET requirement is less at early stages and increased in later growth stages. This amounts to 7 mm of water loss per day or approximately to 50 mm of water loss every week.

4.6.1 Criteria of Dry Week and Wet Week

A week receiving equal to or more than 50 mm rainfall is considered as a wet week. Similarly, a week receiving less than 50 mm rainfall is considered as dry week.

4.6.2 Initial and Conditional Probabilities

Based on the historic data of weekly rainfall and following the above mentioned criteria of dry week and wet week, the initial probabilities can be calculated as:

$$P(D) = F(D) / n \quad \text{and} \quad P(W) = F(W) / n \quad \dots\dots\dots 4.7$$

where P(D) is the probability of occurrence of a dry week.

P(W) is the probability of occurrence of a wet week.

F(D) is the frequency of occurrence of a dry week.

F(W) is the frequency of occurrence of a wet week.

n is the number of years.

This conditional probabilities can be calculated as :

$$P(D/D) = F(D/D) / \{ F(D/D) + F(W/D) \} = F(D/D) / F(D) \quad \dots\dots 4.8$$

$$P(D/W) = F(D/W) / \{ F(W/W) + F(D/W) \} = F(D/W) / F(W) \quad \dots\dots 4.9$$

$$P(W/D) = F(W/D) / F(W) = 1 - P(D/D) \quad \dots\dots 4.10$$

$$P(W/W) = 1 - P(D/W) \quad \dots\dots 4.11$$

where P(D/D) is the probability of occurrence of a dry week provided the preceding week was a dry week.

P(D/W) is the probability of occurrence of a dry week provided the preceding week was a wet week.

P(W/W) is the probability of occurrence of a wet week provided the preceding week was a wet week.

P(W/D) is the probability of occurrence of a wet week provided the preceding week was a dry week.

This first letter in the conditional probability is indicating the present week and the second letter is indicating the past week.

4.6.3 Probability of Consecutive Wet Weeks and Dry Weeks

Probability of wet run and dry run of two weeks and three weeks can be calculated as:

$$P(2W) = P(W) \cdot P(W/W)_2 \quad \dots 4.12$$

$$P(2D) = P(D) \cdot P(D/D)_2 \quad \dots 4.13$$

$$P(3W) = P(2W) \cdot P(W/W)_3 = P(W) \cdot P(W/W)_2 \cdot P(W/W)_3 \quad \dots 4.14$$

$$P(3D) = P(2D) \cdot P(D/D)_3 = P(D) \cdot P(D/D)_2 \cdot P(D/D)_3 \quad \dots 4.15$$

where $P(2W)$ is the probability of two consecutive wet weeks.

$P(3W)$ is the probability of three consecutive wet weeks.

$P(2D)$ is the probability of two consecutive dry weeks.

$P(3D)$ is the probability of three consecutive dry weeks.

$P(W)$ is the initial wet probability.

$P(D)$ is the initial dry probability.

$P(W/W)_2$ is the conditional wet probability of second week (next week)

$P(W/W)_3$ is the conditional wet probability of third week (second next week)

$P(D/D)_2$ is the conditional dry probability of second week (next week)

$P(D/D)_3$ is the conditional dry probability of third week (second next week)

4.7 DESIGN OF SFR (FARM POND)

The water from dugout SFR is lost mainly through evaporation and seepage. An economical, efficient and durable evaporation retardant for SFR is yet to be found by research. Until such time, to overcome the storage loss of SFR, it is advisable to use the water immediately by irrigating and storing the water in the soil profile or subsequent utilization by deep rooted perennial crops. Seepage loss can be minimised by reducing the wetted or seepage area. However, the volume of stored water per unit wetted area increase with increase in the depth of water in SFR. Hence, there is a need to optimise the dimension to obtain the desired seepage reduction and to minimise the cost of SFR lining.

4.7.1 SFR Storage Optimization

The generalized form of equation for different derived parameters of trapezoidal section SFR are as follows :

4.7.1.1 Rectangular SFR : Plan and section is shown in Fig. 4.3.

$$(a) \text{ Average cross sectional area, } A_{av} = \frac{XY + (X+2DZ+Y+2DZ)}{2} \quad \dots 4.16$$

$$b) \text{ Wetted area, } A_w = XY + 2D \cdot (1+Z^2)^{1/2} \cdot (X+2DZ+Y) \quad \dots 4.17$$

$$c) \text{ Storage volume, } V = [XY + (X+2DZ) \cdot (Y+2DZ)] \cdot D/2 \quad \dots 4.18$$

Where X, Y = Length of the two adjacent sides of the SFR

D = Depth of the SFR

Z = Side slope (Horizontal : Vertical : : Z:1)

Now expressing $Y = CX$ or, $Y/X = C$

Equations 4.16, 4.17, 4.18 are transformed to equations 4.19, 4.20 and 4.21 respectively.

$$A_{av} = [CX^2 + (X+2DZ) (CX+2DZ)] / 2 \quad \dots 4.19$$

$$A_w = CX^2 + 2D (1+Z^2)^{1/2} \cdot (X + 2DZ+CX) \quad \dots 4.20$$

$$V = [CX^2 + (X+2DZ) \cdot (CX + 2DZ)] D/2 \quad \dots 4.21$$

Converting equation 4.21 to quadratic form and solving for X

$$X = [-DZ(1+C) + \sqrt{\{DZ(1+C)\}^2 - 4C(2D^2Z^2-V/D)}] / 2C \quad \dots 4.22$$

Theoretically, for a particular storage volume, the surface area of the SFR is the least when the depth is increased to a point where the bottom surface area becomes zero. For this condition we get :

By putting $X = 0$ and $Y = 0$ in equations 4.21, 4.19 and 4.20.

$$D = (V/2Z)^{1/3} \quad \dots 4.23$$

$$A_{av} = V/D = 2D^2Z^2 \quad \dots 4.24$$

$$A_w = 4D^2 Z \sqrt{1+Z^2} \quad \dots 4.25$$

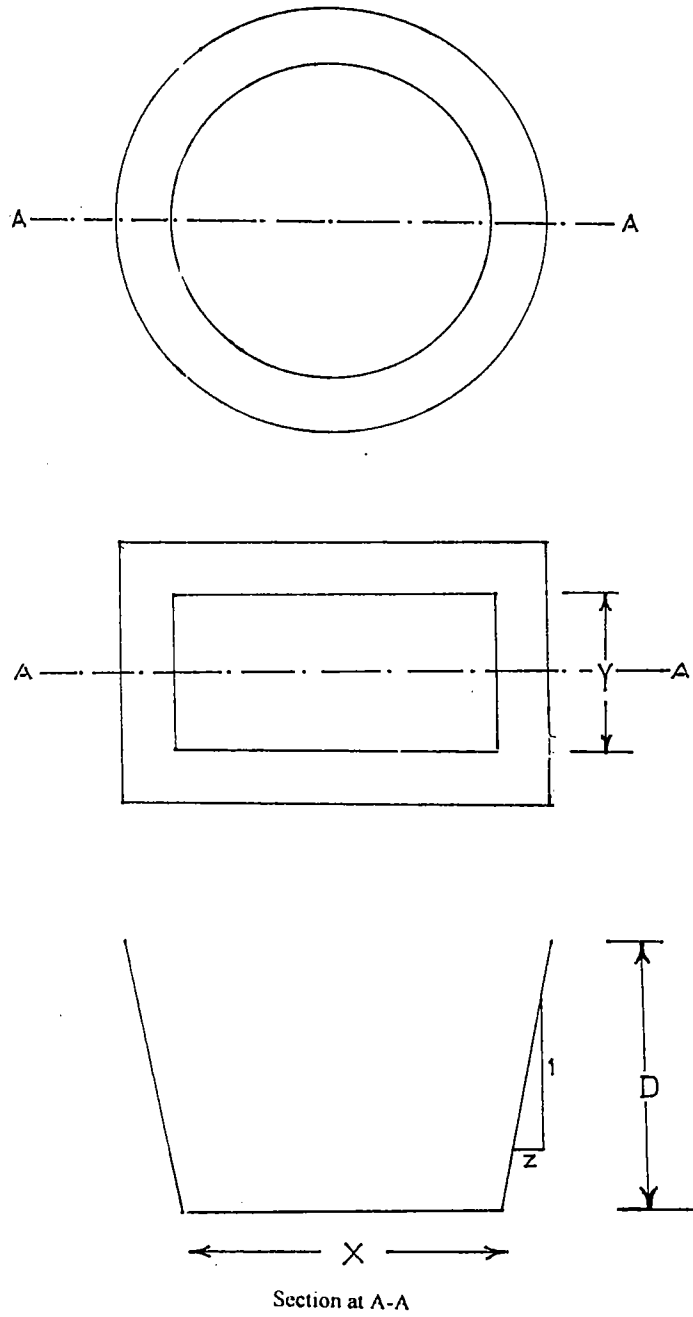


Fig. 4.3 Schematic representation of plan and section of circular and rectangular farm ponds

Thus using equations 4.23 to 4.25 optimum dimensions of a SFR for a particular storage volume can be arrived at. Equation 4.22 can be used to determine the other adjacent side Y.

4.7.1.2 Circular SFR

Let X be the diameter of SFR bottom

D be the depth of SFR

Z side slope (Horizontal : Vertical : : Z : 1)

$$A_{av} = \pi/8 * [X^2 + (X-2DZ)^2] \quad \dots 4.26$$

$$A_w = \pi D(X+DZ) * (1+Z^2)^{1/2} \quad \dots 4.27$$

$$V = \pi D/8 [X^2 + (X+2DZ)^2] \quad \dots 4.28$$

Converting equation 4.28 to quadratic form and solving for X :

$$X = -DZ + (-D^2Z^2 + 4V/D)^{1/2} \quad \dots 4.29$$

Theoretically, for a particularly storage volume, the surface area of the SFR is the least when the depth is increased to a point where the bottom surface area becomes zero. For this condition we get :

By putting X = 0 in equation 4.28, 4.26 and 4.27.

$$D = (2V/\pi Z^2)^{1/3} \quad \dots 4.30$$

$$A_{av} = \pi D^2 Z^2 / 2 \quad \dots 4.31$$

$$A_w = \pi D^2 Z (1+Z^2)^{1/2} \quad \dots 4.32$$

Thus using equations 4.30 to 4.32, optimum dimensions of a SFR for a particular storage volume can be arrived at.

4.7.2 Shape and Depth of SFR

For soils having mild to moderate sloping topography, excavated SFR are more suitable. These are of 3 types according to their shape: (i) Square (ii) Rectangular and (iii) Circular. Among these, the circular SFRs have the geometrical advantage that they have the highest storage capacity and have least circumferential length for a given surface area and side slopes (Radder *et al.*, 1995). and thereby minimizing the

seepage loss (Sahu, 1999). However, their curved shape is disadvantageous in as much as a substantial area is normally lost for agricultural operations (Radder *et al.*, 1995). Large areas of shallow water should be avoided due to excessive evaporation losses and the growth of noxious aquatic plants. The depth of SFR more than 3.0 m is not conducive for fish growth (FAO, 1998). The depth of soil and presence of hard strata and *murum* (semi weathered material) in the lower strata restricts the SFR depth. Therefore, optimum depth as calculated by equations 4.4 and 4.1 is subjected to above practical considerations for finally deciding the depth of SFR.

4.7.3 Mean Surface Area of SFR

For small, relatively shallow reservoirs for a given period of time, for which the surface area of the SFR is practically constant, the relationship between the various hydrologic factors and the dimensions of the SFR can be worked out as follows :

$$RA/a + P - (S + U/a + E) = d + W/a \quad \dots 4.33$$

From this relationship mean surface area of SFR can be worked out as follows :

$$a = (RA - W + U) / (S - P + d + E) \quad \dots 4.34$$

- Where
- A is the size of contributing drainage area, ha
 - R is the total runoff from the contributing drainage area per ha during the period under consideration, ha-m
 - a is the mean surface area of SFR for a given depth, ha
 - P is the precipitation falling on SFR during the period, irrespective of whether or not it produces surface runoff from the drainage area, m
 - E is the evaporation from the surface of the reservoir during the period under consideration, m
 - U is the amount of water used during the period, ha-m.
 - d is the average depth of water in SFR during the given period, m

S is the seepage loss during the given period, m.

W is the amount of water in excess of the capacity of SFR which is wasted over the spillway, m.

Another factor not included in the above expression, is the loss of reservoir capacity due to silting, which must be considered especially when the drainage area is cultivated. Once the mean surface area of SFR is known, its dimensions can be fixed/determined as per its shape by following relationship after using equations 4.19, 4.24, 4.26 and 4.31.

$$\text{Rectangular SFR} : a = (XY + dz(X+Y+2dZ)] * 10^{-4} \quad \dots 4.35$$

$$\text{Circular SFR} : a = (\pi/4(X^2 + 2XdZ + 2d^2Z^2)] * 10^{-4} \quad \dots 4.36$$

Where X, Y, d are the dimensions and Z is the side slopes (H:V ::Z:1) of SFR.

The minimum drainage area required to fill a reservoir with a given depth 'd' and a corresponding mean surface area 'a' within a reasonable time after completion (1-2 years) is expressed as follows :

$$A = (d - P - E + U/a) * a/R \quad \dots 4.37$$

Where P, E and R are amounts for the reasonable period (1-2 years) that can be expected to be equalled or exceeded 50 per cent or 80 per cent of the time.

The minimum drainage area required to maintain a dependable supply in a reservoir with a depth d and a corresponding mean surface area 'a' after the reservoir was once filled is expressed as follows :

$$A = (E + U/a - P - d) * a/R \quad \dots 4.38$$

With these relationships, curves or tables can be prepared for a given hydrologic region showing the minimum drainage areas needed to fill and maintain required supplies of water in reservoirs with various depths and corresponding mean surface areas.

For a given mean surface area of reservoir, greater depth will provide more storage and less water will be wasted over the spillway

when rainfall and runoff are less than ET plus water utilized during a given period, there will be no waste and during droughts the storage in a deep reservoir will supply water for longer periods than a shallower reservoir.

To provide a dependable supply in a small reservoir, the depth of usable water at no time be less than the difference between the total demand and the total supply during the critical period. This condition can be expressed as follows :

$$d \geq (E + U/a) - (RA/a + P) \quad \dots 4.39$$

For critical periods, when no runoff can be expected the minimum allowable mean surface area of SFR with a given depth is expressed as follows :

$$a \geq U/ (P + d - E) \quad \dots 4.40$$

The purpose of SFR, the topographic and geologic characteristics of the site, the hydrologic factors as well as economic and legal factors and health hazards all enter into the planning procedure for an adequate impounding SFR. The hydrologic considerations involved are basic and common to all uses (crop production, fish rearing, duck rearing etc.) and conditions (facility of gravity and lift irrigation).

4.8 SEEPAGE LOSS ESTIMATION FROM SFR

The water balance approach can be followed for a precise estimation of seepage losses by assessing the input and output components. The analysis in terms of depth is made as follows :

Initial depth of water in SFR = d_i

Final depth of water in SFR = d_f

Input to SFR : (i) Rainfall = R; (ii) Runoff = R_o

Output from SFR : Abstraction and losses :

Evaporation = E (Coefficient * Open pan evaporation)

Water use = W_u

Seepage = S

Applying the principle of conservation of mass

$$df = di + R + R_o - (E + W_u + S) \quad \dots 4.41$$

$$\text{or, } S = [(di+R+R_o) - (E + W_u)] - df \quad \dots 4.42$$

Thus the seepage and evaporation losses can be estimated using above expressions.

4.9 DESIGN OF SURFACE DRAINAGE SYSTEM

As an important component of rainwater management in crop production, to mitigate waterlogging in the microwatershed, particularly during high intensity storms, it is of utmost importance to design an appropriate drainage system with SFR as its outlet. The main drain leading to inlet of SFR can be provided with silt trap at its d/s end to reduce the silt load of drainage effluent before it enters into SFR. Utmost care is required to design drainage system for those areas which were recently converted into non-rice area from the traditional rice fields as a result of crop diversification taking place in this region. Also those non rice areas surrounding by u/s rice fields. Such fields require intensive drainage at closer spacing, particularly in vertisols. Kharif crops such as soybean, pigeon pea, groundnut and vegetables have a good drainage requirement. Time required for removal of excess water is 6-8 hours for vegetables, 24 hours for general crop and 72 hours for rice crop, (Gupta *et al.*, 1971). This excess water removal time was considered 16 hours for drainage system design at Jagdalpur (Sahu, 1999). The CN can be used (Equation 4.3) for estimation of runoff volume to be disposed through the surface drainage system. Rainfall intensity for 2-5 years recurrence interval can be taken for the duration equal to the period considered safe for the crops to be grown and conversion of this rainfall to the runoff depth. For the seasonal drainage system, which

is collapsed during tillage operations and needs to be reinstalled after this operation every year, a smaller recurrence interval of 1.25, 1.33, 1.66 and 2 years can be taken. Previously at Jagdalpur the drainage system was designed by taking 5 years recurrence interval (Sahu, 1999).

4.10 CROP AREA ALLOCATION MODEL

The crop area allocation model uses the linear programming technique to choose the crops and the area to be allocated to each crop for maximising returns. The first step is to identify suitable crops for the area using a suitable selection procedure (Pal *et al.*, 1996). This model uses the following information

- (i) Water requirement for crop maintenance
- (ii) Net income from each crop per unit of area based on current prices of production inputs and produce
- (iii) Production constraint e.g. limited water in SFR and available cultivated area.

Two components of seasonal water supply are the amount of water in the SFR to be used during monsoon season and during the year. Similarly two components of available cultivated area are : (i) during the monsoon and (ii) during the year. Rice, vegetables, mustard, gram at Raipur and rice, soybean, vegetables, mustard, gram, fruits, tubers at Jagdalpur were found suitable for the study area in earlier research (Pal *et al.*, 1996; Sahu, 1996). It was established that most farmers want to grow some rice for their own consumption. The model can be run for different combinations of limiting situations such as imposing a minimum area for rice and other crops and limited water supply conditions.

The crop area allocation process for these different situations was formulated as follows :

$$\text{Maximize : } Z = \sum_{i=1}^t C_i X_i \quad \dots 4.43$$

- Subject to
- i) $\sum_{i=1}^m W_i X_i \leq W_m$ (Monsoon water utilization)
 - ii) $\sum_{i=1}^t W X_i = W_t$ (Total water availability)
 - iii) $\sum_{i=1}^m X_i = X$ (Monsoon cropped area)
 - iv) $\sum_{i=1}^t X_i = 2X$ (Annual cropped area)
 - v) $X_r \geq PX$ (rice area as a fraction of monsoon area)
 - vi) $X_o \geq 0.05 X$ (oil seed area)
 - vii) $X_p \geq 0.05 X$ (pulse area)
 - viii) $X_v \geq 0.10 X$ (vegetable area)
 - ix) $X_f \geq 0.05 X$ (fruit area: **J-1, J-2**)
 - x) $X_t \geq 0.05 X$ (tuber area: **J-1, J-2**)
 - xi) $X_i \geq 0$

Where Z = maximum net return from all the crops. Rs.

C_i = net return from i^{th} crop, Rs/ha.

X_i = area under i^{th} crop, ha

m = number of monsoon crops

t = total number of crops

W_i = irrigation requirement of i^{th} crop in m^3/ha

W_m = monsoon season water utilization m^3

W_t = annual water availability, m^3

X_r = area under rice crop, ha

P = fraction of rice area to the total monsoon area.

X_o = sum of the area under oilseed crops, ha.

X_p = sum of the area under pulse crops, ha.

X_v = sum of the area under vegetable crops, ha.

- X_f = area under fruit crop (ha) (only in **J-1** and **J-2**)
 X_t = area under tuber crop (ha) (only in **J-1** and **J-2**).

It was established from nutritional survey conducted by ICMR and quoted in NARP status Report (1995) that besides rice, farmers should grow at least 5% of cropped area, each under oilseed and pulse crops. In tribal areas of Bastar it was reported that in addition to above, tubers and fruits each should also be grown at least in 5% of the cropped area. This report further recommended that in order to get regular income, the vegetables be grown in at least 10% of the cropped area.

CHAPTER V

MATERIALS AND METHODS

The literature reviewed and the problems identified in the study area, as given in the previous chapters, reveals that planning and design of efficient rainwater management through SFR water harvesting systems in a rainfed area requires systematic analysis of different types of information. There are rainfall, runoff, evaporation, crop evapotranspiration, dry spells, topography, crops to be grown, soil characteristics and irrigation requirement at various critical crop growth stages, besides the socio-economic conditions and infra-structural facilities of farmers. To study the feasibility of runoff collection in SFRs and its utilization for supplemental irrigation to rainfed crops in the monsoon season and subsequent use for establishment of post-monsoon crops, estimation of runoff, proper design of SFR and drainage system and computations of costs and benefits of the whole system are required.

5.1 RUNOFF ESTIMATION

Several runoff estimation models are in use. Most of them are quite complex in nature and require a large number of parameters in their use. Some of them are too simple and empirical in nature that their use is often questionable. Selection of an appropriate model for runoff estimation in this study was attempted, while selecting four of them for comparison which are popularly in use or are emerging as new techniques (Table 5.1). Consideration in selecting these models was based on the availability of data base in Indian condition.

The monsoon runoff was estimated for 4 microwatersheds (R-1, R-2, J-1, J-2), two each at Raipur and Jagdalpur, using the selected models. Hydrologic characteristics of each microwatershed (MW) have

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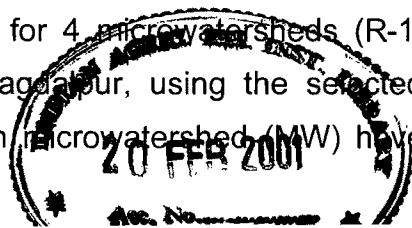


Table 5.1 Models and techniques of runoff estimation for evaluation

Methods	Inputs required	Out put delivered	Reference
1. Curve number technique	Daily rainfall, crop cover, soil characteristics land use, antecedent moisture conditions etc.	Daily runoff	Bhattacharya - 1999 Ramana Rao - 1994 Gupta <i>et al.</i> - 1971 SCS-USDA - 1964
2. Conservation factor approach	Monthly/monsoon/annual rainfall, soil conservation measures, soil type, land slope etc.	Monthly runoff	Singh - 1987 Bajpai - 1999
3. Strange's table	MW characteristics, good*, bad** average*** Stranges table monsoon rainfall	Monsoon runoff	CGWB - 1994 Shivanappan - 1992
4. Binnie's percentage	Annual rainfall, Binie's table	Annual runoff	CGWB - 1994 Bhandarkar - 1985

* MW with high slope, poor surface retention and absorption.

** MW with high surface water retention and absorption due to low gradient, heavy soil cover.

*** MW with mixed characteristics

been presented in Table 3.6 and the hydrologic behaviour of these microwatersheds has been depicted in Fig. 3.7. Daily rainfall of past 31 (Raipur) and 30 (Jagdalpur) years were collected from the meteorological observatory of IGAU Raipur and the local unit of IMD. Monthly runoff was worked out only by two methods viz. curve number technique and conservation factor approach, as the other methods estimate only monsoon or annual runoff; weekly and daily runoff estimation was possible only by 'curve number technique'.

5.1.1 Curve Number Technique (CN)

Daily runoff was estimated by curve number technique available for Indian conditions (Gupta *et al.*, 1970, 1971; Datta, 1986). In order to perform rigorous calculations, two types of computer programmes were developed : (i) Programme in MS Excel version 5.0 (Appendix I) and

(ii) Programme in C++ (Appendix II). The steps followed in daily runoff estimation were as follows (Appendix I) using conditional statements :

(i) **Daily rainfall (mm)** : Listed in column C alongwith date (column B) and month (column A) of Appendix I.

(ii) **Sum of previous 5 days rainfall** : Worked out in column D of Appendix I.

(iii) **Land uses** : Three land uses were considered : fallow, straight row crops and paddy. Month wise delineation was made as per the land use in the region i.e. in the months of April, May land remained fallow, straight row crops were grown during two seasons viz. monsoon; Jun-Oct, and post-monsoon; Nov-Mar. Paddy is grown in limited area only during monsoon season.

(iv) **Hydrologic soil group** : All the microwatersheds were put under group D due to low infiltration and heavy soil texture (Table 3.6).

(v) **Crop cover** : Monthwise delineation of 3 crop cover conditions was made based on the land coverage of less than 50; 50-75 and greater than 75 per cent. These conditions were respectively poor, fair and good, (Table 5.2) which approximately coincides with aforesaid months, in the two cropping seasons. In MW, R-2 different monthly sequence of crop cover condition was taken, as compared to the rest of the microwatersheds because the late duration pigeon pea covered both the crop seasons.

(vi) **Initial abstraction (I_a)** : It was taken as 0.1S uniformly for all the antecedent moisture conditions due to high runoff producing characteristics and well laid out drainage system.

(vii) **AMC** : The sum of previous 5 days rainfall was adopted for designating AMC of the MWs. The usual limit of previous 5 days total rainfall, however, was modified for MWs, J-1 and J-2, of *plateau* area due to high slopes which is discussed in section 4.2.1. The existing criteria was used for MWs, R-1 and R-2 of *plains* area while modified criteria (Table 4.1) was used for MWs, J-1 and J-2 lying in *plateau* area.

(viii) **Curve number for AMC-II** : After deciding the AMC, Ia (=0.1S) and soil group (D) the CN for AMC-II were selected using standard tables (GOI, 1972) for a given land use and crop cover condition (Table 5.2). These curve numbers were assigned with the help of conditional statement (column F, Appendix I).

Table 5.2 Monthwise delineation of crop cover conditions and curve numbers for AMC II

Land use	Crop cover condition	MWs, J-1, J-2, R-1		MW, R-2 Monsoon crop extended to post monsoon season	CN II for AMC II
		Monsoon crops	Post-monsoon cropd		
Straight row crops	Poor	Jun, July	Nov., Dec.	June to Aug	91
Straight row crops	Fair	Aug.	Jan	Sept. to Nov.	90
Straight row crops	Good	Sept. Oct.	Feb. March	Dec. to March	89
Fallow	P-F	-	April, May	April, May	94
Paddy	-	Jun to Oct.	-	Jun to Oct.	95

(ix) **Conversion of CN for AMC II to CN-for given AMC** : With the help of standard tables and conditional statement (Appendix I) the previously assigned for AMC II were converted into new curve number (CN-AMC) for the given AMC on daily basis.

(x) **Potential maximum retention "S"** : It was worked out by equation 5.1 after knowing the new curve number (CN) :

$$S = [1000/CN) - 10] \quad 25.4 \quad \dots 5.1$$

(xi) **Surface runoff "Q" from non-rice area** : It was calculated by equation 5.2, after putting the values of "P" - direct rainfall and "S" - the maximum potential retention

$$Q = (P - 0.1 S) / (P + 0.9 S) \quad \dots 5.2$$

(xii) Runoff from rice area : The CN value was taken as 95 (GOI, 1972) for estimating runoff by using equations 5.1 and 5.2. The runoff was estimated after allowing 50 mm retention in bunded rice fields, in case the rainfall exceeded 50 mm. Also upto 140 mm of initial rains (in the month of June mostly), runoff from rice fields was not allowed to be drained and as such runoff is treated as nil. This was in accordance to local practice for conserving rains for rice crop.

(a) Runoff from low land-rice : Runoff from low land-rice was estimated according to the procedure described above, treating no runoff for rains less than 2 mm or 0.1 S, whichever, is greater (Appendix I, column K).

(b) Runoff from upland-rice : Runoff from upland-rice was estimated according to the procedure described above treating no runoff for rains less than 25 mm or 0.1 S, whichever, is greater (Appendix I, column L).

5.1.2 Conservation Factor Approach (CF)

The hydrologic data available for the MWs (R-1, R-2, J-1, J-2) with different land uses and conservation measures were analysed and evaluated for their hydrologic response using the concept of conservation factor through regression approach (Singh, 1987 and Bajpai, 1999). Steps followed in runoff estimation were :

- (i) Conservation factor was worked out by using equation 4.1.
- (ii) The water yield producing factor was worked out by equation 4.2 for different periods i.e. monthly - seasonal and annual.
- (iii) The average watershed slope was worked out by equation 3.1.
- (iv) Regression models were developed between water yield producing factors and observed water yield of 8 years (R-1) and 6 years

(R-2, J-1, J-2). These runoff regression models were developed using the "curve fit" software.

- (v) Coefficient of determination R^2 was worked out and used to examine how the variation in observed water yields is accounted for by the variation in water yield producing factors.
- (vi) These regression models, developed for monthly, seasonal and annual runoff estimation, were used for the data series of 30 and 31 years at Jagdalpur and Raipur respectively.

5.1.3 Binnie's Method

The ready made tables prepared by Captain Garret and later slightly adjusted by the Deptt. of irrigation, Govt. of Maharashtra (CGWB - 1994) was used to estimate monsoon runoff for both the places. This table gives the values of annual runoff in terms of percentage of rainfall. In order to determine monsoon runoff using corresponding rainfall, the Binnie's percentages were increased by 1.0 to 4.0 according to the observed series of monsoon and annual rainfall and runoff. This was based on the report of Betwa Command Area (CGWB - 1981) and adopted by the Minor Irrigation Deptt., Govt. of M.P.

5.1.4 Strange's Method

Strange's method was applied considering catchment as "good" as they were managed well with good drainage system and farm pond. The monsoon runoff were directly worked out by using appropriate percentages from the tables (Sivanappan - 1992).

5.2 VALIDATION OF RUNOFF MODELS

Hydrologic model in simple term is a set of mathematical equations describing hydrologic processes in a given watershed. It is necessary to test the accuracy of prediction of these models to decide upon its applicability and use. Validation is the process by which the observed

and predicted series are tested for their statistical agreement over different locations at all times.

In the present context of model development, it was proposed to test the applicability of the model using the following steps :

- (i) Comparison between the observed and predicted runoff at two different locations (MWs) in the same agroclimatic zone, to verify the correctness of the chosen criteria. For Chattisgarh plains the existing criteria of AMC was used while in Baster plateau agroclimatic zone modified criteria of AMC was used for runoff estimation (Table 4.1) by curve number method.
- (ii) Comparison between the observed and predicted runoff estimated by using existing criteria and modified criteria of AMC at two different locations of Bastar plateau agroclimatic zone in order to adjudge the correctness of the modified criteria over existing criteria of AMC for runoff estimation.
- (iii) If verification is satisfactory, test of validation of the model without changing logic for all other sites in the same agroclimatic zone.
- (iv) If the tests at different sites are successful, the validity of the model is accepted.

It is necessary to assess the success of a model by using an appropriate statistical test. Such tests can be done by using parametric or non-parametric statistical procedures.

The statistical parameters used for comparison were (i) average (ii) CV in per cent (iii) Per cent deviation of estimated runoff with observed runoff (iv) Paired t-test.

- (v) Mean of the difference of estimated runoff with observed runoff. Eight years gauged data of R-1 and 6 years gauged data of R-2, J-1 and J-2 were used for comparison. Two types of comparisons of observed and estimated runoff were made :
 - (a) Comparison between observed and estimated runoff. The runoff was estimated by 4 methods viz. curve number technique (Raipur - using existing method, Jagdalpur-using modified method), conservation factor approach, Strange's method, Binnie's method.

- (b) (i) Comparison between observed and estimated runoff by CN technique (using existing criteria) for J-1 and J-2.
- (ii) Comparison between observed and estimated runoff by CN technique (using modified criteria) for J-1 and J-2.
- (iii) Comparison between estimated runoff for J-1 and J-2 using existing and modified criteria.

5.2.1 Paired t - test

Paired t - test (Parametric test) was performed to see if there was any significant difference between the means of observed runoff and the runoff estimated by four methods. Comparison were made on monsoon (June to October) runoffs. In this test, the null hypothesis (H_0) and alternate hypothesis (H_1) were as follows :

H_0 : Observed and estimated runoff are from the same population.

H_1 : Observed and estimated runoff are from different populations.

"t" values for (n-1) degrees of freedom were calculated by equation 4.6

$$t = \frac{|\bar{d}|}{\sqrt{S_d^2/n}} \sim t_{n-1} \quad \dots 5.3$$

Where \bar{d} is the mean of the difference of the estimated runoff with the observed runoff = $\frac{\sum d_i}{n}$ where n is the number of years of runoff being compared.

S_d^2 is the variance of the difference of the estimated runoff with observed runoff = $\frac{\sum (d_i - \bar{d})^2}{n-1}$

These calculated "t" values were compared with the table "t" values for (n - 1) degrees of freedom at 0.05 and 0.001 significance level. The range of per cent deviation of estimated runoff with observed runoff was

also worked out to assess the best method which gives results closest to the observed ones in estimating runoff.

5.3 COMPARISON OF RUNOFF

5.3.1 Between Pairs of Runoff Estimation Methods

Here again paired t-test was applied in a similar manner as described earlier for comparing the runoff estimated by different pairs of methods. Six pairs out of four methods were formed viz. CN. x Strange; CN x Binnie; CN x CF; Strange x Binnie; Strange x CF and Binnie x CF. Mean of difference and 't' values for runoff estimated by the methods (in pairs) under comparison were worked out. Calculated 't' values were compared with table 't' values at 5% and 1% level of significance to see whether the runoff estimated by two methods (under comparison) is statistically indifferent or the runoff estimated by two methods is significantly different.

5.3.2 Rice and Non-rice Areas

Runoff from rice areas under two conditions viz. low land and upland were compared with runoff from non-rice areas by applying the paired t - test to examine whether any significant differences in the means of runoff existed or statistically they belonged to the same population.

5.4 RAINFALL AND RUNOFF ANALYSIS

5.4.1 Fitting Probability Distributions

Long term fortnightly data (30 years for Jagdalpur and 31 years for Raipur) of monsoon rainfall and runoff estimated by CN were used to fit in appropriate probability distribution to draw inference on probable future behaviour of such events. The steps followed were :

- (i) Frequency curve of the data was drawn by adopting a suitable class interval.
- (ii) These were compared with the frequency curves of known probability distribution.

- (iii) Maximum likelihood estimates of the parameters of the chosen distribution were calculated.
- (iv) The probability density functions were used to predict the frequencies of the various class intervals.
- (v) Chi-square test was performed to test the goodness of fit between the observed and the estimated frequencies.
- (vi) If there was no significant differences between the two, the density function was used to predict the magnitude associated with various probabilities of exceedence.

5.4.2 Normal Distribution

The function NORMDIST (MS Excel 5.0) was used. It returns the normal cumulative distribution function. The equation used for the normal probability density function was

$$f(x, \mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \exp \left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right] \quad \dots 5.4$$

Where x = variable for which the distribution is required.

μ = arithmetic mean of the distribution

σ = standard deviation of the distribution

The probability (area under pdf curve) was obtained by multiplying the value on pdf curve of each class with class interval. The resultant when multiplied by the number of years of data, gave expected frequency.

5.4.3 Chi-Square Test of Goodness of Fit

The hypothesis to be tested was

H_0 : The data fit to normal distribution.

H_1 : The data did not fit to normal distribution.

Test statistic Chi square was calculated as :

$$\chi^2_{\text{cal}} = \sum (O_i - E_i)^2 / E_i \quad \dots 5.5$$

Where O_i is the observed and E_i is the expected frequencies. All Chi square calculated values were summed up to yield the test statistic χ^2_{cal} . Test statistic $\chi^2_{tab} = \chi^2_{\alpha, (k-1)}$ was seen from statistical tables at α level of significance and $k-1$ degrees of freedom. If $\chi^2_{cal} < \chi^2_{tab}$, the H_0 was accepted, and concluded that was $\alpha\%$ confidence that the data fit to a normal distribution. On the contrary if $\chi^2_{cal} > \chi^2_{tab}$, H_0 was rejected and the conclusion was that the data did not fit to normal distribution.

5.4.4 Expected Amount at Different Probabilities of Exceedence

After applying Chi square test - in case H_0 was accepted, the equation 4.7 was used to estimate the expected amount of rainfall / runoff at different probabilities of exceedence. The expected amount of rainfall/ runoff were worked out at fortnightly, seasonal and annual time intervals.

5.4.5 Exponential Distribution

The function EXPONDIST (MS Excel 5.0) was used. It returned the probability density function as :

$$f(X; \lambda) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \quad \dots 5.6$$

Where X = value of the function

λ = parameter of the distribution.

The probabilities on the pdf curve for each class were determined. The Chi square test of goodness of fit was applied as described under section 4.8.3. The expected amount of rainfall / runoff at fortnightly intervals were worked out using equation 4.9.

5.4.6 Gamma Distribution

The function GAMMADIST (MS Excel 5.0) was used to estimate the value on pdf curve for each classes. This function was used to study rainfall / runoff that had a skewed distribution. The probability density function for the Gamma distribution is

$$f(x; \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{\beta^{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha}} X^{\alpha-1} e^{-X/\beta} \quad \dots 5.7$$

Where α, β = parameters of distribution

X = variable for which distribution is required.

The values on the pdf curve for each class values were determined using equation 4.10. Chi square test (as given in section 5.4.3) was applied and expected rainfall / runoff at different probabilities of exceedence were determined using equation 5.7.

5.5 PROBABILITY ANALYSIS OF DRY WEEKS

Past 30-31 years rainfall data were used for analysis considering 5 rainy months (Jun to Oct). Various crop growth stages/month/season covered under the study were :

- Stage 1 Sowing / transplanting (27 + 28 SMW)
- Stage 2 Flowering (37 + 38 SMW)
- Stage 3 September (1 - 30 days)
- Stage 4 Reproductive phase (37 to 40 SMW)
- Stage 5 Monsoon season (23 to 42 SMW)

5.5.1 Criteria of Selecting Dry Day

Apart from the rainless day, a day was designated as a dry day, if the rainfall was less than 7.5 mm because at least 7.5 mm rainfall is necessary to make the upper soil crust moist. The two consecutive days on which rainfall occurred were considered dry only when the sum of the 2 days rainfall was less than 10 mm, if it was more, both the days were assumed to be wet though the rainfall may be less than 7.5 mm on any day (Gupta, 1972).

5.5.2 Fitting Probability Distributions

Following the procedure of section 5.4.1 frequency curves of number of continuous dry days in various periods were drawn and compared with curves of known probability distribution. After selecting the distribution (here Gamma distribution), its parameters (α , β) were determined. By using equation 4.10 frequencies of various class intervals were determined. After applying Chi square test of goodness of fit (section 5.4.3) and if there was no significant difference between observed and estimated frequencies, the magnitude of continuous dry weeks at various probabilities of exceedence were worked out. Average number of dry days and rainfall at various growth stages / monsoon season / months were also worked out.

5.5.3 Computation of Drought Level

Monthly and yearly drought levels were worked out (as proposed by Sharma *et al.*, 1979) as :

Drought month : Any month receiving rainfall less than 50% of the average monthly rainfall.

Drought year : Any year receiving rainfall less than or equal to $(X - SD)$ in which X is the mean and SD is the standard deviation of the annual rainfall.

5.6 EVAPOTRANSPIRATION (ET) OF CROPS

ET of rice crop was determined by lysimeters at Raipur (IGAU - 1994) and by drum culture technique at Jagdalpur (Sahu - 1993) for the period of 14 and 6 years respectively. ET of non-rice crops were determined by soil moisture depletion studies. Reference crop ET (using past 20 years meteorological data) were determined by modified Penman method as proposed by Doorenbos and Pruitt (1984). Crop coefficients were developed for each crop using the relationship (Doorenbos *et al.*, 1993).

$$ET_{\text{crop}} = K_c * ET_o \quad \dots 5.8$$

Where K_c = crop coefficient

ET_o = reference crop ET

5.6.1 Reference Crop Evapotranspiration (ET_o)

ET_o was worked out at fortnightly interval, starting from (1+2) SMW and ending in (51+52) SMW using meteorological parameters and modified Penman method as described above. This exercise was extended over 20 years for each period thus 20 values for each period were obtained.

5.6.2 Probability Distribution of ET_o

Following the procedure described under sections 5.4.1 to 5.4.3, good fit to normal distribution was obtained for each period. The expected amount of ET_o at different probabilities of exceedence was worked out as per the procedure described in section 5.4.4

5.6.3 Average Fortnightly Evaporation

The fortnightly evaporation as measured from open pan evaporimeter (USDA) was averaged over 22 and 15 years for Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively.

5.6.4 ET of Rice Crop

ET of rice (medium duration) was determined by lysimeters and averaged over 14 years (IGAU - 1994) at Raipur. ET of rice (early duration) was determined by drum culture technique (Sahu - 1993) and averaged over 6 years at Jagdalpur. ET_o , as worked out at 50% probability, and the ET values, as determined above, were correlated by equation 4.20 to obtain fortnightly and seasonal crop coefficient. Why ET_o was considered at 50% probability is discussed in Chapter VI. ET of rice during nursery stage was determined by soil moisture depletion studies right from sowing upto transplanting stage. Subsequently it was

measured by lysimeters at Raipur and drum culture technique at Jagdalpur. The various crop growth stages coinciding with different fortnightly intervals were also identified.

5.6.5 ET of Non-Rice Crops

A series of non-rice crops were covered under the study starting from cash crops (soybean, gram, mustard), vegetables (radish, okra), tuber crops (sweet potato, tapioca), fruits (banana, papaya), mixed crops (tapioca with groundnut).

ET of non-rice crops were determined by soil moisture depletion studies using the equation as

$$ET_j = \sum_{i=1}^n Q_{ij} \quad \dots 5.9$$

Where ET_j = crop ET requirement in mm in the j^{th} period

Q_{ij} = quantity of moisture depleted (mm) during the j^{th} time interval from i^{th} layer

Case (A) *No irrigation was applied*

Q_j was calculated from the change in soil water

content in successive samples from the relation as:

$$Q_j = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{M_{1i} - M_{2i}}{100} A_i D_i \quad 5.10$$

Where M_{1i} = soil moisture (%) at first sampling in i^{th} layer

M_{2i} = soil moisture (%) at second sampling in the i^{th} layer.

A_i = bulk density of soil in the i^{th} layer, g/cm^3 .

D_i = depth of i^{th} layer of soil root zone, mm

n = No. of soil layers sampled in the root zone depth D .

Case (B) *Irrigation was applied*

$$Q_j = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{M_{fci} - M_{bi}}{100} A_i D_i \quad \dots 5.11$$

where M_{fci} = field capacity moisture content in the i^{th} layer (%)

M_{bi} = moisture content before irrigation in the i^{th} layer (%)

Other terms remain same as in equation 4.22.

The short term ET as determined above were summed over crop growth period to result in total ET of crop.

5.6.6 Crop Growth Stages

ET crop and its crop coefficient were also worked out by delineating growth stages as defined by FAO - 1984, FAO - 1993 viz. 1. Initial stage 2 Crop development stage, 3. Mid season stage 4. Late season stage.

Based on above method, ET-crop was determined for monsoon crops (Rice, soybean, Okra, radish, Soybean) and postmonsoon crops (Radish, mustard, gram). ET of long duration crops, covering monsoon and post-monsoon season (tapioca, papaya, banana), were also worked out.

5.7 DESIGN OF SMALL FARM RESERVOIRS

Designs of SFRs were attempted considering rainfall and runoff at different probabilities of exceedence, irrigation requirement, seepage, evaporation and excess runoff, if any, above SFR capacity, to be disposed off. The mean surface area of 3 forms of SFR's was worked out using equation 4.34. This exercise was performed for all the four MWs, R-1, R-2, J-1 and J-2. The capacity of SFRs were decided while considering the above parameters for the monsoon season and the year as a whole (monsoon and post-monsoon season taken together). The different criteria and input parameters used for SFR's design are briefly described in Table 5.3. The input parameters; rainfall, runoff and

Table 5.3 The input parameters and criteria used for the designs of SFRs.

Input parameters	Criteria used	Remarks
Rainfall runoff	Four levels of probability of exceedence viz. 50, 60, 75, 80 per cent	Same for RP-1 and RP-2 Same for JP-1 and JP-2
Evaporation	0.66 times the pan evaporation (USWB)	-do-
Average depth of water	Observed depths, averaged over the years in SFRs during monsoon and during the year	Same for JP-1 and JP-2 Different for RP-1 and RP-2
Seepage loss	Observed depths 1.7, 1.0, 1.96 m during monsoon and 1.8, 1.1 and 2.28 m during the year in RP-1, RP-2 and JP-1/JP-2 respectively.	-do-
Drainage area	0.66, 0.37, 1.75 ha for RP-1, RP-2 and JP-1/JP-2	Depending on location of SFR in MW.
Water demand		
(i) Monsoon	Rice crop 2 irrigations each 5 m in R-1 1 irrigation 4 cm in R-2 2 irrigations 10 cm in J-1/J-2 Non rice crops No irrigation in R-1 and R-2 vegetables 4 irrigations each 7.5cm in R-1 J-1/J-2 4 irrigations each 5 cm in R-2	Depending on location of rice area with respect to SFR and soil type, ET requirement and moisture replenishment in root zone.
(ii) Post-monsoon	Vegetables 2 irrigations each 7.5 cm in R-1 6 irrigations, each 10 cm in J-1/J-2 Others 1 irrigation, 4.9 cm in R-1 1 irrigation, 7.3 cm pigeon pea in R-2 1 irrigations, 5 cm each in R-2 2 irrigations, 7.5 cm each in J-1/J-2	Depending on ET, soil type, moisture depletion in the root zone. For establishment of crop. Monsoon sown late mature Gram and mustard Gram and mustard
Mean water area	Considering monsoon and post-monsoon seasons	Uniform for all SFR's
Depth of SFR	1.8; 1.65 and 3 m in RP-1, RP-2, JP-1/JP-2 respectively.	Depending on geology of site
Rain catch area	Maximum inside area of SFR at the top of side bunds	Contributing direct rainfall
Freeboard	Not considered	Taken care by side bunds
Side slope	1:1 (H : V)	Observed to be safe
Excess runoff to be disposed	To store 100% runoff in SFR	Assumed to be zero
Total water gains	Direct rainfall, runoff in all SFRs additional seepage contribution in JP-1/JP-2	
Seepage contribution	Measured in nearby lined pit (except seepage face in u/s side 20 m x 20 m x 3 m	JP-1/JP-2 only
Total water loss from SFR	Evaporation + seepage + irrigation	Irrigation too considered as loss for water budgeting.

evaporation for different locations (JP-1 and JP-2; RP-1 and RP-2) in the same agroclimatic zone were almost same.

The runoff model output (Section 5.4.4) for expected amount of rainfall and runoff at various probabilities of exceedence were used in working out mean water surface area of SFR's. The seepage losses in SFR's were worked out by the water balance approach (section 4.8), after assessing the input and output components of SFRs daily. The observed mean depth of water in SFR's during monsoon season was 1.35, 1.20, 2.70 and during the year was 1.08, 0.89, 1.42 in SFR's, RP-1, RP-2 and JP-1/JP-2 respectively.

The depth of SFR was decided considering the geology of substrata at Raipur whereas at Jagdalpur besides geology, the considerations were given for fish rearing - for which 3 m depth was considered appropriate (FAO, 1998). The optimum depth was worked out using equations 4.23 and 4.30 for Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively.

For assessing the water demand, no supplemental irrigation was considered for non-rice crops grown at Raipur for the crops of soybean and pigeonpea because in the later part of crop growth when dry spell is expected, drains were used as tiny reservoirs by blocking them at about 10 m intervals which served for recharging the soil profile as moisture conservation technique. Supplemental irrigation were provided to only rice crop grown d/s of SFR at Raipur through gravity irrigation. Irrigation demand of crops were worked out considering the soil type, ET requirement (sections 5.6.4 and 5.6.5), crop growth stages and the actual moisture replenishment needed in the crop root zone. Moderate dry spell is expected at late maturity stage at Jagdalpur. Considering the location (u/s of SFR) of upland rice and percolation losses from rice fields, higher irrigation requirement of 10 cm was considered for rice crop whereas the same for non-rice area was considered as 15 cm (Table 5.3). the details of water demand in microwatershed was worked out considering both monsoon and postmonsoon season (Table 5.4).

Table 5.4 Estimation of water use (U) of SFRs

MW	Crops	Monsoon				Post-monsoon				Total ha-m
		No. of irrigation	Depth cm	Area ha	Water use ha-m	No. of irrigation	Depth cm	Area ha	Water use ha-m	
R-1	Rice	1	5	0.30	0.015	-	-	-	-	0.015
	Non-rice	-	-	-	-	1	4.9	0.80	0.039	0.039
	Vegetables	4	7.5	0.05	0.015	2	7.5	0.06	0.009	0.024
	Total	-	-	0.35	0.030	-	-	0.86	0.048	0.078
R-2	Rice	1	4	0.58	0.023	-	-	-	-	0.023
	Non-rice	-	-	-	-	1	7.3*	0.55	0.036	0.036
	Vegetables	4	4	0.03	0.006	2	7.5	0.06	0.009	0.015
	Total	-	-	0.61	0.029	0	0	0.51	0.045	0.074
J-1&J-2	Rice	2	10	0.50	0.100	-	-	-	-	0.100
	Non-rice	2	5	0.60	0.060	2	7.5	0.74	0.111	0.171
	Vegetables	4	7.5	0.10	0.030	6	10.0	0.60	0.240	0.270
	Total	-	-	1.20	0.190	-	-	1.34	0.351	0.541

- It included
- (i) Pigeon pea grown in 0.37 ha with water use of 0.027 ha-m at 7.3 cm irrigation.
 - (ii) Gram and mustard grown in 0.18 ha with water use of 0.009 of ha-m at 5.0 cm irrigation

In the Post-monsoon season, one come up irrigation of 4.9 and 5.0 cm was considered in view of the good amount of residual moisture available in **R-1** and **R-2**, respectively. This was required to establish crops like gram and mustard. In the other microwatersheds due to less availability of residual moisture, two irrigations were considered for non-vegetable crops. Taking into account the length of growing period of crops, besides other soil moisture parameters and critical crop growth stages, 2 and 4 irrigations were considered for MWs (R-1, R-2) at Raipur and MWs (J-1, J-2) at Jagdalpur respectively. The number and depth of irrigations, area covered and water use during monsoon, post-monsoon season and the total of the two seasons were worked out. In this way the water use (u) in equation 4.34 was determined for subsequent calculations of mean area 'a' of SFRs.

The capacity of SFR's were determined, after working out mean water area 'a' for the different alternative design at different probabilities of exceedence. The detailed dimensions of SFR were worked out by considering the mean water area for different alternative designs for 3 regular shapes of SFR.

5.8 CONSTRUCTIONAL DETAILS OF SFRs

A circular shape of SFR was preferred at Jagdalpur (JP-1, JP-2) (Plate 3) as it gives the minimum wetted perimeter for a given volume of storage, thereby minimising the seepage loss. On the other hand rectangular shape was selected at Raipur (RP-1, RP-2) (Plate 4) to make conformity with existing bunds/field roads. With side slopes (1:1), the SFR was an inverted frustum of a cone with top diameter of 56 m, bottom diameter of 50 m and depth of 3 m, for the design runoff arrived against 80% probability of exceedence. The storage volume at full water level of this SFR worked out to be 6640 m³. The SFR for MWs J-1 and J-2 were constructed with dozers down to a depth of 2.0 m. Excavation beyond this depth was done manually. The SFR's at Raipur (R-1, R-2) were constructed completely with dozers as per the design



Plate 3. Circular SFR in J-1 and J-2 at Jagdalpur



Plate 4. Rectangular SFR in R-1 and R-2 at Raipur

specifications arrived against 80% probability of exceedence. To facilitate the inflow of surface runoff, 30 cm diameter hume pipe inlet was provided with suitable stilling tank and antiseep collar arrangements (Plate 5). The SFRs were not provided with an outflow structure. Excess water was diverted into a diversion drain. This excess water was stored in rice fields, d/s to SFRs, at Raipur (Plate 6).

5.9 WATER BALANCE OF SFRs

The surface runoff flowing into the SFR was measured by automatic stage level recorder as well as by observing the accretion in the SFR water levels after rainfalls. The evaporation from open water surface of SFR was estimated by multiplying a factor of 0.66 (Khandelwal, 1999) to the daily open pan evaporation data recorded in USWB class A open pan evaporimeter. Daily rainfall data was recorded by Symon's non-automatic rain-gauge. Meteorological parameters were also obtained from the IGAU observatory located within 0.5 Km from the study site. Automatic weather station was installed at the study sites with data logger to monitor water levels in SFR (Plate 6). Daily water budgeting of SFR was carried out in order to partition various hydrological parameters viz. rainfall, runoff, evaporation, seepage losses, irrigation etc. Evaporation and seepage losses were estimated by equations 4.41 and 4.42. As mentioned earlier, the SFR's did not have any outflow arrangement of its own because these were designed to conserve all of the rainwater in excess to crop requirement. Excess water if any, a part of it was pumped into the SFRs after closing its inlet (Jagdapur) or stored in rice fields, d/s to SFR (Raipur). Incoming water, if any, was diverted into a diversion drain close to the inlet which, for water budgeting purpose, was considered as outflow from SFR. At certain times, an increase in pond water level was observed (**JP-2, JP-2**) even if there was no rain or direct runoff flowing into the SFR. Such inflow was treated as contribution of seepage from the u/s areas. Parallel measurements were also taken from 20 m x 20 m x 3 m pit in nearby area. It was lined



Plate 5. SFR in J-1 showing main drain, silt trap and inlet



Plate 6. Rice grown, D/s of SFR benefited by its seepage, gravity irrigation and unaccommodable runoff, in the foreground automatic weather station is seen

at all sides except u/s seepage face. The sediment concentration in the runoff was determined by analysis of the samples of runoff water taken periodically.

5.10 DESIGN OF DRAINAGE SYSTEM

Time required for removal of excess water is 6-8 hours for vegetable crops, 24 hours for general crops, 72 hours for rice crop (Gupta *et al.*, 1971). In experimental MWs, **R-1** and **R-2** rice was not grown in the drainage contributing area but in MWs, **J-1** and **J-2** rice was grown in uplands. Vegetables were grown in smaller raised area / uplands required less intensive drainage. Considering all these factors and the area covered under these crops, a weighted value of the time to remove excess water was taken as 16 hours. The annual maximum value of runoff were selected from the estimated values of daily runoff by CN technique (5.1.1). Daily maximum runoff data of 31 years (**R-1**, **R-2**) and 30 years (**J-1**, **J-2**) were arranged in descending order of magnitudes and the recurrence interval in years was computed by the Weibull's formula. Next, the magnitudes of runoff were plotted against the corresponding recurrence intervals and the magnitude corresponding to 1.25, 1.33, 1.66, 2 and 5 years recurrence intervals were interpolated from the plotted graphs. Thus, the recurrence intervals selected were 1.24, 1.33, 1.66, 2 and 5 years for working out the alternative designs of drainage system. Annual maximum values of daily runoff expected at above 5 levels of recurrence intervals were worked out. This was converted into discharge by considering 16 hours as the excess removal time (Sahu 1999). Using this as the design drainage coefficient and adopting Manning's equation for the hydraulic design (with $n = 0.04$, side slope $Z = 1 : 1$, $s = 0.001$ m/m), the channel flow depth was determined, including a freeboard of 0.2 times the flow depth for trapezoidal section.

Looking to the good drainage requirements of the Kharif crops and high runoff potential of soils in the MWs, a close spacing of 10 m and 7 m between the adjacent drains was adopted at Jagdalpur and

Raipur respectively. The kharif crops included soybean, groundnut, pigeon pea and small proportion of area under vegetables and tuber crops. All these drains led to a collector and then to main drain which ultimately led to the inlet of S.F.R. Before entering the water into SFR, silt traps were placed to collect coarser particles of silt load of the runoff. The layout of the drainage system for all the microwatersheds are shown in Figures 3.3 to 3.6; Plates 7 and 8.

5.11 RUNOFF SEDIMENT LOAD

The sediment concentration in runoff was determined by analysis of the samples of runoff water at fortnightly interval for a period of 3 years in the microwatersheds. With the runoff calculated at various levels of probability of exceedence, the sediment deposition for the same were worked out. Thereafter the resulting capacity reduction was estimated. The sedimentation in SFR takes place due to sediment inflow with runoff and also due to erosion of the SFR sides and banks. The later two components are difficult to measure. Hence to find the capacity loss due to sedimentation, capacity survey was conducted after first, second and third years of study in the dry season. Assuming the third year sedimentation value as the stabilised sedimentation rate and accounting for the higher sedimentation in the initial years, the capacity reduction of SFR's were calculated for 10, 15, 30 and 40 years of life respectively.

5.12 FISH PRODUCTION

Fish rearing in the small water bodies is a common practice in the region. Rish fingerlings were raised (enhancement of fish seeds from 1-2 cm size to 15-20 cm within a period of 45-60 days) in the SFRs of **R-1** and **R-2**. Fish rearing in SFRs **J-1** was carried out with pig dung (**J-1**) and cowdung including dairy washings (**J-2**) as a base feed (Plate 9). The common ration of oilcakes, rice straw and others were supplied to fishes, of **J-1** and **J-2**. Fish variety ratio in these SFRs were : Rohu 15 : Mrigal 70 : Grass Carp 15. At the start of monsoon season



Plate 7. SFR's inlet, main drain and silt trap along with post-monsoon crops in J-2



Plate 8. SFR based farming alongwith drainage system

liming [CaO and $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$] was done to disinfect the SFR bottom @ 1 t/ha of water area. Intake waters were screened to prevent predators from entering the culture ponds, as per the normal procedures (FAO, 1998).

5.13 IRRIGATION REQUIREMENT

Irrigation requirement of crops were worked out by considering soil texture, critical crop growth stage, ET requirement, excepted length of dry spell and soil water replenishment needed as worked out in previous sections. The water requirement of rice was worked out by considering its location d/s (**R-1**, **R-2**) or u/s (**J-1**, **J-2**) of SFR besides above factor (Plate 10). Considerations were given to water requirement of rice from output obtained by Markov-chain modelling of rainfall and dry spell. Monsoon vegetables (Okra followed by radish) were supplied two irrigations, one each to okra and radish. Fruits (Papaya + soybean) in **J-1** were provided four irrigations, two irrigations ($1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{ha}$) in monsoon season and two irrigation ($200 \text{ m}^3/\text{ha}$) in post monsoon season (Plate 11). Soybean was harvested in monsoon season, therefore, post-monsoon irrigation pertains to only papaya, supplied in the basins. Fruits (Banana + green chillis) in **J-2** were provided four irrigations, two irrigations each in monsoon ($1000 \text{ m}^3/\text{ha}$) and post-monsoon ($1400 \text{ m}^3/\text{ha}$) season (Plate 12). Tubers (Tapioca grown with groundnut) in **J-1** were provided two irrigations ($750 \text{ m}^3/\text{ha}$ each) (Plate 13), while in **J-2** only one irrigation was provided to tuber (sweet potato) crop (Plate 14). In **J-1** while groundnut was harvested in monsoon season, tapioca was extended to some portion of post-monsoon season because of longer duration. Soybean and groundnuts were grown with SFR water in **J-1** (Plate 15). Vegetables were also grown in both the seasons with SFR water (Plate 16 and 17), irrigation requirements is shown in Table 6.38 and 6.39. Besides above crops, intercropping of pigeon pea and groundnut (Plate 18) and gram and mustard (Plate 19) were also irrigated by SFRs.



Plate 9. Dairy effluent (washings) directed in the SFR to serve as fish feed and seepage retardant



Plate 10. Rice, U/s of SFR in J-1, is seen with pigeonpea grown on rice bunds



Plate 11. Papaya grown in J-1 with SFR water



Plate 12. Banana grown in J-2 with SFR water.



Plate 11. Papaya grown in J-1 with SFR water



Plate 12. Banana grown in J-2 with SFR water.



Plate 13. Tuber crop (Tapioca) grown in J-1



Plate 14. Tuber (Sweet potato) grown in SFR embankment and soybean is seen below in J-2



Plate 15. Soybean grown on embankment and groundnut is seen below in J-1



Plate 16. Vegetables grown in J-1 with SFR water



Plate 17. Vegetables grown in J-2 with SFR water



Plate 18. Intercropping of pigeonpea and groundnut (1:3) grown in J-1 with SFR water



Plate 19. Mustard and gram with one irrigation from SFR

Single phase 2 H.P. monoblock electric pumpset with discharge of 21.6 m³/hr was used to lift water from SFR. In **R-1** and **R-2**, gravity system with no extra pumping cost was adopted to irrigate downstream rice fields. A portable low cost sprinkler with 4 sprinkler heads fitted in GI pipes and run by power tiller operated pump (3HP) was used to irrigated post-monsoon crops in **R-1** and **R-2** with a discharge of 21.6 m³/hr.

5.14 ALLOCATION OF SFR WATER TO CROPS

It may be recalled from section 5.7 that corresponding to different probabilities of exceedences of rainfall and runoff, different SFR designs were arrived at. Each design ensures a certain volume of water available for distribution to different crop activities for irrigation and also for fish rearing. The linear programming approach was adopted to different crop activities (type and area under the crop) with the objective of maximizing the net returns from the crop production and fish rearing activities. While applying linear programming approach it was assumed that the input and output relationship are linear within the limited water resources as input. The details regarding the crop activities, area under the crop, the constraints etc. are discussed in detail in Section 6.18 under Chapter VI - Results and Discussion.

CHAPTER VI

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

6.1 AGRO-ECOLOGICAL REGION

The study site at Raipur comes under agro-ecological region 11 J3 C3. This region is described as Eastern Plateau (Chhattisgarh), hot sub humid eco-region with red and yellow soils and growing periods vary from 150 - 180 days. The other site at Jagdalpur comes under agro-ecological region 12 J2 C3 (4). This region is described as Eastern (Chhotanagpur) plateau and Eastern ghats, hot, sub-humid eco-region with red and lateritic soils, growing periods vary from 150 - 200 days (NBSS & LUP - 1992).

6.2 CLIMATIC WATER BALANCE

Detailed analysis of the water availability indicated that the humid periods, which is important for rice cultivation varies from 115 days (Raipur) to 137 days (Jagdalpur). The total combined duration of humid and moist periods are considered suitable for rice cultivation right from sowing operations to crop maturity. Thus the rice growing season of the study areas vary from 171 days at Jagdalpur to 142 days at Raipur (World Bank, 1995).

Climatic water balance helps in partitioning the rainfall in relation to the PET demand of the atmosphere, into the soil moisture accumulation, actual ET, water deficit and water surplus. The annual PET was higher than the annual rainfall at one of the study site (Raipur) while it was lower at the other (Jagdalpur) with higher annual water deficit at the former as compared to later (Table 6.1). Annual water surplus was also lower at Raipur as compared to Jadalpur. Soil moisture

Table 6.1 Climatic water balance of study sites

Particulars		Raipur	Jagdalpur
Annual			
1.	Annual rainfall (mm)	1260.4	1534.1
2.	Annual PET (mm)	1762.0	1422.2
3.	Annual AET (mm)	909.7	869.6
4.	Annual water surplus (mm)	525.6	632.6
5.	Annual water deficit (mm)	896.8	525.9
6.	Beginning of soil moisture recharge	10 June	3 June
7.	End of soil moisture recharge and beginning of water surplus	21 July	18 July
8.	End of water surplus and beginning of soil moisture use and water deficit	27 Sept.	15 Oct.
9.	Humid periods (days)	115	137
10.	(Humid + Moist) periods - rice growing season (days)	142	171
Growing season (Monsoon)			
1.	Rainfall (mm)	1202.0	1366.0
2.	PET (mm)	569.0	466.0
3.	Soil storage (mm)	MW1	370.0
		MW2	350.0
4.	Runoff and percolation losses (mm)	MW1	263.0
		MW2	284.0
5.	Loss to rainfall (%)	MW1	21.9
		MW2	23.6
6.	Loss per day (mm)	MW1	1.9
		MW2	2.0
7.	Available water for post-rice crop (mm)	Soil	168.0
		Rainfall	8.0
		Total	176.0
			182.0

recharge process begins one week earlier at Jagdalpur and ends 3 days earlier as compared to Raipur (Fig 3.2).

Growing season water balance at the two study sites (Table 6.1) indicate for ample rainwater availability during rice growing period directly from rains. At the same time, the excess water in the form of losses and soil storage are also substantially higher at Jagdalpur (586 - 530 mm) as compared to Raipur (284 - 263 mm). Thus, the available rainfall can meet the complete water requirement of rice, if all the available rain water can be stored in the field. Some of losses are unavoidable due to higher percolation rates and erratic distribution of rains. If the excess runoff water is stored in the dug out farm ponds at each farmer's field, it is possible to check flooding and avoid drought risk in monsoon season as well as establishing second crop.

6.3 ESTIMATION OF SURFACE RUNOFF

The surface runoff estimated by the four runoff estimation models are presented and discussed in this section.

6.3.1 Conservation Factor Approach (CF)

Conservation factors for the experimental watersheds were worked out as described in section 4.1 and selecting the numerical values for the input parameters as given by Bajpai (1999). These values are presented in Table 6.2. The high value of CF in J-1 as compared to J-2 showed its relative low runoff potential due to better conservation measures adopted. The regression models were developed for annual, monsoon and monthly runoff estimation (Table 6.3) showed highly significant correlation between CF and runoff at both the study sites, R^2 value being more than 0.8259.

Summary of the monthly and monsoon runoff is presented in Table 6.2 indicating higher variability of monsoon runoff at Raipur as compared to Jagdalpur. Similar trend followed for monthly runoff, therefore, it can

Table 6.2 Conservation factors for the microwatersheds

Particulars	Raipur		Jagdalpur	
	R-1	R-2	J-1	J-2
Land use	30	30	30	30
Soil conservation measures	15	15	25	15
Soil type	10	10	10	10
Conservation factor (CF)	55	55	65	45

be concluded that CF method gave better estimation of runoff in *plateau* as compared to *plains*.

6.3.2 Curve Number Method (CN)

The runoff estimated by this method at two different microwatersheds in each of the two agroclimatic zones are presented in Table 6.4. The coefficient of variation of estimated monsoon runoff was found to be very close to that of monsoon rainfall indicating the stability in runoff estimation except in MW, R-2 where the pigeon pea growth is very sensitive to high intensity storms and consequent drainage problem affecting runoff. The monthly runoff showed higher variability than seasonal runoff. June, the starting month of monsoon showed higher variability of runoff than rest of the months particularly in R-1 and R-2 when compared to rainfall variability.

6.3.3 Strange's Method

Table 6.4 gives the seasonal runoff values estimated by Strange's method. It is associated with higher degree of variability as compared to the variability of seasonal rainfall. These results indicate the instability of the method in runoff estimation at microlevel. However due to expeditious estimation with the help of ready made tables, this method find place in the minor irrigation / P.W.D. works for comparatively larger areas (GOMP, 1996).

Table 6.3 Regression models for estimation of runoff using conservation factor approach

MW	Period	Regression model	R ²
R-1	Annual	$Y = X/(0.062 - 0.002X)$	0.9204
	Monsoon	$Y = 6.1229 X^2 + 9.6931 X - 8.4083$	0.9740
	June	$Y = 32.4712 X^2 - 14.8274 X + 15.1007$	0.9898
	July	$Y = 26.6136 X^2 - 20.5568 X + 27.5757$	0.9777
	August	$Y = 823.3271 - (2436.1590/X) + 1937.3758/X^2$	0.8808
	September	$Y = 50.7845 X (1.6316/X)$	0.9151
	October	$Y = 30.1154 X^2 - 8.3738 X + 1.9254$	0.9878
R-2	Annual	$Y = 70.6486 X = 398.0234$	0.9842
	Monsoon	$Y = 70.6976 X - 349.1522$	0.9795
	June	$Y = 85.5010 X - 130.4032 + (61.4463/X)$	0.9882
	July	$Y = 1291.602 * (0.0004)^{(1/X)}$	0.9677
	August	$Y = 1059.7493 - (5333.3766/X) + (7287/X^2)$	0.9571
	September	$Y = 46.6651 X - 24.0607$	0.8951
	October	$Y = 12.84 X^2 - 5.1404 X + 2.1282$	0.8259
J-1	Annual	$Y = 2490.1558 - (55486.3335/X) + (360316.7677/X^2)$	0.9974
	Monsoon	$Y = 32.9781 X$	0.9563
	June	$Y = 422.2634/\exp (5.7005/X)$	0.9987
	July	$Y = 1/(0.0112 - 0.001 X)$	0.9196
	August	$Y = 38.3314 X$	0.9723
	September	$Y = X / (0.0359 - 0.0015 X)$	0.9977
	October	$Y = 28.5262 X$	0.9882
J-2	Annual	$Y = 68.5820 X - 104.1256$	0.9909
	Monsoon	$Y = 60.6489 X$	0.9684
	June	$Y = 255.1534 * (0.0752)^{(1/X)} * (X)^{0.3731}$	0.9992
	July	$Y = 1 / (0.0101 - 0.0016 X)$	0.9767
	August	$Y = 70.8951 X$	0.9777
	September	$Y = X / (0.0176 - 0.0007 X)$	0.9997
	October	$Y = 53.9264$	0.9834

Table 6.4 Surface runoff estimated by different methods (Data base : Raipur 31 years, Jagdalpur 30 years) (mm)

Particulars	June		July		August		September		October		Monsoon	
	Mean	CV(%)	Mean	CV(%)	Mean	CV(%)	Mean	CV(%)	Mean	CV(%)	Mean	CV(%)
RAIPUR												
Rainfall	185.3	65.9	306.4	40.5	335.1	31.7	180.5	68.9	46.6	103.2	1053.8	23.6
Curve No.	R-1	82.0	125.6	71.0	160.0	53.0	69.2	137.4	6.0	157.5	465.5	21.4
	R-2	82.4	125.1	148.2	71.0	168.1	72.6	133.7	6.7	155.1	478.1	39.0
Strange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	446.2	51.3
Binnie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	446.6	44.8
Cons. factor	R-1	78.9	133.1	134.9	73.1	171.1	53.0	61.1	5.9	157.5	444.9	44.0
(CF)	R-2	89.0	113.4	141.1	80.2	211.0	71.2	91.3	6.4	154.4	490.7	40.4
JAGDALPUR												
Rainfall	256.7	47.1	346.8	25.5	354.7	39.0	194.3	39.8	81.7	86.6	1234.2	21.3
Curve No.	J-1	131.7	70.6	204.2	32.2	212.4	48.2	50.4	33.4	120.7	678.2	26.8
	J-2	149.0	66.7	218.6	33.6	227.6	50.1	54.1	33.0	130.5	727.3	27.3
Strange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	617.3	45.8
Binnie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	644.0	39.1
Cons. factor	J-1	100.0	60.1	190.6	26.1	219.7	39.0	47.6	37.6	86.6	667.7	21.4
(CF)	J-2	109.2	65.6	205.1	24.8	223.6	39.0	43.4	39.2	86.6	647.7	21.4

6.3.4 Binnie's Method

This method also estimates only seasonal runoff. The average estimated runoff was 42.4 and 52.2 per cent of rainfall in *plateau* and *plains* with CV of 44.8 and 39.1 per cent respectively (Table 6.4). Though the CV of runoff was high in comparison to rainfall, this variation was less pronounced than the Strange's method. Therefore it can be said that Binnie's method is more stable than Strange's method for runoff estimation. Binnie's method too is quite popular in use due to ease in computation.

6.4 VALIDATION OF RUNOFF MODELS

Table 6.5 shows comparison between observed and estimated runoff during monsoon season (June to Oct.) by four methods

Average : The average estimated runoff by CN in J-1, J-2, R-1 and R-2 were quite close to the observed runoff which accounted for 46.0, 48.4, 54.0 and 58.3 per cent of rainfall respectively. The average runoff was almost same as observed by CF. The Strange's and Binnie's method estimates runoff lower than the observed values (Tables 6.5 and 6.6).

Per cent deviation from observed runoff : Estimated runoff deviated within narrow range from observed values in CN and CF but the range was large in case of Strange's than Binnie's method.

Mean of the difference with observed runoff : It was of low order in case of CN and CF whereas in case of Binnie's and Strange's method the range was large and negative indicating underestimation of runoff.

Coefficient of variation : The CV of estimated runoff was quite close to the observed runoff in case of CN and CF indicating the stability in runoff estimation whereas in other two methods it was large showing the instability in runoff estimation.

Paired t - test : This test indicated that there were no significant differences in the means of estimated and observed runoff in all the MWs

Table 6.5 Comparison between observed and estimated runoff during the monsoon period.

MW	Particulars	Rainfall (mm)	Observed runoff (mm)	Estimated runoff (mm) by different methods			
				Curve number	Strange	Binnie	Conser- vation factor
R-1	Average	1060.2	475.8	487.7	453.8	464.6	465.3
	CV (%)	25.8	45.9	46.9	57.7	48.5	46.8
	% deviation from observed	-	-	+2.5	-4.6	-2.3	-2.2
	Mean of the difference with observed	-	-	+11.8	-22.1	-11.2	-10.5
	Paired t-test ($t_{7, 0.05}$)	-	-	0.727	1.015	2.220	1.723
R-2	Average	1105.9	544.6	534.9	492.8	503.5	547.1
	CV (%)	24.3	38.4	43.1	53.4	43.7	37.6
	% deviation from observed	-	-	-1.8	-9.5	-7.5	+0.5
	Mean of the difference with observed	-	-	-9.7	-51.8	-41.1	+2.6
	Paired t-test ($t_{5, 0.05}$)	-	-	0.484	1.564	2.600*	0.208
J-1	Average	1138.8	604.4	614.8	542.5	564.0	618.2
	CV (%)	30.4	33.4	35.8	66.8	55.0	30.2
	% deviation from observed	-	-	+1.7	-10.2	-6.7	+2.3
	Mean of the difference with observed	-	-	+10.5	-61.9	-40.3	+13.8
	Paired t-test ($t_{5, 0.05}$)	-	-	0.503	0.867	0.777	0.980
J-2	Average	1138.8	625.2	663.6	542.5	546.0	625.6
	CV (%)	30.4	30.9	37.3	66.8	55.0	30.2
	% deviation from observed	-	-	+6.1	-13.2	-12.7	+0.1
	Mean of the difference with observed	-	-	+38.3	-82.7	-61.2	+0.4
	Paired t-test ($t_{5, 0.05}$)	-	-	1.175	1.119	1.141	0.029

* Significant at 5%

except Binnie's method that too in one MW, R-2 where the means of the differences in estimated and observed runoff were significant at 5% level of significance.

Performance evaluation of runoff estimation models is presented in Table 6.6.

Table 6.6 Performance evaluation of selected runoff estimation techniques

Runoff techniques	Average	Per cent deviation from observed	Mean of the difference	Paired t-test
Curve number technique	Quite close to the observed runoff	-1.8 to +6.1	-9.7 to +11.8	Non-significant
Conservation factor approach	Almost same as observed	-2.2 to +2.3	-10.5 to +13.8	Non-significant
Strange's method	Lower than observed runoff	-13.2 to -4.6	-82.7 to -22.1	Non-significant
Binnie's method	Lower than observed runoff	-12.7 to -2.3	-61.2 to -11.2	Non-significant

6.4.1 Justification and Performance of New Criteria for AMC Limit In plateau

Past 6 years moisture data in crop root zone indicated that the subsurface flow used to enhance the moisture regimes to such an extent that the existing limits of the sum of past 5 days rainfall for AMCs cannot be used as such. It needed to be modified, accordingly new criteria of describing AMC's were developed (Section 4.2.1). Use of existing criteria resulted in underestimation of runoff by 23.4 per cent. It can be seen by comparing the observed and estimated runoff by CN method using modified and existing criteria of AMC (Table 6.7). In the process of development of new criteria, it was observed that in most of the cases, almost same moisture regime existed when the previous 5 days sum of rainfall were less than 10 mm in plateau, as that existed when the

Table 6.7 Comparison of observed and estimated runoff by curve number method using modified and existing criteria of AMC

MW	Average run-off	Criteria	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Mon-soon
J-1	Average							
	(i) Observed		70.7	189.1	198.4	112.1	34.2	604.4
	(ii) Estimated	EM [#]	57.0	166.3	134.4	77.9	27.3	462.9
	(iii) Estimated	MM	79.2	189.4	198.7	112.9	34.7	614.8
	CV%							
	i) Observed		71.4	27.0	51.0	44.9	136.1	33.4
	ii) Estimated	EM	62.7	36.2	71.4	61.0	177.7	43.2
	iii) Estimated	MM	58.6	29.9	50.6	52.5	147.1	35.8
	% dev. from observed							
	i) Estimated	EM	-19.4	-12.0	-32.2	-30.5	-20.1	-23.4
	ii) Estimated	MM	+12.1	+0.1	+0.2	+0.7	+1.5	+1.7
	Paired t-test : $t_{s, 0.05}$							
	i) Obs. Vs. Est.	EM	4.30**	2.25	6.24**	6.03**	2.87*	14.20**
	ii) Obs. Vs. Est.	MM	2.08	0.04	0.05	0.11	0.13	0.50
J-1	Average							
	(i) Observed		72.8	197.3	202.9	115.9	36.3	625.2
	(ii) Estimated	EM	66.4	168.3	135.4	73.5	25.4	468.9
	(iii) Estimated	MM	79.8	215.4	212.8	116.4	39.2	663.6
	CV%							
	i) Observed		70.1	24.0	49.4	44.5	131.6	30.9
	ii) Estimated	EM	74.0	36.9	85.1	68.9	193.7	47.5
	iii) Estimated	MM	63.5	23.4	54.7	52.1	151.1	37.3
	% dev. from observed							
	i) Estimated	EM	-8.9	-14.7	-33.3	-36.6	-30.0	-25.0
	ii) Estimated	MM	+9.6	+9.2	+4.9	+0.4	+8.0	+6.1
	Paired t-test : $(t_{s, 0.05})$							
	i) Obs. Vs. Est.	EM	1.52	2.61*	5.71**	6.18**	2.97*	8.75**
	ii) Obs. Vs. Est.	MM	1.37	2.35	1.01	0.05	0.49	1.17

* Significant at 5%

** Significant at 1%

[#]EM existing method

MM modified method

previous 5 days sum of rainfall were less than 36 mm in plains (AMC I). Similarly the equivalent moisture regime existed in plateau area, for the previous 5 days sum of rainfall exceeding 9.9 mm as that existed in plains when previous 5 days sum of rainfall were more than 53 mm (AMC III). The AMC II condition is escaped or of very short duration in platea. On the same pattern, the criteria of AMC for plateau during post-monsoon season were developed. It may be noted that unlike in plains (dormant and growing season), uniform criteria was evolved for non-monsoon months irrespective of dormant season because of occurrence of rainfall, in the months of April and May by local cyclonic activity.

The performance evaluation of this new criterion of deciding AMC over the existing criteria is presented in Table 6.7. The performance was adjudged by 4 parameters viz. average, CV (%), per cent deviation from observed runoff, and finally by paired t-test. This was done for monthly as well as seasonal runoff for two locations (J-1, J-2) of plateau. The results are summarised below :

- (i) The existing criteria of AMC under estimates runoff by 23.4 per cent in J-1 and 25 per cent in J-2, where as the modified criteria estimates runoff quite close to the observed ones with difference of +1.7 per cent in J-1 and +6.1 per cent in J-2.
- (ii) The seasonal as well as monthly variability in runoff estimation associated with existing AMC criteria was higher as comapred to those associated with modified AMC criteria and observed values.
- (iii) Paired t-test indicated that the estimated runoff using existing AMC criteria was significantly different than that of observed runoff in most of the cases, seasonal as well as monthly values. On the other hand, no significant differences existed between observed runoff and those estimated by using the modified AMC criteria.

These results demonstrated that the existing criteria of AMC in runoff estimation by CN resulted in underestimation of runoff and the developed new criterion of AMC estimated runoff quite close to the observed runoff in plateau areas of Chhattisgarh.

6.5 COMPARISON BETWEEN RUNOFF ESTIMATED BY PAIRS OF METHODS

Comparative performance of the 4 runoff estimation methods was evaluated by comparing the runoff estimated by two methods. It was done by forming 6 different pairs (Table 6.8). For this purpose long term historical and short term recent data were used as shown in this table. Two parameters were used for comparison (i) mean of the difference and (ii) paired t-test - t values at appropriate level of significance. The results are summarised below :

- (i) As seen in Tables 6.5 and 6.6, CF and CN estimate runoff close to the observed runoff. Paired t - test applied for this pair (Table 6.8) further confirmed that there were no significant difference in the means of the runoff estimated by two methods.
- (ii) Comparison of runoff estimated by CF and Strange's method revealed significant differences using long term data in some of the MWs (R-2, J-2) while in remaining the difference in runoff were insignificant. Similarly short term data also show insignificant differences in the runoff estimated by two methods. Similar trend was observed in the runoff estimated by CF and Binnie's method.
- (iii) The comparison of runoff estimated by CN and Strange's method shows significant difference while using long term data and insignificant difference while using short term data. Similar trend can be seen while comparing CN and Binnie's method.
- (iv) Insignificant differences existed between the runoff estimated by Binnie's and Strange's methods.

From the above results some salient features emerged regarding comparative performance of methods.

- (i) CF and CN were at par in all the MWs.

Table 6.8 Paired comparison of seasonal runoff estimated by different methods over long and short term data

MW Parameters	Pair of methods for comparison					
	CF vs. CN	CF vs. Strange	CF vs. Binnie	CN vs. Strange	CN vs. Binnie	Binnie vs. Strange
M.D. 31 ⁺	-20.7	-1.4	-1.7	+19.3	+19.3	+0.3
8 ⁺	-22.4	+11.5	+0.7	+33.9	+23.0	+10.9
R-1						
$t_{30, 0.05}$	2.219	0.225	1.003	1.531	1.962	0.060
$t_{7, 0.05}$	1.204	0.542	0.178	2.162	1.272	0.533
M.D. 31 ⁺	+12.6	+44.5	+44.1	+31.9	+31.5	+0.3
6 ⁺	+12.3	+54.3	+43.7	+42.1	+31.4	+10.7
R-2						
$t_{30, 0.05}$	1.210	5.501**	11.330**	2.610**	3.341**	0.060
$t_{7, 0.05}$	0.539	1.734	4.852**	2.220	1.436	0.413
M.D. 30 ⁺	-11.5	48.8	22.7	+60.3	+34.1	+26.1
6 ⁺	-145.3	-73.0	-148.7	+72.3	-3.4	+75.7
J-1						
$t_{29, 0.05}$	1.234	1.825	0.921	2.884**	1.702	1.495
$t_{5, 0.05}$	0.810	0.315	0.891	1.209	0.204	1.023
M.D. 30 ⁺	-52.7	+56.8	+30.7	+109.5	+83.4	+26.1
6 ⁺	-37.9	+83.1	+61.6	+121.0	+99.5	+21.5
J-1						
$t_{29, 0.05}$	4.597*	2.147*	1.254	6.007**	4.324**	1.495
$t_{5, 0.05}$	1.411	1.136	1.108	2.466	2.536	0.553

M.D. Mean of the difference

+ Number of years of data used for comparison

* Significant at 5%

** Significant at 1%

- (ii) Binnie's and Strange's methods were also at par in all the MWs.
- (iii) CF and CN were superior over other two methods.

6.6 SELECTION OF RUNOFF MODEL

Based on the above results and discussion regarding performance of four runoff models. Their merits and demerits are summarised in Table 6.9. In the light of above merits and demerits and the requirement, the following ranking can be made in descending order

CN > CF > Binnie's method > Strange's method. Based on the above merits, demerits, ranking and the physical requirement in use, the CN is selected.

6.7 COMPARISON OF RUNOFF FROM RICE, NON-RICE, MID-LAND RICE AND LOW-LAND RICE AREAS

As described earlier, farmers of the region are now coming forward to grow non-rice cash crops viz. soybean, vegetables, pigeon pea, groundnut, etc. not only for economical gain but also under compulsion of frequent drought. In view of these emerging crop diversification, it is imperative to compare runoff from rice and non-rice areas to assess the additional water harvesting potential available due to such activity. Similarly due to dietary habit, affinity to rice and increased population pressure, farmers are opting to grow or extend rice cultivation in sub-marginal lands, consequently reducing their runoff potential. It is, therefore, necessary to assess the reduction in runoff water harvesting potential from such areas.

6.7.1 Rice Vs Non-rice Areas

The CN method distinguishes runoff from rice and non-rice areas. The runoff estimated by this method is shown in Tables 6.10 and 6.11.

Raipur : The seasonal runoff from non-rice area (R-1) was found to be higher by 19.5 and 75.8 per cent from low land and mid land rice area

Table 6.9 Merits and demerits of selected runoff methods

Methods	Merits	Demerits
Conservation factor	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Estimation is close to the observed values 2. Less assumptions and easy to work out procedure 3. Slope of watershed is considered so works equally good in plains and plateau areas 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Regression models need to be developed for each period under consideration 2. Daily, weekly or fortnightly estimation of runoff is quite difficult as R^2 values are not obtained in acceptable range
Curve number	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With ready made charts and tables, it is easy to work out runoff 2. Takes care of periodical variations of crop, soil moisture etc. so better representing ground realities at micro level 3. Runoff can be worked out stormwise and later clubbed to any desired period 4. Runoff from paddy fields can be estimated which is impossible in other methods 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Slope has no consideration in this method unless suitably amended 2. Errors are likely to occur in proper selection of curve numbers 3. Accurate estimation requires programming to avoid tedious calculations
Strange's and Binnie's	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Less number of input variables required 2. Easy to workout procedures 3. Locally adopted in the region 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Periodical variations of crops, soil moisture etc. are not taken care of 2. Short period (say weekly, fortnightly or monthly) estimation is quite impossible

Table 6.10 Estimated runoff by CN for (i) Rice and non-rice areas (ii) Low land and mid land rice areas (Runoff in mm)

Particulars	June		July		August		September		October		Monsoon	
	Mean	CV%	Mean	CV%	Mean	CV%	Mean	CV%	Mean	CV%	Mean	CV%
RAIPUR												
Rice-low land	31.1	167.7	127.1	43.2	139.5	41.0	71.9	79.6	20.0	122.8	389.7	28.9
Rice-mid land	24.1	193.9	84.8	69.4	98.0	55.7	46.4	116.0	11.4	158.4	264.8	36.5
Non rice	82.1	125.6	148.2	71.0	160.0	53.0	69.2	137.4	6.0	157.5	465.6	39.5
Non rice	82.4	125.1	148.2	71.0	168.1	51.6	72.6	133.7	6.7	155.1	478.1	39.0
% higher in low lands	29.0	—	49.9	—	42.3	—	55.0	—	75.4	—	47.3	—
JAGDALPUR												
Rice-Low land	59.1	104.9	49.4	32.9	154.9	47.7	86.8	39.8	34.7	92.0	484.9	27.7
Rice - Mid land	47.1	123.5	96.5	46.0	96.8	68.9	43.3	64.6	20.2	140.8	304.0	36.1
Non rice	148.9	63.6	224.5	34.7	236.5	51.2	92.9	50.3	27.6	133.7	730.5	23.9
% higher in low lands	25.5	—	54.8	—	60.0	—	100.5	—	71.8	—	59.5	—

Table 6.11 Comparison of runoff from rice areas and non rice areas in Chattisgarh

	Cropped area	Parameters	Runoff (mm)	
			Raipur	Jagdalpur
1.	Low land rice areas	a) Average	389.7	491.7
		b) CV (%)	28.9	27.0
2.	Mid land rice areas	a) Average	264.8	340.8
		b) CV (%)	36.5	33.5
3.	Non-rice areas	a) Average	465.6	730.5
		b) CV (%)	39.5	23.9
4.	Paired t-Test			
	i) Low land rice Vs. Non rice	a) mean of the difference	-75.9	-238.8
		b) Paired t-test	3.5**	10.2**
	ii) Mid land rice Vs. Non-rice	a) Mean of the difference	-200.7	-389.8
		b) Paired t-test	9.3**	15.7**
	iii) Low land rice Vs. mid land rice	a) Mean of the difference	+124.8	+151.0
		b) Paired t-test	18.2**	17.0**

respectively. These values for non-rice area (R-2) were 22.7 and 80.6 per cent.

Jagdalpur : The runoff from non-rice area was found to be higher by 50.6 and 140.3 per cent from low land and mid land rice areas respectively.

The variability of monsoon runoff from low land rice is comparatively less, 28.9 per cent, as compared to non-rice area, 39.5 per cent, at Raipur. Paired t - test indicated that there exists significant differences in the runoff produced by rice and non-rice areas at Raipur and Jagdalpur.

The runoff pattern from rice and non-rice areas as analysed above can be used to explore two possibilities

- (i) If midland rice is replaced by non-rice crops, the water harvesting potential can be enhanced by 200.8 and 389.7 mm at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively.
- (ii) If 20 per cent of mid land rice area (based on the assumption that the farmer opt to construct farm pond in 10 per cent of farm area, the dug out soil spread in 20 per cent surrounding area to have better drained area for growing vegetables, soybean, groundnut etc.) the water harvesting potential can further be enhanced by 15.2 - 15.7 mm at Raipur and 77.9 mm at Jagdalpur.

By adding the above figures for mid land and low land overall availability of runoff water harvesting potential can be enhanced by 216 mm at Raipur and 467.6 mm at Jagdalpur just by replacing rice with non-rice crops. This quantity is sufficient to grow second post-monsoon crop, if stored/conserved. The existing monocropped area can be benefitted by intensive farming, employment generation, assured water supply to cope up with frequent in-season drought and subsequent migration.

6.7.2 Low-land vs. Mid-land Rice Areas

The runoff estimated by CN was found to be higher in low land as compared to mid land (Table 6.11) due to higher percolation losses in the later and topographic advantage in the former. The mean monsoon total runoff was found to be 47.3 and 59.8 per cent higher at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively with monthly figures ranged from 29-75.4 per cent at Raipur and 25.5 to 100.5 per cent at Jagdalpur (Table 6.10).

6.8 RAINFALL, RUNOFF DISTRIBUTION

6.8.1 Type of Rainfall Distributions

Tables 6.12 and 6.13 shows type of rainfall distributions fitted to different periods of monsoon season at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively. In general, normal distributions were good fit to periods where variability of rainfall was comparatively less. In periods with high variability or low amount of rainfall, either exponential (in most of the cases) or Gamma distribution (in one case) fitted well to rainfall data. Annual as well as

Period	SMW	Mean rainfall (mm)	CV (%)	Probability density function	Distribution
Annual	1-52	1160.7	21.4	$f(X, 1160.7, 247.9) = \frac{1}{621.5} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-1160.7)^2}{122948.5}\right]}$	Normal
Monsoon	22-43	1055.5	23.8	$f(X, 1055.5, 250.7) = \frac{1}{628.5} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-1055.5)^2}{125721.0}\right]}$	Normal
May 21 - Jun 3	21+22	10.1	163.9	$f(X, 0.09873) = 0.09873 e^{-0.09873X}$	Exponential
Jun 4 - 17	23+24	54.6	134.8	$f(X, 0.0183) = 0.0183 e^{-0.0183X}$	Exponential
Jun 18 - Jul 1	25+26	139.8	68.0	$f(X, 0.007153) = 0.007153 e^{-0.007153X}$	Exponential
Jul 2 - 15	27+28	149.7	70.3	$f(X, 0.006681) = 0.006681 e^{-0.006681X}$	Exponential
Jul 16 - 29	29+30	125.9	51.8	$f(X, 125.9, 65.2) = \frac{1}{163.4} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-125.9)^2}{8501.3}\right]}$	Normal
Jul 30 - Aug.12	31+32	161.6	58.5	$f(X, 161.6, 94.6) = \frac{1}{237.1} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-161.6)^2}{17887.0}\right]}$	Normal
Aug. 13 - 26	33+34	141.7	50.4	$f(X, 141.7, 71.5) = \frac{1}{179.2} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-141.7)^2}{10218.8}\right]}$	Normal
Aug. 27 - Sept.9	35+36	117.5	53.0	$f(X, 117.5, 62.3) = \frac{1}{156.1} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-117.5)^2}{7760.1}\right]}$	Normal
Sept 10 - 23	37+38	90.1	125.4	$f(X, 0.011103) = 0.011103 e^{-0.011103X}$	Exponential
Sept 24 - Oct.7	39+40	41.5	82.9	$f(X, 0.024063) = 0.024063 e^{-0.024063X}$	Exponential

Table 6.13 Type of Rainfall distribution, good fit to different periods at Jagdalpur

Period	SMW	Mean rainfall (mm)	CV (%)	Probability density function	Distribution
Annual	1-52	1425.1	20.9	$f(X, 1425.1, 297.4) = \frac{1}{745.4} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-1425.1)^2}{176845.9}\right]}$	Normal
Monsoon	22-43	1247.7	21.2	$f(X, 1247.7, 264.5) = \frac{1}{662.9} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-1247.7)^2}{139888.8}\right]}$	Normal
May 21-Jun 3	21-22	32.4	88.6	$f(X, 1.2723, 25.5) = \frac{1}{61.6} \frac{1}{1.2723} X^{0.2723} e^{-X^{25.5}}$	Gamma
Jun 4-17	23+24	100.5	76.8	$f(X, 0.009946) = 0.009946 e^{-0.009946X}$	Exponential
Jun 18 - Jul 1	25+26	160.2	64.5	$f(X, 160.2, 103.3) = \frac{1}{258.86} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-160.2)^2}{21329.4}\right]}$	Normal
Jul 2 - 15	27+28	151.2	51.8	$f(X, 151.2, 78.34) = \frac{1}{196.37} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-151.2)^2}{12274.3}\right]}$	Normal
Jul 16-29	29+30	166.3	56.5	$f(X, 166.3, 93.96) = \frac{1}{235.52} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-166.3)^2}{17697.0}\right]}$	Normal
Jul 30 - Aug.12	31+32	159.6	42.6	$f(X, 159.6, 68.02) = \frac{1}{170.5} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-159.6)^2}{9253.4}\right]}$	Normal

(Contfd.)

Period	SMW	Mean rainfall mm	CV %	Probability density function	Distribution
Aug. 13-26	33+34	157.0	62.2	$f(X, 157.0, 97.73) = \frac{1}{245.0} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-157.0)^2}{19102.3} \right]}$	Normal
Aug. 27-Sept.9	35+36	131.7	48.4	$f(X, 131.7, 63.75) = \frac{1}{159.8} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-131.7)^2}{8128.1} \right]}$	Normal
Sept 10-23	37+38	92.6	53.1	$f(X, 92.6, 49.32) = \frac{1}{232.1} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-92.6)^2}{17149.5} \right]}$	Normal
Sept 24-Oct.7	39+40	63.5	90.8	$f(X, 0.017351) = 0.0.17351 e^{-0.017351X}$	Exponential
Oct. 8 - 21	41+42	32.3	102.1	$f(X, 0.030915) = 0.030915 e^{-0.030915X}$	Exponential

monsoon rainfalls (CV : 20.9-23.8 per cent) at both study sites followed normal distribution. At the start and end of monsoon season (CV : 68 - 163.9 per cent) when variability of rains was of higher degree, the exponential distribution was good fit at both the study sites except in (23 + 24) SMW at Jagdalpur where Gamma distribution fitted well. Rainfall for more fortnights in Jagdalpur followed normal distribution than that at Raipur.

6.8.2 Type of Runoff Distributions

Type of runoff distributions fitted to different periods of monsoon season at Raipur and Jagdalpur are given in Tables 6.14 and 6.15. Monsoon as well as post-monsoon runoff were described by normal distributions at both the places (CV : 26.2-40.5). Fortnightly runoff (except July 30 - August 12, CV 54.4 per cent and Aug 27 - Sep 9, CV 61.7 per cent at Jagdalpur) followed exponential distribution with higher variability (CV : 64.7 - 251.6 per cent). A comparison of variability in runoff for corresponding periods at both the places indicated higher values at Raipur as compared to Jagdalpur.

6.8.3 Expected Rainfall at Different Probabilities of Exceedence

Tables 6.16 and 6.17 show the expected rainfall at different probabilities of exceedence. The annual rainfall expected at 90 per cent probability is 843 mm and 1044.1 mm at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively which is quite below their respective drought levels (912.8 and 1127.7 mm) as defined in section 5.5.3. The rainfall amount predicted at 75 per cent probability of exceedence can be taken as minimum assured value and for crop planning that amount of rainfall should be available during the particular period (Ray *et al.*, 1980). The results indicated rainfall above the drought level is assured in Jagdalpur for more numbers of fortnights as compared to Raipur. Crop growth stage wise rainfall availability is given below :

Table 6.14 Type of runoff distribution, good fit to different periods at Raipur

Period	SMW	Mean rainfall (mm)	CV (%)	Probability density function	Distribution
Annual	1-52	479.3	38.7	$f(X, 479.3, 185.4) = \frac{1}{464.8} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-479.3)^2}{68767.5}\right]}$	Normal
Monsoon	22-43	463.4	40.5	$f(X, 463.4, 178.6) = \frac{1}{470.2} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-463.4)^2}{70359.6}\right]}$	Normal
Jun 4-17	23+24	21.4	251.6	$f(X, 0.046832) = 0.046823 e^{-0.046823X}$	Exponential
Jun 18 - Jul 1	25+26	68.4	117.3	$f(X, 0.014611) = 0.014611 e^{-0.014611X}$	Exponential
Jul 2 - 15	27+28	76.0	113.7	$f(X, 0.01316) = 0.01316 e^{-0.01316X}$	Exponential
Jul 16 - 29	29+30	55.5	96.9	$f(X, 0.018013) = 0.018013 e^{-0.018013X}$	Exponential
Jul 30 - Aug.12	31+32	79.4	95.2	$f(X, 0.012587) = 0.012587 e^{-0.012587X}$	Exponential
Aug 13 - 26	33+34	67.7	81.7	$f(X, 0.014776) = 0.014776 e^{-0.014776X}$	Exponential
Aug 27-Sept.9	35+36	43.2	102.5	$f(X, 0.023138) = 0.023138 e^{-0.023138X}$	Exponential
Sept 10-23	37+38	39.7	231.1	$f(X, 0.02518) = 0.02518 e^{-0.02518X}$	Exponential
Sept 24-Oct.7	39+40	8.5	141.2	$f(X, 0.118082) = 0.118082 e^{-0.118082X}$	Exponential

Table 6.15 Type of runoff distribution, good fit to different periods at Jagdalpur

Period	SMW	Mean rainfall (mm)	CV (%)	Probability density function	Distribution
Annual	1-52	741.5	27.6	$f(X, 741.5, 204.4) = \frac{1}{512.25} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-741.5)^2}{122948.5}\right]}$	Normal
Monsoon	22-43	683.0	26.2	$f(X, 683.0, 179.3) = \frac{1}{449.43} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-683.0)^2}{125721.0}\right]}$	Normal
May 21 - Jun 3	21+22	12.0	147.9	$f(X, 0.083025) = 0.083025 e^{-0.083025X}$	Exponential
Jun 4 - 17	23+24	44.8	119.2	$f(X, 0.02232) = 0.02232 e^{-0.02232X}$	Exponential
Jun 18 - Jul 1	25+26	92.5	84.7	$f(X, 0.010813) = 0.010813 e^{-0.010813X}$	Exponential
Jul 2 - 15	27+28	86.6	64.7	$f(X, 0.011545) = 0.011545 e^{-0.011545X}$	Exponential
Jul 16 - 29	29+30	99.4	69.9	$f(X, 0.010055) = 0.010055 e^{-0.010055X}$	Exponential
Aug 30 - Aug.12	31+32	93.4	54.4	$f(X, 93.4, 50.77) = \frac{1}{127.25} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-93.4)^2}{5154.64}\right]}$	Normal
Aug. 13 - 26	33+34	95.7	78.5	$f(X, 0.010145) = 0.010145 e^{-0.010145X}$	Exponential
Aug. 27 - Sept.9	35+36	70.6	61.7	$f(X, 70.62, 43.6) = \frac{1}{109.27} e^{-\left[\frac{(X-70.62)^2}{3800.77}\right]}$	Normal
Sept 10 - 23	37+38	45.5	67.7	$f(X, 0.021962) = 0.021962 e^{-0.021962X}$	Exponential
Sept 24 - Oct.7	39+40	28.7	114.2	$f(X, 0.034886) = 0.034886 e^{-0.034886X}$	Exponential
Oct 8 - 21	41+42	12.4	150.1	$f(X, 0.080539) = 0.080539 e^{-0.080539X}$	Exponential

Table 6.16 Expected rainfall amount at different probabilities of exceedence at Raipur

Period	SMW	Rainfall (mm) at probabilities of exceedence (%)					
		25	50	60	75	80	90
Annual	1-52	1328.0	1160.7	1097.9	993.5	952.1	843.0
Monsoon	22-43	1224.6	1055.5	992.0	886.4	844.5	734.2
May 21-Jun 3	21+22	14.0	7.0	5.2	2.9	2.3	1.1
Jun 4-17	23+24	75.7	37.9	27.9	15.7	12.2	5.8
Jun 18-Jul 1	25+26	193.8	96.9	71.4	40.2	31.2	14.7
Jul 2-15	27+28	207.4	103.8	74.5	43.1	33.4	15.8
Jul 16-29	29+30	169.9	125.9	109.4	87.3	71.0	42.3
Jul 30-Aug. 12	31+32	225.3	161.1	137.6	97.8	82.0	40.4
Aug 13-26	33+34	189.9	141.7	123.6	93.5	81.6	50.1
Aug 27-Sept. 9	35+36	159.6	117.6	101.8	75.5	65.1	37.8
Sept 10-23	37+38	124.9	62.4	46.0	25.9	20.1	9.5
Sept 24-Oct. 7	39+40	57.6	28.8	21.2	12.0	9.3	4.4

Table 6.17 Expected rainfall amount at different probabilities of exceedence at Jagdalpur

Period	SMW	Rainfall (mm) at probabilities of exceedence (%)					
		25	50	60	75	80	90
Annual	1-52	1630.3	1425.1	1349.8	1224.5	1174.9	1044.1
Monsoon	22-43	1432.0	1247.7	1180.7	1169.3	1025.1	908.8
May 21-Jun 3	21+22	44.8	24.5	18.8	11.6	9.4	5.1
Jun 4-17	23+24	139.4	69.7	51.4	28.9	22.4	10.6
Jun 18-Jul 1	25+26	229.8	160.2	134.0	90.5	73.3	27.8
Jul 2-15	27+28	204.1	151.2	131.4	98.4	85.3	50.8
Jul 16-29	29+30	229.7	166.3	142.5	102.9	87.2	45.9
Jul 30-Aug. 12	31+32	205.5	159.6	142.4	113.7	102.3	72.4
Aug 13-26	33+34	223.0	157.0	132.3	91.1	74.8	31.8
Aug 27-Sept. 9	35+36	174.7	131.7	115.6	88.7	78.1	50.0
Sept 10-23	37+38	126.2	92.8	80.4	59.5	51.3	29.6
Sept 24-Oct. 7	39+40	79.9	39.9	29.5	16.6	12.9	6.1
Oct. 8-21	41+42	43.5	21.9	16.2	9.1	7.1	3.4

Nursery stage : The ET of rice is much less than the availability of rains at 75 per cent assured probability of exceedence (17.4 mm - E_{rice}; 55.9 mm - rain) as can be seen from Tables 6.16 and 6.28. The probability of being a wet week is higher as that of a dry week (Table 6.20). However the probability of two consecutive wet weeks is low (Table 6.22).

Seedling stage : This stage coincided with (27+28) and (25 to 28) SMW at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively (direct seeded). Rice at Raipur may experience drought at this stage as chances of rainfall exceeding its requirement (74.4 mm) are only 60 per cent (Table 6.16). On the otherhand the rainwater availability at Jagdalpur (at 75 per cent probability of exceedence 188.9 mm) was much higher than its requirement of 120.7 mm (Tables 6.17 and 6.28). Initial probabilities (Table 6.20) shows higher probability of being a wet week.

Reproductive stage : This is the most sensitive stage of rice crop with regard to water availability. It extends from 35-40 and 33-38 SMW with 234.7 and 208 mm ET requirement at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively (Table 6.28). Rice crop at this stage may experience severe drought at Raipur as the water availability (113.4 mm at 75% probability of exceedence) is short of its requirement at this stage. The crop may not experience water shortage, as its availability (239.3 mm) is more than its requirement, at Jagdalpur.

Similar interpretations for non-rice crops revealed that in general, the rainwater availability was sufficient at 75 per cent probability of exceedence at Jagdalpur while it fell short of respective ET requirement at reproductive stage at Raipur.

6.8.4 Expected Runoff at Different Probabilities of Exceedence

Runoff at 75 per cent dependability is used in design of small and big reservoirs (CBIP - 1994, Irrigation deptt-Govt. of M.P. - 1996). The runoff at this probability of exceedence was worked out to be 336.9

Table 6.18 Expected runoff amount at different probabilities of exceedence at Raipur

Period	SMW	Runoff (mm) at probabilities of exceedence (%)					
		25	50	60	75	80	90
Annual	1-52	604.4	479.3	432.3	354.2	323.2	241.7
Monsoon	22-43	509.9	463.4	415.9	336.9	305.6	223.1
Jun 4-17	23+24	29.6	14.8	10.9	6.1	4.8	2.3
Jun 18-Jul 1	25+26	94.9	47.4	35.0	19.7	15.3	7.2
Jul 2-15	27+28	105.4	52.7	38.8	21.9	17.1	8.0
Jul 16-29	29+30	77.0	38.5	28.4	16.0	12.4	5.9
Jul 30-Aug. 12	31+32	110.2	55.1	40.6	22.9	17.7	8.4
Aug 13-26	33+34	93.8	46.9	34.6	19.5	15.1	7.1
Aug 27-Sept. 9	35+36	59.9	30.0	22.1	12.4	9.6	4.6
Sept 10-23	37+38	55.1	27.5	20.3	11.4	8.9	4.2
Sept 24-Oct. 7	39+40	11.7	5.9	4.3	2.4	1.9	0.9

Table 6.19 Expected runoff amount at different probabilities of exceedence at Jagdalpur

Period	SMW	Runoff (mm) at probabilities of exceedence (%)					
		25	50	60	75	80	90
Annual	1-52	879.4	741.5	689.7	603.7	569.5	479.6
Monsoon	22-43	803.9	783.0	637.6	562.1	532.1	453.3
May 21-Jun 3	21+22	16.7	8.4	6.2	3.5	2.7	1.3
Jun 4-17	23+24	62.1	31.1	22.9	12.9	10.0	4.7
Jun 18-Jul 1	25+26	128.2	64.1	47.2	26.6	20.6	9.8
Jul 2-15	27+28	120.1	60.1	44.2	24.9	19.4	9.1
Jul 16-29	29+30	137.9	69.0	50.8	28.6	22.2	10.5
Jul 30-Aug. 12	31+32	127.6	93.4	80.5	59.2	59.6	28.3
Aug 13-26	33+34	132.7	66.3	48.9	27.5	21.4	10.1
Aug 27-Sept. 9	35+36	100.0	70.6	59.6	41.2	33.9	14.7
Sept 10-23	37+38	63.1	41.7	23.2	13.1	10.2	4.8
Sept 24-Oct. 7	39+40	39.7	19.9	14.6	8.2	6.4	3.0
Oct. 8 - 21	41+42	17.2	8.6	6.3	3.6	2.8	1.3

mm and 562.1 mm for Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively (Tables 6.18 and 6.19). Runoff availability at reproductive stage of rice crop is expected to be only 26.2 mm at Raipur as compared to 81.8 mm at Jagdalpur. Thus runoff in combination with rainfall received at this stage cannot fulfil ET requirement of rice at Raipur whereas rainfall received at 75 per cent dependability alone can fulfil ET requirement of rice at Jagdalpur. It may be concluded that stored runoff in ponds can be utilised to save rice crop at Raipur at the reproductive stage whereas additional runoff available at this stage could be stored for establishing second post-monsoon crop at Jagdalpur.

6.9 RAINFALL AND DRY SPELL ANALYSIS BY MARKOV CHAIN

The crop planning in the region can be planned in such a way that vegetative growth and development period of rice crop must fall during the period when probability of occurrence of a wet week is greater than 50 per cent. It is, therefore, necessary that sowing of the rice crop must take place 3 weeks prior to the occurrence of a week with $P(W) > 50\%$ as the seedling stage in rice crop is normally taken as of 3 weeks duration followed by vegetative growth and development period of the crop. The crop should enter into its maturity phase when $P(D)$ becomes 0.75, as longer wet spells during the reproductive stage of the rice crop will result in sterility and reduced yield. It means reproductive stage of the rice must end by the week till $P(D)$ reaches 0.75. The reproductive stages and maturity stages of the rice crop are considered of 4 weeks and 3 weeks duration respectively.

The initial (55-71%) and conditional wet probability (0.57-0.76) was the highest from 25 to 33 SMW at Raipur. Similarly the initial (53-70%) wet probability was the highest from 24-36 SMW and conditional wet probability (52-74%) was the highest from 24-34 SMW at Jagdalpur (Table 6.21). The probabilities of getting two and three consecutive wet weeks during this period indicates the continuous and heavy rainfall. Hence, to harvest runoff, storage tanks may be used for recycling during deficit

Table 6.20 Initial probabilities of dry and wet weeks* during monsoon season at the study sites

SMW	Raipur		Jagdalpur	
	P(W)	P(D)	P(W)	P(D)
22	0.00	1.00	0.13	0.87
23	0.06	0.94	0.27	0.73
24	0.23	0.77	0.57	0.43
25	0.55	0.45	0.53	0.47
26	0.58	0.42	0.63	0.37
27	0.55	0.45	0.57	0.43
28	0.65	0.35	0.63	0.37
29	0.61	0.39	0.63	0.37
30	0.55	0.45	0.67	0.33
31	0.65	0.35	0.67	0.33
32	0.58	0.42	0.70	0.30
33	0.71	0.29	0.63	0.37
34	0.42	0.58	0.57	0.43
35	0.52	0.48	0.57	0.43
36	0.45	0.55	0.43	0.57
37	0.35	0.65	0.27	0.73
38	0.19	0.81	0.20	0.80
39	0.19	0.81	0.23	0.77
40	0.16	0.84	0.07	0.93
41	0.03	0.97	0.03	0.97
42	0.03	0.97	0.07	0.93
43	0.03	0.97	0.10	0.90

* Dry week - rainfall < 50 mm

Wet week - rainfall \geq 50 mm

Table 6.21 Conditional probabilities of dry and wet weeks

SMW	Raipur				Jagdalpur			
	P(W/W)	P(D/W)	P(D/D)	P(W/D)	P(W/W)	P(D/W)	P(D/D)	P(W/D)
22	0.00	1.00	0.86	0.14	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
23	0.25	0.75	0.73	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.94	0.06
24	0.75	0.25	0.50	0.50	1.00	0.00	0.83	0.17
25	0.53	0.47	0.46	0.54	0.57	0.53	0.46	0.54
26	0.56	0.44	0.29	0.71	0.65	0.35	0.50	0.50
27	0.63	0.37	0.55	0.45	0.61	0.39	0.54	0.46
28	0.53	0.47	0.23	0.77	0.76	0.24	0.50	0.50
29	0.68	0.32	0.45	0.55	0.60	0.40	0.36	0.64
30	0.74	0.26	0.45	0.55	0.63	0.37	0.58	0.42
31	0.60	0.40	0.20	0.80	0.71	0.29	0.43	0.57
32	0.65	0.35	0.20	0.80	0.70	0.30	0.64	0.36
33	0.52	0.48	0.11	0.89	0.67	0.33	0.23	0.77
34	0.58	0.42	0.45	0.55	0.45	0.55	0.67	0.33
35	0.47	0.53	0.31	0.69	0.54	0.46	0.50	0.50
36	0.65	0.35	0.54	0.46	0.44	0.56	0.53	0.47
37	0.41	0.59	0.54	0.46	0.29	0.71	0.59	0.41
38	0.23	0.77	0.71	0.29	0.18	0.82	0.80	0.20
39	0.38	0.62	0.86	0.14	0.50	0.50	0.88	0.12
40	0.33	0.67	0.79	0.21	0.17	0.83	0.84	0.16
41	0.14	0.86	0.96	0.04	0.20	0.80	1.00	0.00
42	0.00	1.00	0.96	0.04	0.00	1.00	0.97	0.03
43	0.00	1.00	0.93	0.07	0.00	1.00	0.97	0.03

Table 6.22 Probability of dry and wet runs of two and three weeks

SMW	Raipur				Jagdalpur			
	P(2W)	P(3W)	P(2D)	P(3D)	P(2W)	P(3W)	P(2D)	P(3D)
22	0.00	0.00	0.94	0.77	0.03	0.02	0.63	0.32
23	0.06	0.04	0.77	0.35	0.20	0.11	0.37	0.17
24	0.13	0.08	0.35	0.18	0.30	0.17	0.20	0.06
25	0.35	0.22	0.23	0.12	0.30	0.19	0.13	0.07
26	0.35	0.27	0.23	0.11	0.40	0.21	0.20	0.05
27	0.42	0.25	0.23	0.08	0.30	0.21	0.10	0.05
28	0.39	0.24	0.13	0.08	0.43	0.32	0.17	0.08
29	0.39	0.27	0.23	0.10	0.47	0.28	0.17	0.03
30	0.39	0.27	0.19	0.12	0.40	0.26	0.07	0.01
31	0.45	0.30	0.23	0.05	0.43	0.23	0.07	0.01
32	0.39	0.18	0.10	0.06	0.37	0.21	0.03	0.02
33	0.32	0.17	0.19	0.10	0.37	0.17	0.17	0.05
34	0.23	0.10	0.29	0.15	0.27	0.17	0.13	0.07
35	0.23	0.06	0.26	0.15	0.37	0.15	0.23	0.13
36	0.13	0.02	0.32	0.265	0.23	0.05	0.23	0.16
37	0.06	0.03	0.52	0.45	0.10	0.04	0.40	0.35
38	0.10	0.02	0.71	0.60	0.10	0.03	0.63	0.50
39	0.03	0.01	0.68	0.68	0.07	0.01	0.63	0.61
40	0.03	0.00	0.84	0.81	0.03	0.00	0.73	0.71
41	0.00	0.00	0.94	0.90	0.00	0.01	0.90	0.84
42	0.00	0.00	0.94	0.94	0.07	0.01	0.90	0.80
43	0.00	0.00	0.97	0.94	0.07	0.01	0.83	0.83

period. The wet probability linearly decreases with the increasing dry probability (Table 6.22).

The initial dry probability is more than 55% at both the stations during reproductive stage indicating the immense need of supplemental irrigations to different crops, particularly rice crop. It ranges from 55-81% at Raipur and 57-80% at Jagdalpur. Similarly conditional dry probabilities at reproductive stage varies from 53-88% and 54-86% at Raipur and Jagdalpur respectively (Table 6.21).

6.10 PROBABILITY ANALYSIS OF DRY DAYS

Gamma distribution was found to be good fit to the number of dry days occurring during monsoon season at both the places (Table 6.23). Observed probability of dry days was determined by Weibull's methods and expected continuous dry days at various crop growth stages at different probability of exceedence was estimated using Gamma distribution. Reproductive phase was found to be most vulnerable for dry spell. The expected continuous dry days at 25% probability of exceedence were found to be highest (17.4 at Raipur and 14.1 at Jagdalpur) among all other stages of crop growth. The longest continuous dry spell throughout the monsoon was found to be 23 days at Jagdalpur and 26.5 days at Raipur at 25% probability of exceedence, whereas the respective figures at 75% probability of exceedence were 12.1 (Jagdalpur) and 16.0 (Raipur). To be on the safer side, the 25% probability of exceedence may be used for planning water resources in analysis of dry days (Gupta, 1982). The observed probability as calculated by Weibull's method are quite close to that estimated by Gamma distributions at both the places. It was found that dry spell exceeding 7 days (Sahu - 1993 and Pal *et al.*, 1994) during flowering or complete reproductive phase is detrimental to rice productivity. If this criteria is adopted, the reproductive phase of Raipur (9.3 days at 75% probability of exceedence, 17.4 days at 25% probability of exceedence) requires supplemental irrigation. Similarly at 25% probability of exceedence (14.1 days)

Table 6.23 Computed and observed probability of occurrence of dry spells during various periods/growth stages (in days)

Place	Periods/ growth stages	SMW days	Parameters of distribution	Expected length of dry spell \geq at probability of exceedence					
				25%	40%	50%	60%	75%	80%
Jagdapur	Transplanting	27+28	$\alpha=3.075$ $\beta=1.442$	5.8 (6.0)	4.6 (4.9)	4.0 (4.3)	3.4 (3.7)	2.6 (2.8)	2.3 (2.5)
	Flowering	37+38	$\alpha=5.725$ $\beta=1.252$	8.9 (8.2)	7.5 (6.7)	6.8 (5.8)	6.0 (4.9)	5.0 (3.7)	4.6 (3.2)
	Reproductive phase	37to40	$\alpha=3.808$ $\beta=2.897$	14.1 (13.8)	11.5 (10.0)	10.1 (8.6)	8.8 (7.7)	6.9 (6.7)	6.2 (6.5)
	September	1-30	$\alpha=4.988$ $\beta=2.124$	13.3 (11.3)	11.1 (9.4)	9.9 (8.3)	8.8 (7.3)	7.1 (5.9)	6.6 (5.4)
	Monsoon season	23to42	$\alpha=4.710$ $\beta=3.872$	23.0 (22.7)	19.1 (18.2)	17.0 (16.0)	15.0 (14.3)	12.1 (12.1)	11.1 (11.5)
Raipur	Transplanting	27+28	$\alpha=2.730$ $\beta=1.855$	6.7 (6.8)	5.2 (5.2)	4.5 (4.4)	3.8 (3.8)	2.8 (3.0)	2.5 (2.8)
	Flowering	37+38	$\alpha=5.833$ $\beta=1.360$	9.8 (10.9)	8.3 (9.2)	7.5 (8.0)	6.7 (6.9)	5.6 (5.2)	5.1 (4.7)
	Reproductive phase	37to40	$\alpha=4.918$ $\beta=2.814$	17.4 (17.9)	14.5 (13.8)	12.9 (11.9)	11.4 (10.5)	9.3 (8.9)	8.5 (8.5)
	September	1-30	$\alpha=5.049$ $\beta=2.370$	15.0 (16.6)	12.5 (13.3)	11.2 (11.3)	9.9 (9.6)	8.1 (7.4)	7.4 (6.7)
	Monsoon season	23to42	$\alpha=7.380$ $\beta=2.951$	26.5 (26.0)	22.8 (21.7)	20.8 (19.7)	18.9 (18.0)	16.0 (15.9)	14.9 (15.3)

NB : Figures in brackets represent observed length of dry spell as calculated by weibull's method

reproductive phase of rice at Jagdalpur also requires supplemental irrigation to save rice crop - if full potential of the crop is to be realised.

The average number of dry days during monsoon season as observed at Raipur are slightly high (88.1) as compared to Jagdalpur (78.2) (Table 6.24). Reproductive phase including flowering stage experienced highest number of dry days at Raipur (21.8) as compared to Jagdalpur (18.4).

Table 6.24 Average number of dry days and rainfall (mm) during crop growing season

Particulars	Dry days		Rainfall	
	Raipur	Jagdalpur	Raipur	Jagdalpur
June (from 4)	18.2	16.2	183.2	249.2
July	15.4	14.3	306.4	346.4
August	15.2	13.6	335.2	354.7
September	20.6	17.9	180.4	194.3
October (till 21)	18.6	16.5	34.5	68.3
Total	88.1	78.2	1040.9	1214.4
Transplanting (27+28 SMW)	6.8	6.7	149.7	151.2
Reproductive phase (37 to 40 SMW)	21.3	18.4	131.6	159.8
Flowering (37 + 38 SMW)	9.6	7.9	90.1	92.9

6.11 EVAPOTRANSPIRATION (ET) OF CROPS

6.11.1 Reference Crop Evapotranspiration (ET_o)

Reference crop evapotranspiration (ET_o) as calculated by modified Penman method at different probability levels and obtained by normal distribution is shown in tables 6.25 and 6.26. The normal distribution was found to good fit the ET_o for all the fortnightly intervals of the year. Average fortnightly amount of evaporation (daily as well as total) for the

Table 6.25 Reference crop evapotranspiration ET_o by modified-penman method at different probability levels - Raipur

SMW	ET_o (mm/day) at probability of exceedence (%)					
	20	40	50	60	75	80
1+2	3.61	3.43	3.35	3.27	3.14	3.09
3+4	3.95	3.73	3.63	3.53	3.37	3.31
5+6	5.20	4.88	4.74	4.60	4.36	4.27
7+8	5.32	5.10	5.00	4.91	4.75	4.69
9+10	6.43	6.08	5.93	5.78	5.53	5.43
11+12	7.24	6.98	6.86	6.75	6.56	6.49
13+14	8.06	7.77	7.64	7.51	7.29	7.21
15+16	9.72	9.26	9.06	8.87	8.54	8.41
17+18	10.42	9.96	9.76	9.56	9.23	9.10
19+20	11.34	10.49	10.12	9.75	9.14	8.90
21+22	10.73	10.2	10.00	9.78	7.41	9.27
23+24	9.89	9.12	8.79	8.46	7.91	7.69
25+26	6.24	5.71	5.49	5.26	4.88	4.73
27+28	5.67	5.20	5.00	4.80	4.46	4.33
29+30	4.96	4.62	4.47	4.32	4.07	3.97
31+32	4.55	4.30	4.19	4.09	3.91	3.84
33+34	4.70	4.39	4.25	4.12	3.90	3.81
35+36	4.16	3.92	3.81	3.71	3.54	3.47
37+38	5.09	4.75	4.60	4.46	4.21	4.11
39+40	5.15	4.95	4.87	4.78	4.64	4.59
41+42	5.01	4.81	4.72	4.63	4.49	4.43
43+44	4.85	4.60	4.50	4.39	4.22	4.15
45+46	4.06	3.90	3.84	3.77	3.65	3.61
47+48	3.92	3.77	3.70	3.63	3.53	3.48
49+50	3.66	3.47	3.38	3.29	3.15	3.09
51+52	3.53	3.28	3.17	3.06	2.88	2.81

Table 6.26 Reference crop evapotranspiration ET_0 by modified-penman method at different probability levels - Jagdalpur

SMW	ET_0 (mm/day) at probability of exceedence (%)					
	20	40	50	60	75	80
1+2	3.79	3.58	3.49	3.39	3.24	3.18
3+4	4.14	3.95	3.87	3.79	3.66	3.61
5+6	5.10	4.84	4.72	4.61	4.41	4.34
7+8	5.69	5.41	5.29	5.17	4.97	4.89
9+10	6.66	6.29	6.13	5.97	5.71	5.61
11+12	7.85	7.26	7.01	6.76	6.34	6.17
13+14	8.28	7.80	8.59	7.38	7.03	6.89
15+16	9.21	8.52	8.22	7.92	7.43	7.23
17+18	9.27	8.49	8.16	7.83	7.28	7.06
19+20	9.98	8.94	8.50	8.05	7.31	7.01
21+22	10.32	9.24	8.77	8.31	7.53	7.23
23+24	8.61	7.75	7.39	7.02	6.41	6.17
25+26	5.78	5.15	4.88	4.61	4.16	3.99
27+28	4.64	4.34	4.22	4.09	3.88	3.79
29+30	4.28	4.04	3.94	3.83	3.66	3.59
31+32	3.99	3.75	3.65	3.54	3.37	3.30
33+34	4.30	4.02	3.91	3.79	3.59	3.52
35+36	4.22	4.00	3.91	3.82	3.66	3.60
37+38	4.81	4.49	4.35	4.21	3.98	3.89
39+40	5.71	5.15	4.90	4.66	4.26	4.10
41+42	5.00	4.68	4.54	4.41	4.18	4.09
43+44	4.66	4.36	4.23	4.10	3.88	3.80
45+46	4.10	3.94	3.87	3.80	3.66	3.64
47+48	4.29	3.97	3.84	3.70	3.48	3.39
49+50	3.85	3.55	3.43	3.30	3.09	3.01
51+52	4.19	3.85	3.71	3.56	3.32	3.22

available periods at study site is shown in Table 6.27. Evaporation in most of the fortnights were found to be higher at Raipur as compared to Jagdalpur. Consequently, the same trend is reflected in ETo at respective study sites.

Senapati *et al.* (1996) used ETo at 20% probability level as calculated by Weibull's method. If we take this probability level ET of rice will be overestimated (by 8.9% at Raipur and 11.3% at Jagdalpur) as compared to long term measured values of ET by lysimeters and drum culture technique at Raipur and Jagdalpur. ET of rice as worked out by ETo at 50% probability level was very close to the observed/measured ET values at both study sites therefore 50% probability value was considered appropriate for working out ET.

6.11.2 ET of Rice Crop

ET of mid duration rice variety at Raipur was found to be 647.3 mm as compared to 528.3 mm of early duration rice at Jagdalpur (Table 6.28). It is seen that crop coefficient was low in the beginning i.e. from sowing to tillering period and then slowly increased and attained a maximum value of 1.50 (Raipur) and 1.37 (Jagdalpur) in the 13th (Raipur) and 10th (Jagdalpur) week when flowering took place. The trend of values is in conformity with trend given by Doorenbos and Pruitt (1975), Shih *et al.*, (1982) and Sahu *et al.* (1990) as per different stages of crop growth. The early duration rice variety had three fold advantages in utilizing pond stored harvested water.

- (i) Fields get ready for subsequent crops earlier, to utilise residual moisture.
- (ii) Reduced ET requirement which enhanced the availability of pond water for subsequent crop.
- (iii) Reduced intensity of dry spells at reproductive phase :

Table 6.27 Average fortnightly amount of evaporation (mm)

Data base : Raipur - 22 years (1978-1999)
Jagdalpur - 15 years (1985-1999)

(mm)

Period	S.M.W.	Raipur		Jagdalpur	
		Total	Daily	Total	Daily
Monsoon	22-43	753.5	4.89	506.2	3.29
May 21-Jun 3	21+22	182.3	13.02	107.9	7.71
Jun 4 - 17	23+24	153.4	10.95	86.8	6.20
Jun 18-Jul 1	25+26	85.2	6.09	49.1	3.51
Jul 2 - 15	27+28	62.0	4.43	36.7	2.62
Jul 16 - 29	29+30	52.3	3.74	32.2	2.30
Jul 30-Aug 12	31+32	46.7	3.34	29.7	2.12
Aug 13 - 26	33+34	48.4	3.46	32.0	2.29
Aug 27-Sep 9	35+36	48.3	3.45	35.3	2.52
Sep. 10 - 23	37+38	48.3	3.45	41.7	2.98
Sep 24-Oct. 7	39+40	50.6	3.61	44.7	3.19
Oct. 8 - 21	41+42	51.6	3.69	44.5	3.18
Post-monsoon	44-12	581.8	3.96	546.0	3.71
Oct. 22-Nov. 4	43+44	47.4	3.39	45.5	3.25
Nov 5 - 18	45+46	44.0	3.15	44.7	3.19
Nov 19-Dec 2	47+48	43.4	3.10	42.1	3.01
Dec 3 - 16	49+50	36.8	2.63	39.1	2.79
Dec 17 - 31	51+52	37.8	2.52	40.7	2.72
Jan 1 - 14	1+2	39.5	2.82	37.4	2.67
Jan 15 - 28	3+4	43.5	3.11	45.6	3.26
Jan 29-Feb 11	5+6	57.2	4.09	51.0	3.64
Feb 12 - 25	7+8	70.7	5.05	63.2	4.51
Feb 26-Mar 11	9+10	85.3	6.09	74.3	5.30
Mar 12-25	11+12	100.6	7.19	85.9	6.13

Table 6.28 Crop coefficient, ET_0 and ET_{rice} at study sites (mm)

Crop growth stage	SMW	Crop coefficient	Daily ET_0	Daily ET_{rice}	Total* ET_{rice}	Remarks
Nursery	23-26				17.39	RAIPUR
Seedling	27-28	1.06	5.00	5.31	74.40	Medium
Vegetative	29-30	1.17	4.47	5.23	73.25	duration
Vegetative	31-32	1.19	4.19	5.01	70.10	variety
Vegetative	33-34	1.42	4.25	6.05	84.70	140 days
Reproductive	35-36	1.50	3.81	5.73	80.18	transplanted
Reproductive	37-38	1.22	4.60	5.62	78.73	condition
Reproductive	39-40	1.11	4.87	5.41	75.80	
Maturity	41-42	1.02	4.72	4.82	67.54	
Maturity	43	0.80	4.50	3.60	25.21	
AV / Total		1.17	4.49	5.20	647.30	
Seedling	25-26	0.91	4.88	4.46	62.40	JAGDALPUR
Seedling	27-28	0.99	4.22	4.16	58.29	Early
Vegetative	29-30	1.17	3.94	4.61	64.54	duration
Vegetative	31-32	1.36	3.65	4.96	69.41	variety
Reproductive	33-34	1.37	3.91	5.36	75.09	(112 days)
Reproductive	35-36	1.25	3.91	4.90	68.91	Direct sown
Reproductive	37-38	1.06	4.35	4.63	67.76	condition
Maturity	39-40	0.95	4.90	4.66	65.16	
AV / Total		1.13	4.22	4.72	528.16	

* IGAU - 1994 for Raipur
Sahu - 1993 for Jagdalpur

Direct sowing of early duration rice variety comes at reproductive phase about 14 days earlier therefore the intensity of dry spells could be reduced, as can be seen in Table 6.23, the expected number of dry days at 25% probability of exceedence could be reduced from 17.4 to 9.8, and the expected number of dry days at 75% probability of exceedence could be reduced from 8.5 to 5.1 at Raipur.

6.11.3 ET of Non-rice Crops

The greatest advantage of growing non-rice crop is its reduced ET requirement and increased profit per unit of water used. ET requirement of non-rice crops is presented in Tables 6.29 to 6.31. The ET requirement of non-rice crops varied from 132.5 - 490.7 mm as compared to 647.3 mm required for rice, grown in the monsoon season at Raipur (Tables 6.28 and 6.29). Similarly ET requirement of non-rice crops varied from 89.0 - 275.2 mm as compared to 528.3 mm required for rice, grown in the monsoon season at Jagdalpur (Tables 6.28 and 6.30).

ET requirement of monsoon crops extended to post-monsoon season is presented in Table 6.31. The monsoon season portion of ET of these crops varied from 331.4 - 425.2 mm which is less than the ET of rice. However, the full season ET requirement was quite high and varied from 755.6 mm in papaya + soybean to 979.7 mm in banana + green chillis. Banana grown with green chillis had the highest ET requirement (full season ET 979.7 mm) but its monsoon season portion of ET (383.4 mm) was quite less than rice (528.3 mm). Radish was found to be one of the prospective vegetable crops, had short duration maturity and low ET requirement besides highest net profit per unit water used. ET requirement of post-monsoon crops are presented in Table 6.30. It varied from 89.0 - 275.2 mm.

**Table 6.29 Evapotranspiration requirement of monsoon crops
(Modified Penman method)**
(mm)

SMW	Raipur		Jagdalpur			
	Okra	Radish	Okra	Radish	Soybean	Sweet potato
25+26	30.0	-	26.6	-	21.2	27.3
27+28	52.0	-	43.9	-	39.1	23.6
29+30	48.2	-	42.5	-	39.7	39.7
31+32	53.7	-	46.8	-	48.1	36.8
33+34	55.9	-	51.5	-	56.4	39.4
35+36	49.6	-	50.9	-	47.6	52.0
37+38	59.3	-	56.0	-	43.2	57.9
39+40	8.6	-	8.1	-	6.3	65.2
41+42	-	33.1	-	31.3	-	60.4
43+44	-	51.8	-	52.1	-	46.2
45+46	-	51.0	-	49.0	-	42.3
Initial Development	31.9	8.8	28.3	8.4	23.8	51.0
Crop Development	104.7	37.1	90.3	35.9	86.7	115.9
Mid Season	128.3	61.6	118.4	61.0	122.2	235.4
late Season	92.3	28.3	89.3	27.2	68.9	88.5
Total	357.2	135.9	326.3	132.5	301.6	490.7

**Table 6.30 Evapotranspiration requirement of post-monsoon crops
(Modified Penman method)** (mm)

SMW	Raipur			Jagdalpur		
	Gram	Mustard	Radish	Gram	Mustard	Radish
41+42	-	-	-	20.1	13.1	-
43+44	21.4	13.6	-	24.9	28.7	-
45+46	24.7	30.6	-	31.2	33.6	-
47+48	30.0	33.3	31.2	36.0	49.0	13.0
49+50	35.5	47.2	39.8	47.8	47.5	37.5
51+52	40.8	46.9	18.1	45.0	51.4	43.2
1+2	43.2	43.9	-	33.6	31.3	-
3+4	31.5	30.1	-	21.2	20.6	-
5+6	21.2	19.3	-	-	-	-
Initial development	30.6	30.2	7.2	29.3	28.6	7.5
Crop development	59.4	54.2	26.4	60.8	53.9	25.3
Mid season	129.1	151.0	42.7	139.7	161.5	45.9
Late season	29.4	29.5	12.7	29.8	31.2	14.8
Total	248.4	264.8	89.0	259.7	275.2	93.5

Table 6.31 Evapotranspiration requirement of Monsoon crops extended over to post monsoon season (Modified Penman method) at Jagdalpur (mm)

SMW	Tapioca+ Groundnut	Papaya + Soybean	Banana + Green chilli
23+24	-	33.1	41.4
25+26	27.3	21.9	27.3
27+28	23.6	18.9	23.6
29+30	24.6	37.5	22.1
31+32	36.8	34.8	36.8
33+34	39.4	37.2	39.4
35+36	39.4	37.2	39.4
37+38	43.8	41.4	43.9
39+40	49.4	65.2	43.4
41+42	47.1	60.4	66.1
43+44	60.4	56.3	61.6
45+46	55.3	51.5	56.4
47+48	54.8	51.1	55.9
49+50	49.0	45.6	49.9
51+52	53.0	38.4	54.0
1+2	49.8	36.2	46.4
3+4	52.8	40.1	51.5
5+6	56.8	48.9	62.8
7+8	63.7	-	70.4
9+10	42.2	-	81.5
Initial develoment	69.9	73.9	114.4
Crop development	257.0	188.1	208.9
Mid season	366.4	330.0	343.9
Late season	176.0	-	312.6
Total	869.9	755.6	979.7

6.12 ALTERNATIVE DESIGNS OF SFR

The alternative designs of SFR for MWs, R-1, R-2, J-1 & J-2 as worked out at different probabilities of exceedence of rainfall and runoff for both growing seasons with relevant hydrological parameters thereof, are presented in Table 6.32.

Table 6.32 Alternative designs of SFR's at different probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff

MW	Proba- bility %	Rain m	Run- off m	Drain- age area,ha	Evapo. m	Seep- age m	Av. depth m	Water use ha-m	Water area ha
R-1 (1.05 ha)	50	1.161	0.479	0.66	0.464	1.80	1.08	0.078	0.190
	60	1.100	0.432						0.157
	75	0.994	0.354						0.110
	80	0.952	0.323						0.092
R-2 (1.04 ha)	50	1.161	0.47	0.37	0.486	1.10	0.89	0.074	0.301
	60	1.098	0.432						0.212
	75	0.994	0.354						0.112
	80	0.952	0.323						0.083
J-1 & J-2 (1.75 ha)	50	1.425	0.742	1.75	0.457	2.28	1.42	0.540	0.417
	60	1.350	0.690						0.352
	75	1.225	0.604						0.256
	80	1.175	0.570						0.221

General trend, common to all microwatersheds are as follows :

- (i) With the increase in probability of exceedence of expected rainfall and runoff, the designed water area of SFR reduces.
- (ii) At 80% probability of exceedence (expected rainfall and runoff) the water surface area of SFR remains constant irrespective of the seasons (i.e. whether the relevant parameters are considered only for monsoon season or for seasons).
- (iii) At 80% probability of exceedence as reference the water surface area at other probabilities compares as :

Probability of exceedence of rainfall (%)	SFR water surface area at probability of column 1
	SFR water surface area at 80 % probability
50	1.45 to 3.63
60	1.31 to 2.56
75	1.12 to 1.35

With decreased probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff larger water surface area of SFR is required.

6.12.1 Size of SFR for Fixed Water-use

Based on the hydrologic parameters observed during monsoon and post-monsoon season taken together and for uniform water use of 780 cu. m. in MW, R-1, the mean water areas of SFR, RP-1 were worked out as 924, 1095, 1573 and 1898 sq. m. at probabilities exceedence of 80, 75, 60 and 50% respectively. These figures for SFR, R-2 were 826, 1118, 2116 and 3010 sq. m. considering uniform water use of 740 cu m. The corresponding figures for Jagdalpur SFR's (JP-1 and JP-2) were 2208, 2558, 3522 and 4167 sq. m. for uniform water use of 5400 cu m. (Table 6.32).

Irrigable water amount was quantified, keeping the fixed design area of SFR's at 80 per cent probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff. The irrigable quantum of water was 780, 740 and 5400 cu m. at 80 per cent probability of exceedence in RP-1, RP-2 and JP-1/JP-2, respectively.

6.12.2 Dimensions of SFR

Dimensions of SFR's for alternative designs and shapes were worked out (Table 6.33). Three different shapes and 4 probability levels were used for alternative designs of SFR. For the same capacity, depth and mean water surface of SFR, circular shape required less space than other two shapes considered. However, their curved shape is

Table 6.33 Dimensions of SFR for alternative designs and shapes

SFR identify	Probability of exceedence %	Design dimensions*, m		Maximum water area sq.m		Rain catch area sq. m		Depth at inlet level	Capacity at inlet level	Percentage area under SFR			
		Rectangular	Square	Circular	Rectan- Square	Circular	Rectan- Square				Circular		
RP-1	80	30.00 x 27.16	28.55	32.46	1033.5	1033.6	1021.3	1098.9	1098.0	1078.7	21.80	1663.5	10.3-10.5
	75	35.50 x 27.87	31.25	35.50	1214.7	1214.5	1200.7	1285.8	1285.2	1262.9	1.80	1972.7	12.0-12.2
	60	40.00 x 35.76	37.82	42.92	1716.1	1715.6	1699.7	1800.1	1799.5	1773.5	1.80	2831.7	16.9-17.1
	50	60 x 28.86	41.73	47.33	2064.5	2054.8	2037.2	2161.5	2146.5	2118.0	1.80	3416.7	20.2-20.6
RP-2	80	30.00 x 24.37	27.05	30.74	921.4	921.1	910.1	983.4	982.8	964.3	1.65	1363.3	9.3-9.5
	75	35.00 x 28.78	31.75	36.05	1228.7	1228.5	1216.1	1300.0	1299.6	1278.7	1.65	1845.1	12.3-12.5
	60	50.00 x 39.27	44.32	50.23	2269.0	2267.7	2250.5	2365.9	2363.9	2335.4	1.65	3491.5	22.5-22.7
	50	60 x 47.13	53.19	60.24	3192.2	3191.1	3170.9	3306.9	3305.1	3271.5	1.65	4966.8	31.5-31.8
JP-1 & JP-2	80	60.00 x 31.91	43.90	49.94	2502.1	2490.0	2457.7	2713.9	2693.6	2636.6	3.00	6625.2	13.2-13.6
	75	60.00 x 37.46	47.49	54.00	2868.4	2861.2	2827.4	3091.3	3079.1	3019.1	3.00	7675.0	15.1-15.5
	60	60.00 x 52.77	56.27	63.90	3878.8	3877.6	3837.5	4132.4	4130.6	4060.2	3.00	10566.6	20.3-20.7
	50	70.00 x 53.96	61.48	69.78	4557.0	4553.6	4510.2	4832.9	4827.5	4751.4	3.00	12501.0	23.8-24.2

* At SFR bed level (bottom)

disadvantageous in as much as a substantial area is normally lost for agricultural operations. Hence either square or rectangular SFR's are preferred. The space required by square shaped SFR was found to be slightly less than rectangular shaped SFR.

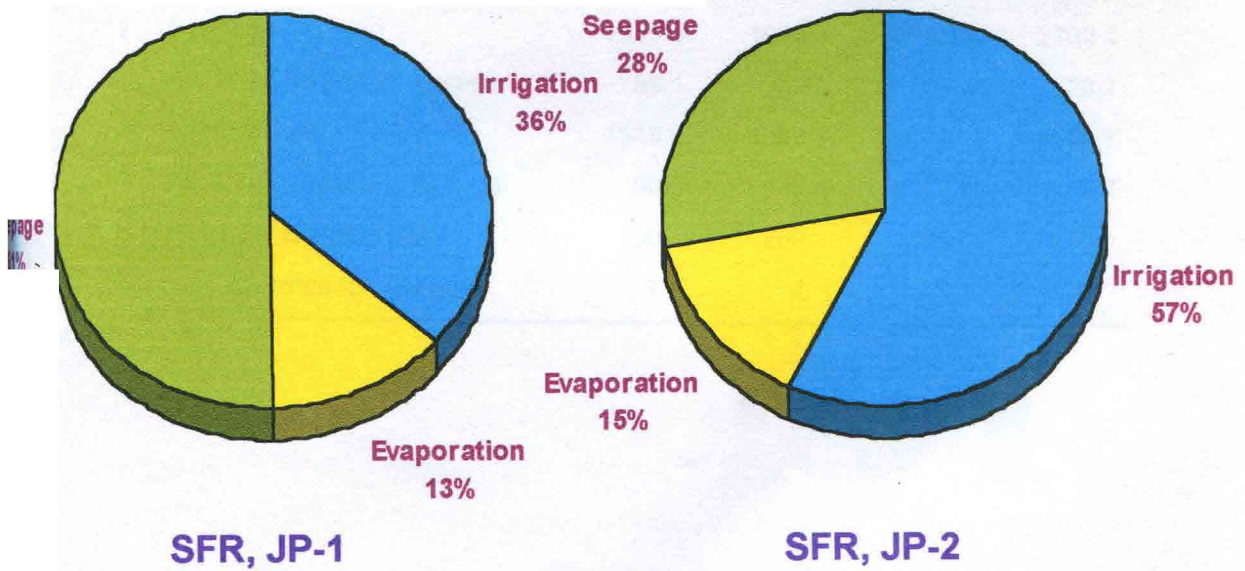
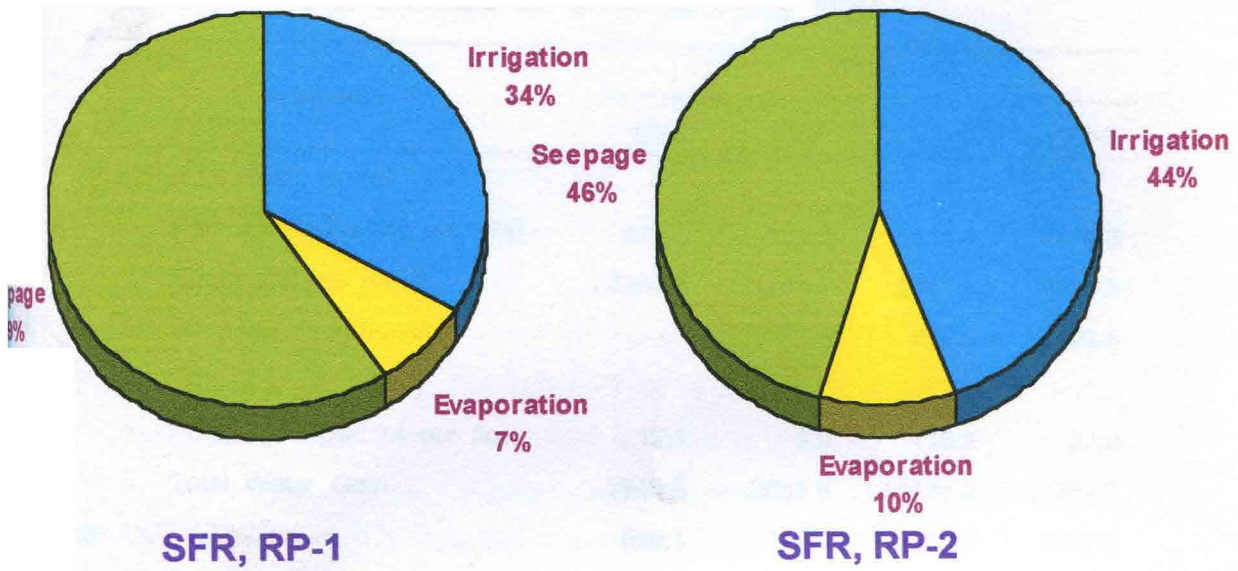
Rain catch area of SFR is the total area, including the space occupied by peripheral bunds of SFR, upto its top level, that contributes direct rainfall. It is a measure of the area occupied by SFR excluding bunds. By taking this into account, the percentage area under SFR's were worked out to be 10.3-10.5% (R-1), 9.3-9.5% (R-2), 13.2-13.6% (J-1 and J-2) at 80% probability of exceedence. This percentage increases with decrease in probability of exceedence (Table 5.33).

6.13 WATER BALANCE OF SFR

The water balance of SFRs at study sites as a percentage of available storage is depicted in Fig. 6.1.

6.13.1 Water Gain

Total water gain in SFR consisted of direct rain falling in the SFR, direct runoff and inter flow and a small portion of the diverted outflow pumped into the SFR due to its inability to flow in by gravity. Total water gained in the SFR's averaged over 3 to 7 years (Table 6.34) were 2915.8, 2633.8, 11624.9, 11951.2 m³ in RP-1, RP-2, JP-1 and JP-2 respectively. The share of direct rain, runoff and interflow (only in JP-1 and JP-2) was 20.2 to 33.4, 66.2 to 77.6 per cent, 4.4 and 5.8 per cent respectively. Outflow pumped into SFR constituted less than 1 per cent. During the relatively dry year of 1992-93, water stored in SFR's was augmented by diverting a part of the outflow by pumping it into the SFR's. The outflow pumped were 356, 81, 85 and 38.6 cu.m. in SFR's JP-1, JP-2, RP-1 and RP-2 respectively. The outflow which could not be harnessed were 12.6 to 21.6 per cent of the total water gain.



6.1 : Water balance of SFRs as percentage of available storage

Table 6.34 Water balance of SFRs at study sites

Particulars	SFR's			
	RP-1	RP-2	JP-1	JP-2
(A) WATER GAIN, cu.m				
1. Rain directly falling on SFR	640.2	880.5	2414.3	2414.3
2. Direct surface runoff	2263.5	1743.7	8412.9	8986.3
3. Seepage contribution (Sub surface runoff)	-	-	678.9	523.6
4. Pumping a part of out flow	12.1	9.6	118.8	27.0
5. Total Water Gain	2915.8	2633.8	11624.9	11951.2
(B) OUTFLOW, cu.m	630.1	332.6	2358.2	2327.8
(C) STORAGE AVAILABLE cu. m	2285.7	2301.2	9266.7	9623.4
(D) IRRIGATION cu.m	765.9	1021.7	3362.6	5513.3
As % of storage available	33.5	44.4	36.3	57.3
(E) LOSSES, cu.m.				
1. Evaporation	169.3	233.1	1238.8	1400.7
as % of available storage	7.4	10.1	13.4	14.6
2. Seepage	1350.5	1046.4	4665.3	2709.4
As % of available storage	59.1	45.5	50.3	28.1
3. Total losses	1519.8	1287.6	5904.1	4110.1
As % of available storage	66.5	55.6	63.7	42.7
(F) STORAGE PERIOD, days	180	200	250	270
Number of years of average	7	4	3	3

6.13.2 Irrigation

The amount of water utilised for irrigation was 33.5, 44.4, 36.3, 57.3 per cent of available storage in SFR's RP-1, RP-2, JP-1, JP-2 respectively. This constituted 33.5, 44.4, 36.3 and 57.3 per cent of available storages in respective SFR's. The percentage of irrigation to monsoon crops constituted 39.2, 3.1, 59.0 and 23.2 in SFR's, RP-1, RP-2, JP-1 and JP-2 respectively. The low utilisation during monsoon was due to reduced percolation losses in rice fields (underlain by impervious strata) in MW, R-2. On the contrary in MW, J-1, increased percolation losses from cropped area and higher area under rice was responsible for higher water utilisation during monsoon season. Low utilisation during monsoon season (R-2) helped in carrying over relatively larger quantities of stored water for irrigation in the post-monsoon season. During the first year of construction of SFR, the utilisation of irrigation water was very poor due to higher seepage losses, thereafter it improved due to reduced losses. Therefore, losses from SFR's are crucial in determining its success as reflected in amount of irrigation, it can provide to crop. Normally no shortage of water for supplemental irrigations to monsoon crops was experienced in order to realise full potential of crops grown. However, judicious use even in the monsoon season helped in carrying over large amount of water for use in the post-monsoon season.

6.13.3 Losses

The losses from SFR's consisted of evaporation from open water surface and seepage from sides. An economical, efficient and durable evaporation retardant for farm ponds is yet to be found by research under varying agro-climatic regions and soil types (Radder *et al.*, 1995). Until such time, to overcome the storage loss of water in farm ponds, it is advisable to use the water immediately by irrigating and storing the water in the soil profile for subsequent utilization by deep rooted perennial crops. The evaporation losses constituted 7.4, 10.1, 13.4 and 14.6 per cent of available storage averaged over 3 to 7 years in SFR's RP-1,

RP-2, JP-1 and JP-2 respectively. The seepage losses during this period in respective SFR's were 59.1, 45.5, 50.3 and 28.1 per cent of available storages. Total losses from the respective SFR's, thus worked out to be 66.5, 55.6, 63.7 and 42.7 per cent of available storage. Higher infiltration rates in substrata was a major factor responsible for higher losses in SFR's RP-1 and JP-1.

6.13.4 Storage Period

The storage periods of water in SFR's averaged over 3 to 7 years were found to be 180, 200, 250, 270 days in the SFR's RP-1, RP-2, JP-1 and JP-2 respectively.

6.14 RATING CURVES OF SFRs

The capacity survey of reservoirs was done in order to develop rating curves of water spread area and storage volumes as functions of reservoir storage depths.

6.14.1 Depth-Capacity Relationship

The depth-capacity relationship of SFRs were developed using the capacity survey informations of SFRs, which are as follows :

$$\text{SFR in R-1} : Y = 4.17 + 0.01 X^2 \quad (R^2 = 1.000)$$

$$\text{SFR in R-2} : Y = 5.24 + 0.01 X^2 \quad (R^2 = 1.000)$$

$$\text{SFR in J-1} : Y = 1.3143 * 0.9987^x X^{1.551} \quad (R^2 = 0.999)$$

$$\text{SFR in J-2} : Y = 4.2031 * 2.7283^{1/x} X^{1.2888} \quad (R^2 = 0.999)$$

Where X = Depth of SFR in cm.

Y = Capacity of SFR in m^3

This relationship is also shown in Fig. 6.2

6.14.2 Depth-Waterspread Area Relationship

The depth-water spread area relationship of SFRs were developed using the capacity survey informations, which are as follows :

$$\text{SFR in R-1} : Y = 414.15 + 2.03 X; \quad (R^2 = 1.000)$$

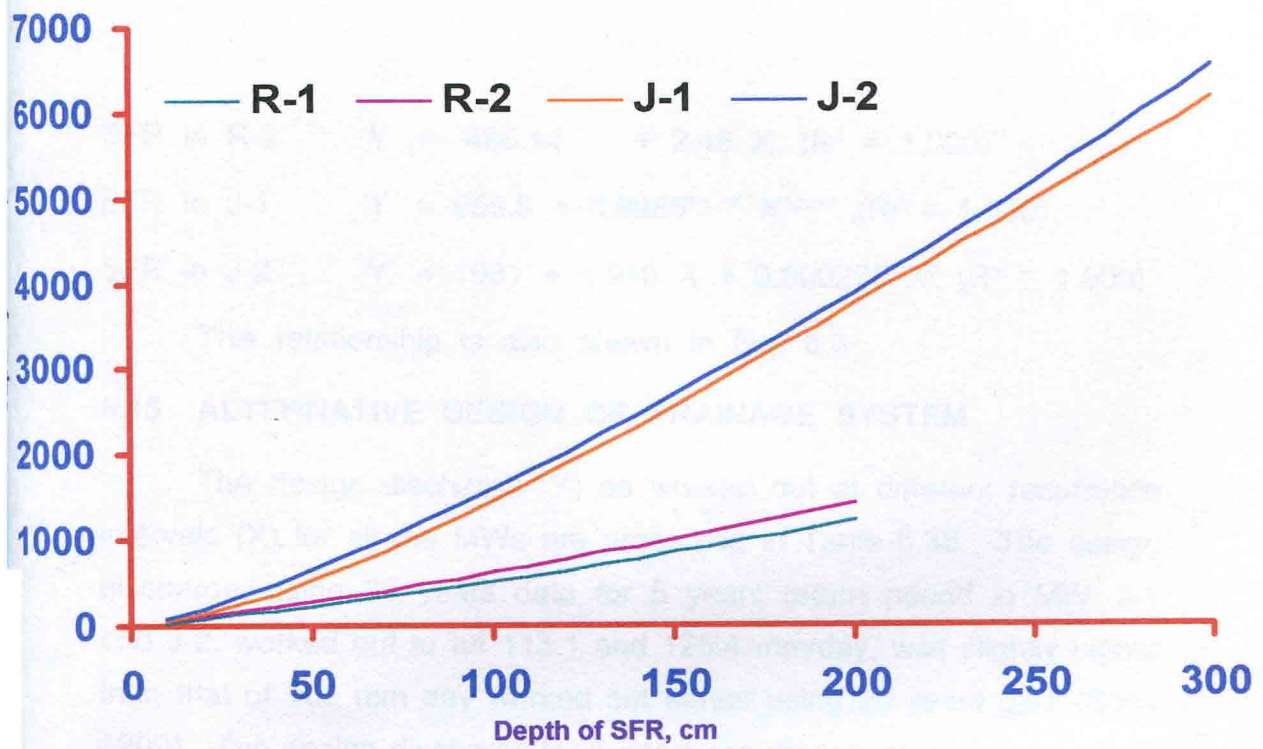


Fig 6.2 : Rating curves of SFRs : Depth - Volume relationship

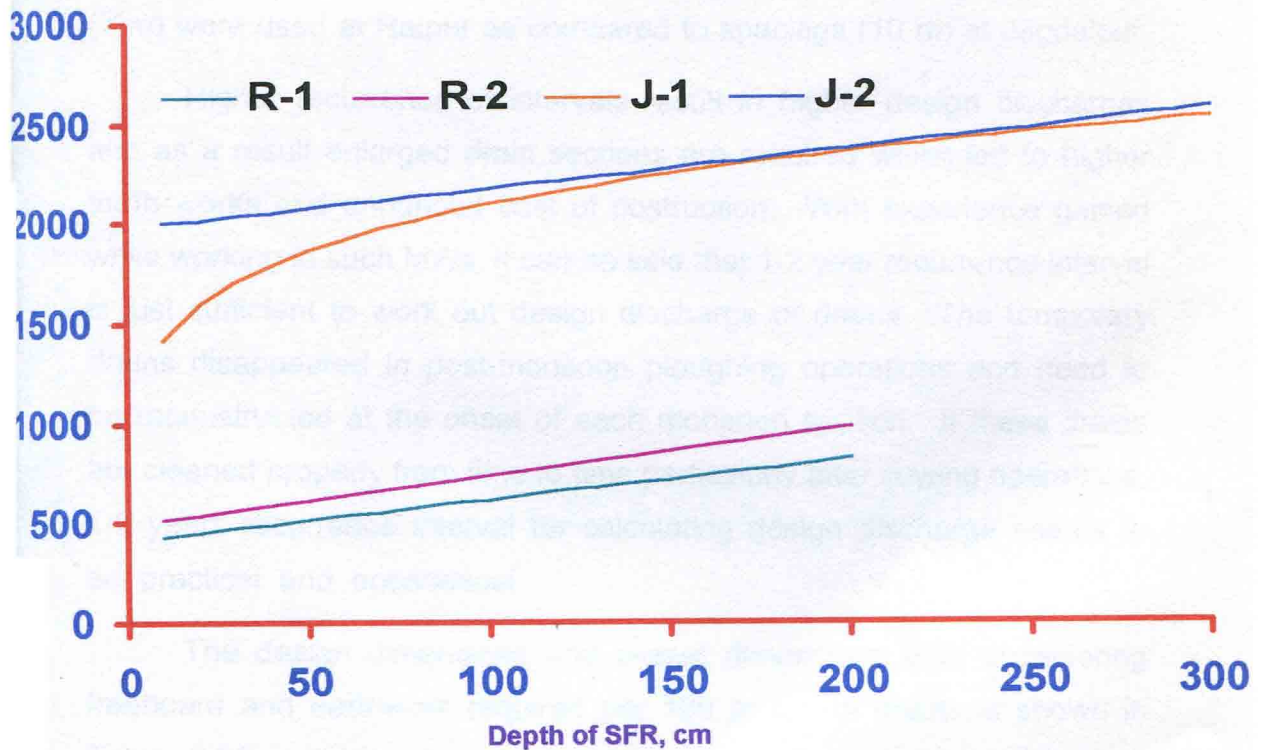


Fig 6.3 : Rating curves of SFRs : Depth - Water spread relationship

$$\text{SFR in R-2} : Y = 486.14 + 2.46 X; (R^2 = 1.000)$$

$$\text{SFR in J-1} : Y = 955.9 + 0.9986^{1/x} * X^{0.1707} .(R^2 = 1.000)$$

$$\text{SFR in J-2} : Y = 1981 + 1.916 X + 0.000275 X^2 (R^2 = 1.000)$$

This relationship is also shown in Fig. 6.3

6.15 ALTERNATIVE DESIGN OF DRAINAGE SYSTEM

The design discharge (Y) as worked out at different recurrence intervals (X) for all the MWs are presented in Table 6.35. The design discharge, using 30 years data for 5 years return period in MW, J-1 and J-2, worked out to be 113.1 and 125.4 mm/day, was slightly higher than that of 103 mm day worked out earlier using 20 years data (Sahu 1999). The design discharge for 5 years recurrence interval was worked out to be 142.8 mm and 136.2 mm per day in MW, R-1 and R-2 at Raipur which is 26.2 and 8.6 per cent higher than the corresponding MWs at Jagdalpur. Due to higher design discharge and heavy texture of soil coupled with higher intensity of rains, closer spacings of drains (7 m) were used at Raipur as compared to spacings (10 m) at Jagdalpur.

Higher recurrence of intervals result in higher design discharges and as a result enlarged drain sections are required which led to higher earth works and enhanced cost of construction. With experience gained while working in such MWs, it can be said that 1-2 year recurrence interval is just sufficient to work out design discharge of drains. The temporary drains disappeared in post-monsoon ploughing operations and need to be reconstructed at the onset of each monsoon season. If these drains are cleaned properly from time to time particularly after sowing operations, 1-2 years recurrence interval for calculating design discharge seems to be practical and economical.

The design dimensions and overall dimensions after considering freeboard and earthwork required per 100 m run of drains is shown in Table 6.35. It can be seen that earth work and thereby cost of construction of drains at 5 years recurrence interval is higher by 92.7,

Table 6.35 Capacity and dimensions of drains for alternative designs

MW	R.I. years	Design discharge		Design dimensions of drains (m)				Area of flow (m ²)	Wetted perimeter (m)	Hydraulic radius (m)	Velocity (m s ⁻¹)	Actual Earth work discharge required (m ³ sec ⁻¹) per 100	
		(mm day ⁻¹)	(m ³ sec ⁻¹)	d	f	D	t						T
R-1	1.25	57.6	0.0066	0.18	0.04	0.22	0.36	0.43	0.51	0.06	0.22	0.0071	4.67
	1.33	61.4	0.0070	0.19	0.04	0.23	0.38	0.46	0.54	0.07	0.23	0.0082	5.20
	1.66	76.5	0.0088	0.20	0.04	0.24	0.40	0.48	0.57	0.07	0.23	0.0094	5.76
	2	89.5	0.0103	0.21	0.04	0.25	0.42	0.50	0.59	0.07	0.24	0.0107	6.35
	5	142.8	0.0164	0.25	0.05	0.30	0.50	0.60	0.71	0.09	0.27	0.0170	9.00
R-2	1.25	59.0	0.0038	0.14	0.03	0.17	0.28	0.34	0.40	0.05	0.21	0.0042	2.82
	1.33	65.0	0.0042	0.15	0.03	0.18	0.30	0.36	0.42	0.05	0.22	0.0050	3.24
	1.66	83.2	0.0053	0.16	0.03	0.19	0.32	0.38	0.45	0.06	0.23	0.0060	3.69
	2	95.5	0.0061	0.17	0.03	0.20	0.34	0.41	0.48	0.06	0.24	0.0070	4.16
	5	136.2	0.0087	0.19	0.04	0.233	0.38	0.46	0.54	0.07	0.26	0.0094	5.20
J-1	1.25	55.8	0.0170	0.24	0.05	0.29	0.48	0.58	0.68	0.08	0.31	0.0176	8.29
	1.33	57.2	0.0174	0.24	0.05	0.29	0.48	0.58	0.68	0.08	0.31	0.0176	8.29
	1.66	62.6	0.0190	0.25	0.05	0.30	0.50	0.60	0.71	0.09	0.31	0.0196	9.00
	2	68.0	0.0207	0.26	0.05	0.31	0.52	0.62	0.74	0.09	0.32	0.0218	9.73
	5	113.1	0.0344	0.31	0.06	0.37	0.62	0.74	0.88	0.11	0.36	0.0348	13.84
J-2	1.25	63.8	0.0194	0.27	0.05	0.32	0.54	0.65	0.76	0.10	0.29	0.0209	10.50
	1.33	65.3	0.0198	0.27	0.05	0.32	0.54	0.65	0.76	0.10	0.29	0.0209	10.50
	1.66	71.1	0.0216	0.28	0.06	0.34	0.56	0.67	0.79	0.10	0.29	0.0230	11.29
	2	76.9	0.0234	0.29	0.06	0.35	0.58	0.70	0.82	0.10	0.30	0.0252	12.11
	5	125.4	0.0381	0.34	0.07	0.41	0.68	0.82	0.96	0.12	0.33	0.0386	16.65

94.4, 66.9 and 58.6 per cent as compared to using 1.25 years recurrence interval in MW's R-1, R-2, J-1 and J-2 respectively.

6.16 CAPACITY REDUCTION OF SFR DUE TO SEDIMENTATION

The average sediment concentration in the first three years of JP-1 was highest (13.5 g l⁻¹) followed by JP-2 (10.8 g l⁻¹), RP-1 (10.6 g l⁻¹) and RP-2 (8.9 g l⁻¹). The three years average annual sediment deposition in the SFR, JP-1 was 126.4 t causing a capacity reduction of 80 m³. The corresponding values for the SFR, JP-2 were 110.3 t and 69.9 m³ respectively. Considering the third year's stabilised sedimentation rate, the total sediment deposition and resulting capacity reduction including the erosion of sides and bunds of SFR were worked out (Table 6.36) using capacity survey of SFR's during dry season. The annual capacity of SFR's was highest in the SFR's designed at 50 per cent probability of exceedence of runoff and lowest at 80 per cent probability level in all the microwatersheds. The SFR's RP-1, JP-1 and JP-2 had higher per cent capacity reduction as compared to SFR RP-2, because of comparatively higher drainage contributing area and higher runoff collection in SFR.

A remarkable decline in the sediment outflow was observed in microwatersheds with passage of time. During the first year it was several times (4 to 5) higher than the stabilised sediment outflow rate as observed in third year. Assuming the third year sedimentation value as the stabilised sedimentation rate and accounting for the higher sedimentation in the initial years, it was calculated that 5, 10 and 15 per cent capacity reduction of the SFR's will occur in about 15, 30 and 40 years respectively.

6.17 PRODUCTION ACTIVITY AFTER ADOPTION OF WATER HARVESTING SYSTEM

With the development of water resources and drainage system in the MWs various water efficient and remunerative crops besides

Table 6.36 Capacity reduction of SFR's due to sedimentation (Annual values)

SFR	Probability of exceedence (%)	Annual Runoff sediment in SFR			Erosion of sides and bund	Total capacity reduction (m ³)	% of capacity
		Concentration (g l ⁻¹)	Weight (tonnes)	Capacity (m ³)			
RP-1	50	3.6	11.39	7.49	0.42	7.91	0.48
	60	3.6	10.27	6.76	0.42	7.18	0.43
	75	3.6	8.42	5.54	0.42	5.96	0.36
	60	3.6	7.68	5.05	0.42	5.47	0.33
RP-2	50	3.4	6.03	3.89	0.32	4.21	0.31
	60	3.4	5.44	3.51	0.32	3.83	0.28
	75	3.4	4.46	2.87	0.32	3.19	0.23
	80	3.4	4.07	2.62	0.32	2.94	0.22
JP-1	50	3.5	45.42	28.74	2.48	31.22	0.47
	60	3.5	42.24	26.74	2.48	29.22	0.44
	75	3.5	36.98	23.40	2.48	25.88	0.39
	80	3.5	34.88	22.08	2.48	24.56	0.37
JP-2	50	3.1	40.23	25.62	1.76	27.38	0.41
	60	3.1	37.42	23.83	1.76	25.59	0.39
	75	3.1	32.75	20.86	1.76	22.62	0.34
	80	3.1	30.90	19.68	1.76	21.44	0.32

traditional crops (rice, tubers) were grown. To make judicious use of available land and water resources, the crop area allocation process using linear programming technique was adopted. It is detailed in section 6.18. In this process, the available cultivated land, water availability in SFR, and net profit were taken into account.

6.17.1 Land and Water Availability in Microwatersheds

The land and water availability in MWs were assessed under various alternative designs of SFR and drainage system, using these designs, the area under field bunds, drains SFR and its bunds were worked out in order to arrive at the area available for cultivation in both the seasons. Similarly by water balance approach as described in preceding sections, the availability of water in SFR during monsoon and post-monsoon seasons were worked out (Table 3.37).

6.17.2 Crop Production

The basic crop production data of the MWs available at Z.A.R.S. Jagdalpur and Deptt. of Land and Water management IGAU, Raipur were used to work out the strategic crop plan for MWs in order to achieve maximum B/C ratio under different alternative designs of SFR and drainage system. The crops and their yields are shown in Table 6.38 and 6.39. The yields are averaged over 6, 4, 3, 3 years in MWs R-1, R-2, J-2 and J-2 respectively. Rice and vegetables were grown in monsoon season, whereas gram, mustard vegetables were grown during post-monsoon season in MWs R-1 and R-2. Soybean in addition to rice vegetables were grown during monsoon season, whereas during post-monsoon season, in addition to gram mustard and vegetables, fruits and tubers were also grown in MWs J-1 and J-2.

The vegetables during monsoon season include Okra (var. Parbhani Kranti) followed by radish (Pusa Chetki) where radish alone grown in post-monsoon season. Fruit in J-1 was papaya (var. Honeydeu) grown with soybean (Gaurav JS 72-44) in the interspace of papaya. Fruit

Table 6.37 Land and water features of the microwatersheds

(A) FIXED FEATURES

MW	Total area (ha)	Field bunds (ha)	Drains ha	SRF water (m ³) used during		
				Monsoon season	Post-monsoon season	Total
R-1	1.05	0.02	0.03	300	480	780
R-2	1.04	0.02	0.03	290	450	740
J-1	2.00	0.04	0.06	1900	3500	5400
J-2	2.00	0.04	0.06	1900	2500	5400

(B) VARIABLE FEATURES

MW	Features	Probability of exceedence of runoff (%)			
		80	75	60	50
R-1	SFR and its bunds, ha	0.13	0.15	0.21	0.26
	Land for cultivation, ha	0.87	0.85	0.79	0.74
R-2	SFR and its bunds, ha	0.12	0.15	0.35	0.46
	Land for cultivation, ha	0.7	0.84	0.64	0.53
J-1	SFR and its bunds, ha	0.29	0.32	0.42	0.48
	Land for cultivation, ha	1.61	1.58	1.48	1.42
J-2	SFR and its bunds, ha	0.29	0.32	0.42	0.48
	Land for cultivation, ha	1.61	1.58	1.48	1.42

Table 6.38 Crop yield, irrigation requirement and economics¹ after adoption of water harvesting system in R-1 and R-2

Crops		No. of Irrigation	Irrigation requirement (m ³ /ha)	Yield (q/ha)	Gross returns (Rs./ha)	Total cost (Rs./ha)	Net returns (Rs./ha)
Microwatershed R-1							
Rice	M	1	500	44.8	26,432	14,287	12,145
Vegetables ²	M	R	-	151.7	59,430	19,208	40,222
Mustard	PM	1	490	8.8	14,960	6,166	8,794
Gram	PM	1	490	13.1	16,768	6,610	10,158
Vegetables ³	PM	2	1500	235.0	70,500	10,540	59,960
Vegetables ³	PM	1	750	162.0	48,600	9,820	38,780
Fish	M	-	-	-	73,178	39,578	53,600
Microwatershed R-2							
Rice	M	1	400	38.6	22,774	14,187	8,587
Vegetables ²	M	R	-	172.4	66,270	20,828	45,442
Mustard	PM	1	500	3.9	6,630	4,489	2,141
Gram	PM	1	500	5.4	6,912	5,666	1,246
Vegetables ³	PM	2	1500	240.2	72,060	12,100	59,960
Vegetables ³	PM	1	750	168.2	50,460	11,320	39,140
Fish	M	-	-	-	73,178	39,578	53,600

1 At 1999-2000 price level

2. Okra followed by radish in monsoon season. Okra yield was 92.8 q/ha in R-1 and 97.0 in R-2 while radish yield was 58.9 q/ha in R-1 and 75.4 q/ha in R-2.

3. Radish in post-monsoon season

R Rainfed crop

M Monsoon season crop

PM Post-monsoon season crop

Table 6.39 Crop productivity, irrigation requirement and economics¹ in MW, J-1 and J-2 after adoption of water harvesting system

Crops		No. of Irrigation	Irrigation requirement (m ³ /ha)	Yield (q/ha)	Gross returns (Rs./ha)	Total cost (Rs./ha)	Net returns (Rs./ha)
Microwatershed R-1							
Rice	M	2	2000	33.6	19,824	11,651	8,173
Vegetables ²	M	R	-	143.9	55,215	19,508	35,707
Mustard	PM	2	1500	7.9	13,430	5,019	8,411
Gram	PM	2	1500	11.6	19,720	6,630	13,090
Vegetables ²	M	2	1500	180.6	68,100	20,908	47,192
Vegetables	Pm	2	2000	148.5	44,550	10,680	33,870
Fruits ⁴	M+PM	4	1000+2000	50.9	33,881	14,140	19,741
Tubers ⁵	M+Pm	2	7850+750	85.2	45,776	9,778	35,509
Fish rearing		-	-	6.36	25,425	6,849	18,575
Microwatershed J-2							
Rice	M	2	2000	32.2	19,057	11,601	7,456
Soybean	M	2	1000	22.5	28,125	11,168	16,957
Vegetables ²	M	R	0	138.1	53,025	19,898	33,127
Gram	PM	2	1500	10.4	17,680	6,630	11,050
Vegetables ²	M	2	1500	165.9	62,685	20,728	41,957
Vegetables ³	Pm	2	2000	142.2	42,660	10,560	32,100
Fruits ⁶	M+Pm	4	1000+1400	96.1	63,070	20,749	42,321
Tubers ⁷	m	1	750	87.9	35,160	7,538	27,245
Fish rearing		-	-	10.3	41,195	10,644	30,551

1. At 1999-2000 price levels
 2. Okra followed by radish m monsoon season. Okra yield was 80.3 and 92.8 q/ha in J-1 and 77.3 and 86.1 q/ha in J-2 while radish yield was 63.6 and 87.8 q/ha in J-1 and 60.8 and 79.8 q/ha in J-2 under rainfed and irrigated conditions respectively
 3. Radish in post-monsoon season
 4. Soybean was additionally grown in between the space of papaya. Papaya Yield : 22.7 q/ha, Soybean yield : 28.3 q/ha
 5. Groundnut was additionally grown on ridges of tapioca crop. Groundnut yield : 17.2 q/ha, Tapioca yield : 68.4 q/ha
 6. Green chilli was additionally grown in between the space of Banana, Banana yield : 28.0 q/ha, Green chilli yield : 68.1 q/ha
 7. Tuber crop was sweet potato.
- R Rainfed crop
M Monsoon season crop
PM Post monsoon season crop

in J-2 was banana (Basarai dwarf) grown with green chilli (var. Japani Laungi) in the interspace of banana. It was grown on SFR bund in J-1 and at the toe of SFR bund to be benefitted by its seepage, in J-2. Tubers in J-1 included tapioca (var. F. Pend.) alongwith groundnut (var. ICGS-11) on its ridges. Tubers in J-2 included pure crop of sweet potato (var. Kalmegh, B.K.S.) grown on outer side of SFR bund, in order to take advantage of increased porosity of newly dugout soil and to protect outer bund from soil erosion.

Rice crop (var. Mahamaya, IR-36) was grown in the service area (d/s of SFR), benefitted with SFR seepage in R-1 and R-2 whereas it was grown in the catchment area (u/s of SFR) in J-1 and J-2 (var. MW-10). Gram (var. JG-74) and mustard (var. Varuna) were also grown in post-monsoon season.

The average yield as obtained over the years, is depicted in Tables 6.38 and 6.39.

6.17.3 Economics of Production Activities

Economics of various production activities including fish rearing in SFRs were worked out based on the current prices of inputs, labour, power and wholesale rates of produce. The various economic parameters viz. gross returns, total variable cost and net returns are presented in Tables 6.38 and 6.39. It excluded interest on investment and rental value of land as the same were included in computing the overall economics of the MWs. The overall economics will be dealt in succeeding sections after finalizing the optimal crop plans for various alternative designs wherein the B/C ratios were also worked out.

6.18 OPTIMAL CROP PLAN

Based on the information available on (i) crop and fish production viz. irrigation requirement and net profit per ha (Tables 6.38 and 6.39) (ii) availability of land and water for cultivation during monsoon and post

monsoon seasons, the crop area and water allocation process for these different situations was formulated.

6.18.1 Formulation of Optimal Crop Plan

The crop area allocation process was formulated by linear programming model. The steps followed were :

Objective Function : Objective function was to maximise net profit from different crops under consideration.

Constraints (A) Essential Constraints : (i) Monsoon season water utilization (ii) total water availability (iii) monsoon cropped area (iv) total cropped area

(B) Optional Constraint : Optimal constraints were those restricting crop area to certain fixed value. These constraints were either governed by the local peoples affinity to the crop, family requirement or nutritional requirement as suggested by ICMR and quoted by NARP status reports (1995). Considering all these facts the optional constraints were framed out as follows : (in terms of per cent total cultivated area).

- v) Rice area constraint : It varied from 0 to 30% in different optimal plants as described in succeeding paragram.
- vi) Oil seed area constraint : it was not less than 5%
- vii) Pulses area constraint : It was not less than 5%
- viii) Vegetables area constraint : It was not less than 10%
- ix) Fruit area constraint : Only in J-1 and J-2 it was not less than 5%
- x) Tuber area constraint : Only in J-1 and J-2. It was not less than 5%
- xi) Non negative constraint.: Area under any crop was equal to or greater than zero.

Considering all above constraints, using linear programming technique, the crop area-water allocation model was formulated as given in section 4.10 (Chapter IV)

6.18.2 Optimal Crop Planning for Different Cases

Based on the different per cent of minimum acceptable rice area, optimal allocation of land-water resource crop plans were formulated. The socio-economic survey revealed the following fact regarding minimum acceptable rice area to the farmers of the region.

- (i) 30 per cent at Raipur and 25 per cent at Jagdalpur - Farmers having great affinity to rice (about 26 per cent farmers)
- (ii) 20 per cent at Raipur and 15 per cent at Jagdalpur - farmers having moderate affinity to rice (about 62 per cent farmers)
- (iii) Farmer's having no affinity to any crop - (Enterprising farmer's about 12 per cent).

Based on the basic information regarding minimum acceptable rice area as given above, three different crop-area and water allocation plans were formulated as detailed below :

Case I In this restriction on rice area was placed. The minimum rice area was not less than 30 per cent at Raipur (R-1 and R-2) and 25 per cent at Jagdalpur (J-1 and J-2).

Case II The minimum acceptable rice area was not less than 20 per cent at Raipur (R-1 and R-2) and 15 per cent (J-1 and J-2)

Case III No imposed conditions regarding area under any crop, i.e. no affinity to any crop.

In this way the value of P under Case I was considered as 0.30 (R-1, R-2) and 0.25 (J-1, J-2). These figures for case II were 0.20 (R-1 and R-2) and 0.15 (J-1, J-2).

The crop area and water allocation plan as formulated by linear programming model under three different cases and four alternative designs of SFR and drainage system for four MWs were solved by using software package LP-88-version 7.03. (Tables 6.40 and 6.41).

6.19 ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLANNING

Economics of production activities in MWs (R-1, R-2, J-2, J-2) under three optimal crop plans (for case I, case II and case III) with four alternative designs of SFR (at 80 per cent, 75 per cent, 60 per cent, 50 per cent probabilities of exceedence of rainfall runoff) were worked out at current price levels (1999-2000) of inputs and wholesale rates of produce. The cost of cultivation, gross returns and net profit under different plans are whosn in Appendices VI to X. Besides economics, area water requirement for irrigation and net profit for individual crops and area covered by them are presented in Appendices XI and XII for case I. Similarly these were worked out for other plans also. In these appendices besides crop production, economics of fish production was also included to determine overall economics of production activities in MWs.

6.20 OVERALL ECONOMICS OF MICROWATERSHEDS

Overall economics of MWs were determined by considering the cost of SFR, drainage system irrigation cost including running cost of pump, interest on investment (@ 10 per cent per annum), depreciation, maintenance (@ 2 per cent per annum) rental value of land etc. These were worked out at current price levels (1999-2000). The fixed cost per annum of SFR (depreciation) was worked out by assuming its life as 20 and 40 years, in R-1, R-2 and J-1, J-2 respectively, based on silt deposition data in these SFRs. From these, the annual cost of SFR, irrigation and drainage were worked out. These figures were added to annual cost of production activities in microwatershed to give the overall

Table 6.40 Optimal crop plan for R-1 and R-2

(Area in ha.)

Design	Crops	R-1			R-2		
		Case I atleast 30% rice area	Case II atleast 20% rice area	Case III	Case I atleast 30% rice area	Case II atleast 20% rice area	Case III
80%	Rice 1 M	0.2610	0.174	-	0.261	0.174	-
	Vegetables PM	0.690	0.696	0.87	0.690	0.696	0.87
	Mustard 1PM	0.0435	0.0435	-	0.0435	0.0435	-
	Gram 1PM	0.0435	0.0435	-	0.0435	0.0435	-
	Vegetables 2PM	0.0262	0.0842	0.17	0.0065	0.0529	0.1167
	Vegetables 1PM	0.7568	0.6988	0.70	0.7765	0.7301	0.7533
	Net Profit Rs.	59,408	63,079	72,332	60,884	65,016	76,015
75%	Rice 1 M	0.2550	1.1700	-	0.2520	0.1680	-
	Vegetables PM	0.5850	0.6800	0.85	0.5880	0.6720	0.84
	Mustard 1PM	0.0425	0.0425	-	0.0420	0.0320	-
	Gram 1PM	0.0425	0.0425	-	0.0420	0.0320	-
	Vegetables 2PM	0.4950	0.1061	0.19	0.0403	0.0784	0.1467
	Vegetables 1PM	0.7155	0.6589	0.66	0.7157	0.6976	0.6933
	Net Profit Rs.	58,549	62,136	71,175	58,456	64,093	74,102
60%	Rice 1 M	0.2370	0.1580	-	0.1920	0.1280	-
	Vegetables PM	0.5530	0.6320	0.79	0.4480	0.5120	0.64
	Mustard 1PM	0.0395	0.0395	-	0.0320	0.0320	-
	Gram 1PM	0.0395	0.0395	-	0.0320	0.0320	-
	Vegetables 2PM	0.1194	0.1721	0.25	0.2656	0.2997	0.3467
	Vegetables 1PM	0.5916	0.5290	0.54	0.3104	0.2763	0.2933
	Net Profit Rs.	55,971	59,304	67,707	50,190	53,259	61,350
50%	Rice 1 M	0.2220	0.148	-	0.1590	0.1060	-
	Vegetables PM	0.5180	0.592	0.74	0.3710	0.4240	0.53
	Mustard 1PM	0.0370	0.037	-	0.0265	0.0265	-
	Gram 1PM	0.0370	0.037	-	0.0265	0.0265	-
	Vegetables 2PM	0.1777	0.2270	0.30	0.0395	0.4178	0.4567
	Vegetables 1PM	0.4884	0.4390	0.44	0.0875	0.0592	0.0733
	Net Profit Rs.	53,823	56,945	64,815	45,094	47,636	54,336

Numericals followed by crops indicate number of irrigations

RM : Rainfed crop grown in monsoon season

M : Crop grown during Monsoon season

PM : Crop grown during post-monsoon season

Table 6.41 Optimal crop plan for J-1 and J-2

(Area in ha.)

Design	Crops	J-1			J-2		
		Case I atleast 30% rice area	Case II atleast 20% rice area	Case III	Case I atleast 30% rice area	Case II atleast 20% rice area	Case III
80%	Rice 2M	0.4025	0.2415	-	0.4025	0.2410	-
	Soybean 2M	-	-	-	0.0805	0.0805	-
	Mustard 2PM	0.0805	0.0805	-	-	-	-
	Gram 2PM	0.0805	0.0805	-	0.0805	0.0805	-
	Vegetables 2PM	1.2880	1.280	1.6100	1.4490	1.4490	1.61
	Tubers 1PM	0.0805	0.0805	-	0.0805	0.0805	-
	Fruits 4M+PM	0.0805	0.0805	-	0.0805	0.0805	-
	Vegetables 2M	0.6361	0.8508	1.2667	0.5824	0.7575	1.2667
	Vegetables RM	0.414	0.3568	-	0.3836	0.2895	-
	Net Profit Rs.	97,765	1,01,215	1,26,257	94,512	99,730	1,16,200
75%	Rice 2M	0.3965	0.2370	-	0.3950	0.2370	-
	Soybean 2M	-	-	-	0.0790	0.0790	-
	Mustard 2PM	0.0790	0.0790	-	-	-	-
	Gram 2PM	0.0790	0.0790	-	0.0790	0.0790	-
	Vegetables 2PM	1.2624	1.2624	1.58	1.4220	1.4220	1.58
	Tubers 1PM	0.0790	0.0790	-	0.0790	0.0790	-
	Fruits 4M+PM	0.0790	0.0790	-	0.0790	0.0790	-
	Vegetables 2M	0.6478	0.8585	1.2667	0.5952	0.8058	1.2667
	Vegetables RM	0.3792	0.3265	-	0.3528	0.3002	-
	Net Profit Rs.	96,215	1,02,985	1,24,479	92,959	98,876	1,14,243
60%	Rice 2M	0.3700	0.2220	-	-	0.3700	0.2220
	Soybean 2M	-	-	-	0.0740	0.0740	-
	Mustard 2PM	0.0740	0.0740	-	-	-	-
	Gram 2PM	0.0740	0.0740	-	0.0740	0.0740	-
	Vegetables 2PM	1.1840	1.1840	1.48	1.3320	1.3320	-
	Tubers 1PM	0.0740	0.0740	-	0.0740	0.0740	-
	Fruits 4M+PM	0.0740	0.0740	-	0.0740	0.0740	-
	Vegetables 2M	0.6870	0.8843	1.2667	0.6377	0.8350	1.2667
	Vegetables RM	0.2750	0.2257	-	0.2503	0.2010	0.2133
	Net Profit Rs.	91,046	97,387	1,17,522	87,784	93,325	1,07,721
50%	Rice 2M	0.3550	0.2130	-	0.3550	0.2130	-
	Soybean 2M	-	-	-	0.0710	0.0710	-
	Mustard 2PM	0.0710	0.710	-	-	-	-
	Gram 2PM	0.0710	0.710	-	0.0710	0.710	-
	Vegetables 2PM	1.1360	-	1.42	1.2780	1.2780	-
	Tubers 1PM	0.0710	0.710	-	0.0710	0.710	-
	Fruits 4M+PM	0.0710	0.710	-	0.0710	0.710	-
	Vegetables 2M	0.7105	0.710	1.2667	0.6632	0.8525	1.2667
	Vegetables RM	0.2125	0.1652	-	0.1888	0.1415	0.1533
	Net Profit Rs.	87,945	94,029	1,13,347	84,678	89,995	1,03,807

Numericals followed by crops indicate number of irrigations

RM : Rainfed crop grown in monsoon season

M : Crop grown during Monsoon season

PM : Crop grown during post-monsoon season

earlier determined (Appendices VI to X). In the next step B/C ratio of all the microwatersheds under different plans and designs were worked out and are shown in Tables 6.42 and 6.43 for case I only. similar procedure was adopted for other plans also.

Intangible benefits : Attempts were made to assess the intangible benefit as resulted from development of water harvesting system. Intangible benefits included social gains (employment generation), national gains (increased crop yields and intensity of cropping, improved eco-system), value addition (increased value of land) and agricultural environmental gains (improved ground water status) were quantified. Due to absence of standardized methods, these gains could not be transformed into monetary values and thus unable to be included in cost-benefit analysis of microwatersheds.

Finally table 6.44 presents the summary of comparative economics including B/C ratio of MWs having water harvesting based production system under various optimal crop plans - chosen to suit different category of farmers (not land holding wise) with different alternative designs of SFR and drainage system.

6.21 IMPROVEMENT IN PRODUCTION SITUATIONS

Alleviation of drought and submergence through water harvesting system brought revolutionary changes in the production scenario of microwatersheds. These were the two major constraints of production. Previously crops were grown during monsoon season only with cropping intensity either 100 (R-2, R-2) or less than that (J-1, J-2) as shown in Table 3.7 but after adoption of water harvesting system intensive cropping programme was implemented in both the seasons as a result cropping intensity increased to 200% (Table 6.39, 6.39). Intensive cropping programme was formulated based on logical proportion of grain crops (rice-the traditional crop), pulses (gram), oilseeds (soybean and mustard) and fruit (papaya, banana), tubers (tapioca, sweet potato) to fulfil family's nutritional requirement as per the recommendation of ICMR and

Table 6.42 Cost benefit analysis of MWs R-1 and R-2 under Case I

Particulars	Probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff (%)							
	R-1				R-2			
	80	75	60	50	80	75	60	50
(A) S.F.R.								
i) Capital investment	20,213	23,951	34,418	41,530	16,471	22,295	42,195	60,029
ii) Fixed cost p.a.	1,011	1,198	1,721	2,077	824	1,115	2,110	3,001
iii) Average interest	1,011	1,198	1,721	2,077	824	1,115	2,110	3,001
iv) Maintenance @ 2%	404	479	688	831	329	446	844	1,201
Annual total cost of SFR	2,426	2,874	4,130	4,984	1,997	2,675	5,063	7,203
Drainage cost (p.a.)	596	664	736	812	487	559	636	718
(B) IRRIGATION								
i) Capital Investment	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
ii) Fixed cost p.a.	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
iii) Average interest	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
iv) Maintenance @ 2%	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
v) Annual running cost	209	274	428	537	198	238	339	399
Annual total cost of irrigation	1,909	1,974	2,138	2,237	1,898	1,938	2,039	2,099
Annual cost of SFR, irrigation and drainage	4,931	5,513	7,004	8,032	4,362	5,173	7,738	10,021
(C) PRODUCTION SYSTEM								
i) Annual return	91,149	90,494	89,874	88,726	93,860	93,074	91,250	90,320
ii) Annual production	28,044	27,912	28,309	28,179	29,655	29,587	30,981	31,787
iii) Rental value of land and interest	3,502	3,496	3,515	3,563	3,559	3,559	3,629	3,669
Total cost	36,447	36,920	38,829	39,720	37,580	38,319	42,348	45,477
(D) B/C Ratio	2.50	2.45	2.31	2.23	2.50	2.43	2.15	1.99
(E) INTANGIBLE BENEFIT								
i) Employment generation								
a) initially, man days	362	424	599	717	300	422	728	1025
b) Anually, man days	252	262	274	280	236	252	259	268
	(98)	(98)	(98)	(98)	(98)	(98)	(98)	(98)
ii) Increased cropping intensity (per cent)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
	(100)	(100)	(100)	(100)	(100)	(100)	(100)	(100)
iii) % increase in rice yield by seepage of	21.3	21.3	21.3	21.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
iv) Increased value of land Rs./ha	48,000	48,000	48,000	48,000	42,000	42,000	42,000	42,000
	(28,000)	(28,000)	(28,000)	(28,000)	(20,000)	(20,000)	(20,000)	(20,000)

Figures in parenthesis indicates corresponding values without water

Table 6.43 Cost benefit analysis of MWs J-1 and J-2 under Case I

Particulars	Probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff (%)							
	J-1				J-2			
	80	75	60	50	80	75	60	50
(A) S.F.R.								
i) Capital investment	82,633	95,740	131851	156010	82633	95740	131851	156010
ii) Fixed cost p.a.	2,066	2,394	3,296	3,900	2,066	2,394	3,296	3,900
iii) Average interest	4,132	4,787	6,593	7,801	4,132	4,787	6,593	7,801
iv) Maintenance @ 2%	1,653	1,915	2,637	3,120	1,653	1,915	2,637	3,120
Annual total cost of SFR	7,850	9,095	12,526	14,821	7,850	9,095	12,526	14,821
Annual drainage cost	1,553	1,553	1,685	1,822	1,342	1,342	1,443	1,548
(B) IRRIGATION								
i) Capital Investment	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
ii) Fixed cost p.a.	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
iii) Average interest	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
iv) Maintenance @ 2%	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
v) Annual running cost	1,447	1,637	2,114	2,402	1,447	1,637	2,114	2,402
Annual total cost of irrigation	3,147	3,357	3,814	4,102	3,147	3,357	3,814	4,102
Annual cost of SFR, irrigation and drainage	12,550	13,985	18,025	20,745	12,339	13,774	17,783	20,471
(C) PRODUCTION SYSTEM								
i) Gross returns	146775	144971	139297	139944	148226	146709	142197	139573
ii) Total Cost	44,326	43,702	41,714	40,534	46,047	45,471	43,693	42,647
iii) Rental value of land and interest cost	5,216	5,185	5,086	5,027	5,302	5,274	5,185	5,132
Total cost	62,093	62,872	64,824	66,306	63,688	64,518	66,660	68,250
(D) B/C Ratio	2.36	2.31	2.15	2.05	2.33	2.27	2.13	2.05
(E) INTANGIBLE BENEFIT								
i) Employment generation								
a) initially, man days	1442	1681	2303	2725	1452	1708	2350	2792
b) Anually, man days	423	428	430	420	403	400	390	372
	(98)	(75)	(98)	(98)	(87)	(87)	(87)	(87)
ii) Increased cropping intensity (per cent)	220	220	220	220	200	200	200	200
	((75)	(75)	(75)	(75)	(62.5)	(62.5)	(62.5)	(62.5)
iii) % increase in rice yield	38,000	38,000	38,000	38,000	46,000	46,000	46,000	46,000
	(24,000)	(24,000)	(24,000)	(24,000)	(22,000)	(22,000)	(22,000)	(22,000)
iv) Ground water								
a) increase in water table, m	0.8-1.0	0.8-1.0	0.8-1.0	0.8-1.0	0.6-1.2	0.6-1.2	0.6-1.2	0.6-1.2
b) % increase in recuperation race of wells	15.3-33.6	15.3-33.6	15.3-33.6	15.3-33.6	12.0-42	12.0-42	12.0-42	12.0-42

3 category of choices of farmers regarding rice area. This crop diversification was possible only after adopting water harvesting system as compared to subsistence farming before adoption. This is depicted through 3 optimal crop plans. Case I was meant for those farmers which follow the norms prescribed by ICMR regarding minimum area under pulses, oilseeds, tubers, fruits but wanted to grow vegetables in substantial area to get cyclic income in good amount over a fairly large period of time. It may be noted that in the region, women's participation in crop production activities was very high (70-80 per cent) particularly in tribal belt as compared to the man's participation. Their man's counterpart, if received income from produce at a time, spent it within short period mainly in alcoholic drinks. Also case I is meant for those farmers who wanted to stick up with rice cultivation in substantial area (not less than 30 per cent at Raipur and 25 per cent at Jagdalpur).

Case II is similar to case I but it is meant to those farmers who have moderate affinity to rice but not less than 20 per cent at Raipur and 15 per cent at Jagdalpur of the total cropped area in monsoon season.

Case III have no imposed conditions restricting area under any of the crop. This is meant for those farmers who wish to increase net profit of the production activity. However, this probably may not be sustainable production activity. As described in succeeding sections such production activity (selecting only fewer higher profit giving crop) may create imbalances in the production of other crops which he did not grow besides not fulfilling his family requirements.

As a result of crop diversification it was possible to include more remunerative and water efficient crops in the cropping programme, keeping considerations of family and nutritional needs. As resulted from assured water supply and enhanced ground water status, favourable agro-eco system was created for production activities. SFR's in J-1 and J-2 caused ground water recharge, it resulted in 15.3-33.6 per cent

increase in water yield of shallow dugwells J-1 and 12.9-42 per cent in J-2 due to rise in water table. This made possible to pump out 521 and 480 cu.m. of ground water from these wells in J-1 and J-2 and was used for crop production (Sahu, 1999). Thus the seepage losses from SFR's within specified limit, is tolerable to some extent as it enriched ground water status which could be beneficially explored by way of conjunctive use of surface SFR's stored water and ground water through shallow dug wells.

Rice productivity in microwatersheds after adoption of water harvesting system increased by 189, 186, 101 per cent in R-1, R-2 and J-1 respectively. Similarly oilseed yield in J-1 increased by 339% (Tables 3.7, 6.38, 6.39). With the SFR as the centerpiece, the cropping intensity increased by 100 (R-1, R-2) 167 (J-1) and 220 (J-2) per cent. With one irrigation, the rice yields were increased by 35.9, 37.0, 45.9, 58.2 per cent in J-1, J-2, R-1 and R-2 respectively over rainfed crop. With two irrigations the rice yield in J-1 and J-2 increased by 52.7 and 49.5 per cent over rainfed rice. The higher percentage increase in rice yield in response to one irrigation in R-1, R-2 as compared to J-1 and J-2 was owing to the benefits of rice by SFR seepage. This can lead to conclude that rice area, as far as possible be located below (d/s) the SFR.

Vegetables (Okra followed by radish) consistently gave higher yields in monsoon season under rainfed conditions. The combined yields of Okra + radish were found to be 151.7, 172.4, 143.9, 138.1 q/ha in R-1, R-2, J-1, J-2 respectively. With two irrigations one irrigation to each crop, their yields increased by 34.9, 53.5, 45.7 and 37.9% in respective microwatersheds. With irrigations, two irrigations to each crop, these figures were 34.9, 53.5, 45.7 and 37.3 per cent.

Vegetables (Okra only) also performed well in post-monsoon season with yields of 162, 168.2, 106.8 and 112 q/ha with only one irrigation in R-1, R-2, J-1 and J-2 respectively. With two irrigations their

percent increase in yield over one irrigation were 45.1, 42.8, 39.0 and 29.6 in R-2, R-2, J-1 and J-2 respectively.

Gram and mustard performed badly in all the microwatersheds except R-1. Poor yields were mostly due to acidic nature of soils (pH 5.8 - 6.9) in these microwatersheds. These soils required lime application to amend its pH for good growth of these crops. Soybean in J-2 performed better with yield of 22.5 q/ha and it replaced mustard in the optimal crop plans.

6.21.1 Fish Production in SFR

Fish production in SFR supplemented crop production in MWs besides utilizing water area for remunerative production activity. Fish is liked by the local tribal population and constituted an important sources of protein in their diet. Due to less water depths in SFRs of R-1 and R-2 (1.8 - 1.65 m) and consequent less water storage periods (180-200 days), instead of fish rearing, fish fingerlings were raised in these SFRs. It consisted of fish seed size enhancement (from 2-3 to 15-22 cm). However, successful raising of fingerlings has number of requirements (i) Farmers have to be trained (ii) the fields must be accessible and (iii) fingerlings must be packed in a way that ensures a supply of oxygen during transport (Pal *et al.*, 1994). Some enterprising farmers as visualised in PLAN III are likely to be benefitted from this farm production component.

High water levels (2-3 m) are not only needed to prevent lethal water temperatures but at the same time reduce growth of benthic algae (i.e. sunlight cannot reach the SFR bottom). In take waters should also be screened to prevent predators from entering the culture ponds. In view of the low pH in soil, therefore, liming was required to disinfect pond bottom to kill possible pathogens and predators (FAO, 1996). Fish catch in SFR of J-2 was higher (10.3 q/ha) as compared to SFR of J-1. The difference in yield was due to the difference in basic feed.

The dairy washings and cowdung were used in the J-2 and pig dung was used in J-1.

6.22 PRODUCTION ECONOMICS AND OPTIMAL CROP PLAN

Three optimal crop plans as worked out for each MWs and alternative designs are presented in Table 6.40 and 6.41. Case I was maximum rice area resulted in lowest net profit in all the microwatersheds and in all the designs selected. The net profit in Case II and Case III increased with decrease in rice area. Case III with no rice area resulted in highest net profit in all the cases. However, this plan has a drawback of only considering vegetables in the optimal plan. Grains, pulses, oilseeds, vegetables were totally excluded. Small and marginal farmers who used to fulfil family requirement from own fields will find this plan unacceptable, though for some enterprising farmers, who are interested in getting highest net profit, with higher capital investment capacity, this plan will be quite alright. However, from the point of view of sustainable crop production, in case I and case II, were found to be realistic as they contain good proportion of grains, pulses, vegetables, oilseeds, fruits tubers to fulfil the nutritional requirement of family. Among the Case I and Case II the later gives highest net profit and it seems better in comparison to former. The reason is 20% area under rice is more than fulfilling the family's nutritional requirement. Reducing net profit by increasing rice area, over and above the family's requirement is not justified.

Similar to different optimal crop plans, alternative designs of SFR and drainage system had marked influence on resulted net profit under each plan in each microwatershed. Design of SFR and drainage system at 80 per cent probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff, resulted in highest net profit under all the three optimal crop plans. On contrary, design at 50 per cent probability resulted in lowest net profit.

In this way we see the highest net profit achievable is in Case

of exceedence. As this is not an appropriate crop production system in area where rice is the main diet of people, the next highest net profit was obtained in case II with the SFR and drainage system designed at 80 per cent probability of exceedence. Therefore, it can be considered an appropriate crop production system as it contains logical proportions of various crops fulfilling family's nutritional requirement. The details of this plan are as under :

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|--------|--|---|---|
| (i) | SFR constructed | : | 12.5% gross area (R-1, R-2),
14.5% gross area (J-1, J-2) |
| (ii) | Rice area | : | 20% in R-1, R-2 and 15% in J-1, J-2 |
| (iii) | Soybean area | : | 5% in J-2 |
| (iv) | Rainfed vegetable area | : | 59% in R-1, R-2, 22% in J-1, 18% in J-2. |
| (v) | Monsoon vegetable area with two supplemental irrigations one each to okra and radish | : | 53% in J-1 and 47% in J-2 |
| (vi) | Tubers pure (sweet potato) | : | 10% in J-2 |
| (vii) | Tubers (grown additionally | : | 5% in J-1 |
| (viii) | Fruits (papaya with soybean grown in the interspace) | : | 5% in J-1 |
| (ix) | Fruits (Banana with green chillis in the interspace | : | 5% in J-2 |
| (x) | Post-monsoon vegetables (radish) with one irrigation | : | 80% in R-1, 84% in R-2 |
| (xi) | Post-monsoon vegetables (radish) with two irrigations | : | 10% in R-1, 6% in R-2
80% in J-1, 90% in J-2 |
| (xii) | Mustard and gram, each | : | 6% in R-1, R-2, J-1, J-2 (only gram) |
| (xiii) | Fish rearing | : | R-1, R-2, J-1, J-2 |

- (xiv) Total net profit : Rs. 63079 in R-1, Rs. 65016 in R-2, Rs. 1,01,215 in J-1, Rs. 99,730 in J-2.

6.23 OVERALL ECONOMICS OF WATER HARVESTING BASED CROP PRODUCTION IN MICROWATERSHEDS

Results of overall economics of microwatersheds is presented in Tables 6.42 and 6.43. It revealed that optimal crop plan under case III resulted in highest net profit and so also the highest B/C ratio, followed by Case II and Case II. The highest annual net profit was worked out to be Rs. 1,01,132 (J-1) in microwatershed of Jagdalpur and Rs. 71,333 (J-1) in MWs of Raipur. The B/C ratio for these microwatersheds were worked out to be 2.60 and 2.78 respectively. the highest net profit and consequently higher B/C ratios in these microwatersheds is attributed due to higher yield and net returns from vegetables exclusively grown under plan III. As mentioned earlier the sustainable crop production was found under case II with realistic proportions of grains, vegetables tubers, fruits, pulses and oilseeds. Under optimal crop plan case II also, the highest net profit and so also the B/C ratio were obtained in microwatersheds J-1 at Jagdalpur and R-2 at Raipur. The highest net profit in these MWs were Rs 91,507 and Rs. 60,422 and B/C ratios were 2.44 and 2.58 respectively.

All the above mentioned figures of net profit and B/C ratios pertains to design of SFR at 80 per cent probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff. Highest net profit and B/C ratios were obtained at above design levelsof SFR and drainage system.

Fish rearing was quite beneficial to enhance net profit of the overall production system of MWs. Its share in overall net profit of MWs was 6.33, 5.56, 5.08 and 8.51% in R-1, R-2, J-1 and J-2. The maximum share was in J-2 where dairy washings and cowdung were used as basic feed to fishes. It follows the mixed farming concept with interaction among man-animal water-crop. The output of one production activity

Table 6.44 Comparative economics (Rs.) of water harvesting based crop production system under Optimal Crop Plans in microwatersheds

Alt. designs	Case I			Case II			Case III		
	Gross	Total	B/C	Gross	Total	B/C	Gross	Total	B/C
R-1									
80%	91149	36477	2.50	95290	36970	2.58	105759	38248	2.77
75%	90494	36920	2.45	94538	37402	2.53	104768	38651	2.71
60%	89874	38829	2.31	93639	39278	2.38	103259	40437	2.55
50%	88726	39720	2.23	92243	40138	2.30	101148	41225	2.45
R-2									
80%	93860	37580	2.50	98646	38224	2.58	111393	40060	2.78
75%	93074	38319	2.43	98425	39067	2.52	110002	40714	2.70
60%	91250	42348	2.16	94771	42822	2.21	101121	44173	2.29
50%	90320	45447	1.99	93226	45870	2.03	101002	46988	2.15
J-1									
80%	146775	62093	2.36	155245	63739	2.44	164342	63210	2.60
75%	144971	62872	2.31	153278	64486	2.38	163514	64452	2.54
60%	139297	64824	2.15	147077	66335	2.22	161092	67946	2.37
50%	135944	66306	2.05	92817	55017	1.69	159691	70353	2.27
J-2									
80%	148226	63688	2.33	153996	64203	2.40	158378	63553	2.49
75%	146709	64518	2.27	154110	66078	2.33	157926	64879	2.43
60%	142197	66660	2.13	149131	68122	2.19	105131	56720	1.85
50%	139573	68250	2.05	144970	69158	2.10	104009	58713	1.77

could be used as input of other production activity, and the system could be made self sustained. It was also found that in SFR where cowdung slurry was used, the seepage losses were quite less as compared to other SFR.

6.24 CONCLUSIONS

Rainfed rice culture and drought problem with subsequent migration of farm labours frequently go hand in hand for most of the areas of Chhattisgarh. A great variation in the onset and termination of monsoon, its occurrence give farmers a little choice but to adopt a very low-risk, low-input cropping system, which is directed to giving a stable rather than a high production. Water shortage prevents farmers from growing an economic non-rice crop during post-rice season. Even a marginal improvement in the soil-water status in this season can make a significant difference in cropping opportunity and/or yields.

The above results indicated that a sustainable crop production programme such as optimal crop plan II with available land and water resources within a microwatershed could be formulated, using SFR as centerpiece, which is economically attractive and socially desirable. The role played by SFR and drainage system to alleviate drought and submergence cannot be denied. The salient findings based on the results obtained above can be summarized as below :

1. Among various alternative designs of SFR and drainage system, the one at 80 per cent probability of exceedence gave the highest B/C ratio (2.33 - 2.78) in different microwatersheds.
2. Among the three optimal crop plans tried, optimal crop plan case II (with rice area not less than 20 per cent at Raipur and 15 per cent at Jagdalpur) was found to be sustainable crop production system with B/C varying between 2.40 to 2.58 in different microwatersheds under the design mentioned in S.No. 1 above.
3. Fish rearing inside SFR substantially contribute (5.08 to 8.51 per cent share of total net profit) to strengthen economy of microwatershed and justify the land utilized for SFR construction.

CHAPTER VII

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

The Chhattisgarh state (erstwhile Chhattisgarh region of Madhya Pradesh) is inhabited mostly by tribal population with agriculture as their main vocation. Under the prevalent rainfed condition, the agricultural productivity is poor. Apparently, there appears to be a good scope of harnessing rainwater through water harvesting technology for irrigating the crops. Adequate research informations are not available on the technical and economic feasibility of adopting this technology on a large scale. With this background, a study on "Development of water harvesting system for sustainable crop production in microwatersheds", was taken up. The study comprised rainfall analysis and estimation of runoff, design of water harvesting structures and drainage system; estimation of crop water requirement and crop performance as a result of irrigation using the water stored in ponds. The fish rearing in ponds was introduced to enhance the overall productivity of the production system. Considering water allocation to different crop production activity, optimal crop-area and water allocation model for maximising net return from the command area was attempted. The study was carried out in four microwatersheds (MWs). Two of the MWs measuring 1 ha each were in Chhattisgarh plains and the remaining two, measuring 2 ha each, were located in Bastar plateau agroclimatic zone of the Chattisgarh state.

Four runoff estimation models viz. curve number method (CN), conservation factor approach (CF), Binnies and Strange's method, were compared for selecting the most appropriate one, using the data of MWs. In case of plateau microwatersheds, modifications were needed in the existing criteria of deciding antecedent moisture condition (AMC), and a new criteria was developed.

Rainfall, dryspell and runoff analysis, using past 30-31 years data, were undertaken and appropriate probability distributions were fitted. Expected values of rainfall, runoff and dryspell length were determined at 80, 75, 60 and 50 % probability of exceedence. Keeping in view the weekly water requirement of rice, the rainfall and dryspell analysis was also undertaken by Markov-chain model. In this analysis initial and conditional probabilities, probability of consecutive wet weeks and dry weeks were worked out.

Evapotranspiration (ET) of rice crop, as determined by weighing type lysimeter in plains and drum culture technique in plateau were used in this study. ET of non-rice crops were determined by soil moisture depletion/addition studies available in the area. Crop coefficients were developed for the two zones, after working out reference crop evapotranspiration by Modified Penman method using past 20 years meteorological data.

Using the model outputs as obtained above, alternative designs of small farm reservoirs were attempted at 4 levels of probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff viz. 80, 75, 60 and 50 per cent. The expected amount of rainfall and runoff at above probabilities of exceedence and various hydrological parameters were used in working out the mean water surface area of small farm reservoirs (SFRs). The seepage losses in SFRs were worked out by the water balance approach. The optimum depth of SFRs for circular and rectangular shapes were worked out by using reservoir storage optimization. The water demand of crops were estimated by the soil textured, ET and expected length of dryspells at critical crop growth stages, soil water replenishment needed in the crop root zone and location of crop area in reference to SFR (in case of rice).

Water balance approach was adopted based on daily water budgeting of SFR, in order to partition various hydrological components viz. rainfall, runoff, evaporation, seepage losses, irrigation etc. Seepage

contribution to SFR were estimated by taking measurements in a 20 m x 24 m x 3 m pit in nearby area, which was lined all sides except the seepage face. Further, in order to develop rating curves of storage volumes and water spread area as functions of reservoir storage depth, the capacity survey of SFR's were conducted.

The alternative designs of surface drainage systems were undertaken at four levels of recurrence interval, after analysing daily maximum runoff to be disposed off, viz. 1.25, 1.33, 1.66 and 2 years. Looking to the good drainage need of monsoon crops, and considering 16 hours as the excess water removal time, a close spacing of 7 and 10 m was adopted in plains and plateau areas. Sediment concentration of runoff were also recorded at fortnightly intervals. Assuming the third year sedimentation value as the stabilized sedimentation rate, and accounting for the higher sedimentation in the initial years, per cent capacity reduction and active life of SFRs were worked out.

Besides crop production, remunerative enterprise of pisciculture was also incorporated in SFRs, which included addition of cow dung and pig dung to serve as fish feed and seepage retardant. In MWs, crops like rice, pulses, oilseeds, fruits and tubers were grown and its performance utilizing SFR water were evaluated. As a result of increased ground water recharge, the conjunctive use of surface water (SFR) and ground water (shallow dug wells) were also attempted, for crop production in MWs. The economics of crop and fish production were worked out.

Crop-area and water allocation model were formulated using linear programming. It was assumed that under the limited availability of water, the input and output relationship was linear. The optimal crop plans were worked out using above model under three different cases as established by socio-economic survey of the region :

- CASE 1 : When rice area is limited to atleast 25-30 % of the cropped area (for farmers having strong affinity to rice)
- CASE 2 : When rice area is limited to least 15-20% of the cropped area (for farmers having moderate affinity to rice)
- CASE 3 : No restriction on any of the crop (Progressive farmers).

In case 1 and case 2 restrictions were also placed on the area of oilseeds, pulses, tubers, fruits (each atleast 5 % of the cropped area) and vegetables (at least 10% of cropped area). Besides, availability of cultivated land and water in SFR were the obvious restrictions, in all cases.

The overall economics of SFR based farming in all the MWs were worked out for four alternative designs of SFR, each under optimal crop plans for three different cases (group of farmers), taking into account the investments incurred in installation and maintenance of SFR and drainage system.

Based on the present research findings, the following conclusions are drawn :

1. Curve number method was found superior over other methods for runoff estimation because of its ability to calculate runoff for shortest period (daily).
2. The water harvesting potential (WHP) of composite MW (with rice coverage 25-30%) were found to be higher (617-727 mm) in plateau than that under plains (445-491 mm).
3. Annual as well as monsoon rainfalls followed normal distribution. In periods with high variability or low amount of rainfall, either exponential or Gamma distribution fitted well to rainfall data.

4. The annual as well as seasonal runoffs followed normal distribution whereas fortnightly runoffs were found to follow exponential form.
5. Gamma distribution was found to be good fit to the dry spell length, the longest one was found to be 23 and 27 days at 25 per cent, 12 and 16 days at 75 per cent probability of exceedence in plateau and plains, respectively. It was coinciding with the reproduction stages of most crops, needed irrigation from SFR. The Markov-chain modelling also showed the occurrence of wet periods between 25-36 SMWs when WHP is the highest. This analysis further revealed the occurrence of dry periods after 36 SMW (initial and conditional dry probabilities higher than 55%), showed immense needs of water for the crops from SFR.
6. Among various alternative designs of SFR and drainage system, the one at 80 per cent probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff resulted in highest B/C ratio (2.33-2.78). Under this design area required for SFR was worked out to be 10 and 13.5 per cent of MW area in plains and plateau areas of Chhattisgarh.
7. The overall B/C ratio of MWs was found to be highest (2.49-2.78) when there was no restriction to choice of crops and its area (Progressive farmers).
8. Being a rice growing tract, where rice coverage was atleast 15-20 per cent (farmers with moderate rice affinity), the B/C ratio was found slightly to reduce (2.40-2.58) but it was still higher than the case with atleast 25-30 per cent rice coverage (farmers with strong rice affinity). In this case B/C ratio was found to be lowest (2.33-2.50).
9. Fish rearing inside SFR alone substantially contributed (5.1-8.5 per cent of net profit) to the overall economy of MWs including the compensation of foregone crops under SFR.

10. Economic analysis based on crop yields, net profits (at 1999-2000 price levels), the optimal crop plans, showed that there could be remarkable change in the economic scenario of MW under SFR based farming. The analysis revealed that B/C ratio could be enhanced from 1.06-1.16 to 2.33-2.78 in SFRs designed at 80 per cent probability of exceedence of rainfall and runoff. Besides cropping intensity can be increased from 62.5-100 to 200 per cent.

Improvement of ground water status (rise in water table from 0.25-1.75 m) which facilitated conjuctive use of surface and ground water, additional employment generation, increased value of cropped land and conducive environment for crop diversification and mixed forming are the added intangible benefits accrued from the adoption of SFR based farming system.

In a nutshell, the investigations revealed the techno-economic feasibility of improvements in the present rainfed farming system which could be brought to the level of agriculture in irrigated environments with practically no sign of resource base degradation. The approach is rather eco-friendly where environment improves with the improvement in farming practices.

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**APPENDIX I : A PROGRAMME IN MS EXCELL 5.0 USING
CONDITIONAL STATEMENTS FOR RUNOFF
ESTIMATION (CN)**

Column	Particulars	Conditional Statements
A	Month	1 - 12
B.	Date	1 - 28/29/30/31
C	Rainfall	Daily, amount in mm
D	Sum of previous 5 days rainfall	= sum (C4 : C9)
E	Crop cover	
	R-2	=IF(A9<4,"Good",IF(A9<6,"PF",IF(A9<9,"Poor",IF(A9<12,"Fair","Good"))))
	R-1,J-1 and J-2	=IF(A9<2,"Fair",IF(A9<4,"Good",IF(A9<6,"PF",IF(A9<8,"Poor",IF(A9<9,"Fair",IF(A9<11,"Good","Poor"))))))
F	Assigning CN for AMC II	
	R-2	=IF(A9<4,"89",IF(A9<6,"94",IF(A9<9,"91",IF(A9<12,"90","89"))))
	R-1,J-1andJ-2	IF(A9<2,"90",IF(A9<4,"89",IF(A9<6,"94",IF(A9<8,"91",IF(A9<9,"90",IF(A9<11,"89","91"))))))
G	Designating AMC	
	R-1 and R-2	
	Growing season	=IF(D9<36,"1",IF(D9<53,"2","3"))
	Dormant season	=IF(D9<12,"1",IF(D9<29,"2","3"))
	J-1 and J-2	
	Monsoon season	= IF(D9<10,"1","3")
	Non-monsoon season	=IF(D9<10,"1",IF(D9<19,"2","3"))
H	New CN for AMC	
	All MWs (4,5)*	=IF(G9<2,"86.8",IF(G9<3,"94","97.6"))
	J-1, J-2(6,7,11,12)	=IF(G9<2,"80.2","96.4")
	J-1, J-2 (8,1)	=IF(G9<2,"78","96")
	J-1,J-2(9,10,2,3)	=IF(G9<2,"76.5","95.5")

	R-1 (6,7,11,12) and R-2 (6,7,8)	=IF(G9<2,"80.2",IF(G9<3,"91","96.4"))
	R-1 (8,1) and R-2, (9,10,11)	=IF(G9<2,"78",IF(G9<3,"90","96"))
	R-1 (9,10,2,3) and R-2 (12,1,2,3)	=IF(G9<2,"76.5",IF(G9<3,"89","95.5"))
I	Calculation of S	= ((1000/H9)-10)* 25.4
J	Q for non-rice area	=IF(C9<2,0,((C9-0.1*I9) ² / (C9+0.9*I9))
K	Q for rice area	
	low land	=IF(C9<2,0,IF(C9<50,(C9-1.33864) ² / (C9+12.0316), (C9-50-1.33684) ² / (C9-50+12.0316))))
	Upland	= IF(C9<25,0,IF(C9<50,(C9-1.38864) ² / (C9+12.0316), (C9-50-1.33684) ² / (C9-50+12.0316))))
L	Weighted runoff	
	J-1	=((1.25*J9)+(0.5*K9)) / 1.75
	J-2	=((1.58*J9)+(0.17*K9)) / 1.75

+ month number; 1 12 for Jan to Dec.

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APPENDX II : A COMPUTER PROGRAMME IN C++ FOR RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER METHOD

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#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
#include<string.h>
#include<math.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
void main()
{typedef struct { int date, m;
float rf, p5t,jt;
float ncnr,s,q,ml,ll,a[365],mw1,mw2;
char ccr[3];
int cnr,amcr1; } record ;
FILE *fp,*fc,*fpp; record r; char printer[]="LPT1";
int n=0,k=0; char choice,ch; clrscr();
while(1)
{ clrscr(); gotoxy(15,10);
printf("APPENDEX II : A COMPUTER PROGRAMME IN\n");
printf("          C++ FOR RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY\n");
printf("          CURVE NUMBER METHOD"); getch(); clrscr();
gotoxy(25,10); printf("MENU"); gotoxy(24,11); printf("*****"); gotoxy(10,12);
printf(" \n\t A.DISPLAY THE RAIN-FALL REPORT FROM RAIPUR M.W.1");
printf(" \n\t B.DISPLAY THE RAIN-FALL REPORT FROM RAIPUR M.W.2");
printf(" \n\t C.DISPLAY THE RAIN-FALL REPORT FROM JAGDALPUR");
printf(" \n\t D.EXIT");
printf("\n\n\n\n\t\t ENTER YOUR CHOICE(A,B,C OR D Any One) = "); scanf("%c",&ch);fflush(stdin);
switch(ch)
{case 'A':
{add:clrscr();
gotoxy(25,10); printf("MENU OF RAIPUR R-1"); gotoxy(24,11);
printf("*****"); gotoxy(10,12);
printf(" \n\t 1.DISPLAY THE RAIN-FALL REPORT FROM RAIPUR M.W.1");
printf(" \n\t 2.WRITING NEW RAIN-FALL DATA IN RAIPUR M.W.1(REFRESS OLD DATA)");
printf(" \n\t 3.Print"); printf(" \n\t 4.EXIT");
printf("\n\n\n\n\t\t ENTER YOUR CHOICE(1,2,3 OR 4 Any One) = ");
scanf("%d",&choice);fflush(stdin);
switch(choice)
{case 1:
{fp=fopen("rain1.dat","r"); int r1=7;clrscr();
gotoxy(1,2); printf("APPENDX III : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
RAIPUR(R-1)\n");
gotoxy(1,3); printf("          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
gotoxy(1,4); printf("-----");
gotoxy(1,5); printf("DA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice " );
gotoxy(1,6); printf("TE th fall Total cover AMCIl AMC S n.rice M.L. L.L. ");
gotoxy(1,7); printf("-----\n");
while(fscanf(fp,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f",&r.date,&r.m,&r.rf,&r.p5t , r.ccr,&r.cnr,
&r.amcr1, &r.ncnr, &r.s,&r.q,&r.ml,&r.ll)!=EOF)
{if(r1==24)
{printf("PLEASE WAIT -----\n Press Any key To Continue..... ");
getch();clrscr();
gotoxy(1,2); printf("APPENDX III : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
RAIPUR(R-1)\n");
gotoxy(1,3); printf("          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
gotoxy(1,4); printf("-----");
gotoxy(1,5); printf("DA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice " );
gotoxy(1,6); printf("TE th fall Total cover AMCIl AMC S n.rice M.L. L.L. ");
gotoxy(1,7); printf("-----\n"); r1=7;}
printf("%2d %2d %6.1f %6.1f %4s %5d %3d %5.1f %5.1f %6.2f %5.2f %5.2f\n",
r.date,r.m,r.rf,r.p5t , r.ccr, r.cnr, r.amcr1, r.ncnr,r.s, r.q,r.ml,r.ll);
r1=r1+1;}fclose(fp);

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gotoxy(5,23); printf("\npress any key to continue ....."); getch(); } goto add;
case 2:
{clrscr(); int n1=0,nm,k=0; fp=fopen("rain1.dat","w");
gotoxy(5,5); printf("          RECORD-ENTER\n");
gotoxy(5,6); printf("          *****\n\n");
printf("Enter date,month & rain-fall (Date in DD, Month in MM & Rain-Fall in milli-meter)\n\n");
printf("Enetr number of record to input :-");
scanf("%d",&nm); fflush(stdin);
while(n1!=nm)
{ printf("\n\nEnter Date(in DD):-"); scanf("%d",&r.date); fflush(stdin);
printf("\nEnter Month(in MM):-"); scanf("%d",&r.m); fflush(stdin);
printf("\nEnter Rain-Fall(in milli-meter):-"); scanf("%f",&r.rf); fflush(stdin);
fprintf(fp,"%d %d %f\n",r.date,r.m,r.rf); n1=n1+1; } fclose(fp); clrscr();
printf("press any key to continue ....."); getch();
fp=fopen("rain1.dat","r"); fc=fopen("RR.NEW","w");
char crop [4][3]={"PF","FA","GD","PR"};
while(fscanf(fp,"%d %d %f",&r.date,&r.m,&r.rf)!=EOF)
{ r.a[n]=r.rf;
if(n>4) { r.p5t=(r.a[0+k])+(r.a[1+k])+(r.a[2+k])+(r.a[3+k])+(r.a[4+k]); k=k+1; } else r.p5t=0;
if(r.m>0 && r.m<3) strcpy(r.ccr,crop[2]); if(r.m>2 && r.m<6) strcpy(r.ccr,crop[0]);
if(r.m>8 && r.m<12) strcpy(r.ccr,crop[1]); if(r.m==12) strcpy(r.ccr,crop[2]);
if(r.m>5 && r.m<9) strcpy(r.ccr,crop[3]); fflush(stdin); if(r.m==1) r.cnr=90;
if(r.m>1 && r.m<4) r.cnr=89; if((r.m>3) && (r.m<6)) r.cnr=94;
if((r.m>5) && (r.m<8)) r.cnr=91;
if(r.m==8) r.cnr=90; if((r.m>8) && (r.m<11)) r.cnr=89;
if((r.m>10) && (r.m<13)) r.cnr=91;
if(r.m==4 || r.m==5) { if(r.p5t<12) r.amcr1=1;
if(r.p5t>12 && r.p5t<29) r.amcr1=2; if(r.p5t>28) r.amcr1=3;}
else { if(r.p5t<36) r.amcr1=1; if(r.p5t>35 && r.p5t<54) r.amcr1=2;
if(r.p5t>53) r.amcr1=3; }
if(r.m>1 && r.m<4) { if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=76.5; if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=89;
if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=95.5;} if(r.m==4 || r.m==5) { if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=86.8;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=94; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=97.6;}
if(r.m>5 && r.m<8) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=80.2;
else if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=91; else if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96.4;}
if(r.m==1 || r.m==8) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=78;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=90; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96;} if(r.m>8 && r.m<11)
{if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=76.5;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=89; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=95.5; } if(r.m==11 ||
r.m==12) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=80.2;
else if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=91; else if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96.4; }
r.s=((1000/r.ncnr)-10)*25.4; int k; k=0.1*r.s;
if(r.rf>k) r.q=pow((r.rf-(0.1*r.s)),2)/(r.rf+(0.9*r.s)); else r.q=0;
int c,j; if(r.m==6) { if(c==11) { if(r.rf<1.4) r.ll=0;
else r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>1.4 && r.rf<50) r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf<25) r.ml=0; else r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>25 && r.rf<50) r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>50) {r.ll=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);} else { r.jt=r.jt+r.rf;
if(r.jt>=140) {j=r.jt-140; r.ll=pow((j-1.33684),2)/(j+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((j-1.33684),2)/(j+12.0316); c=11; r.jt=0; } else{ r.ll=0; r.ml=0; }
}} if(r.m<6 && r.m>6)
{ if(r.rf<1.4) r.ll=0; else r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>1.4 && r.rf<50) r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf<25) r.ml=0; else r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>25 && r.rf<50) r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316);
if(r.rf>50) {r.ll=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);} }
fprintf( fc,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f\n", r.date,r.m, r.rf,r.p5t,r.ccr,r.cnr, r.amcr1, r.ncnr
,r.s,r.q, r.ml,r.ll); n=n+1; } fclose(fp); fclose(fc);
remove("rain1.dat"); rename("RR.NEW","rain1.dat"); fclose(fp);}goto add;

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case 3:

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{ fp=fopen("rain1.DAT","r"); fpp=fopen(printer,"w");clrscr();
  fprintf(fpp,"APPENDX III : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
RAIPUR(R-1)");
  fprintf(fpp,"          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
  fprintf(fpp,"-----");
  fprintf(fpp,"\nDA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice");
  fprintf(fpp,"\nTE th fall Total cover AMCII  AMC   S  n.rice M.L. L.L.");
  fprintf(fpp,"\n-----");
  while(fscanf(fp,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f
",&r.date,&r.m,&r.rf,&r.p5t,r.ccr,&r.cnr,&r.amcr1,&r.ncnr,&r.s,&r.q,&r.ml,&r.ll)!=EOF)
  fprintf(fpp,"\n%2d %02d %5.1f %5.1f %4s %4d %3d %5.1f %6.2f %6.2f %6.2f
%6.2f",r.date,r.m,r.rf,r.p5t,r.ccr,r.cnr,r.amcr1,r.ncnr,r.s,r.q,r.ml,r.ll);
  fclose(fp); gotoxy(5,5); printf("press any key to continue ..... \n");
  printf("please on the printer 'wait & exit"); getch(); }
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case 4:

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{ clrscr();gotoxy(20,15);printf("RETURN TO MAIN PROGRAME");
  gotoxy(20,16); printf(" press any key to continue ....."); getch();}}break;
case 'B':
{ add1: clrscr(); gotoxy(25,10); printf("MENU OF RAIPUR R-2"); gotoxy(24,11);
  printf("*****"); gotoxy(10,12); printf(" \n\t 1.DISPLAY THE RAIN-FALL REPORT FROM
RAIPUR M.W.2");
  printf(" \n\t 2.WRITING NEW RAIN-FALL DATA IN RAIPUR M.W.2(REFRESS OLD DATA)");
  printf(" \n\t 3.PRINT"); printf(" \n\t 4.EXIT");
  printf("\n\n\n\n\n\t\t ENTER YOUR CHOICE(1,2,3 OR 4 Any One) = ");
  scanf("%d",&choice); fflush(stdin);
switch(choice)
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{case 1:
  {fp=fopen("rain2.dat","r"); int r1=7; clrscr();
  gotoxy(1,1); printf("APPENDX IV : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
RAIPUR(R-2)\n");
  gotoxy(1,2); printf("          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
  gotoxy(1,3); printf("-----");
  gotoxy(1,4); printf("DA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice " );
  gotoxy(1,5); printf("TE th fall Total cover AMCII  AMC   S  n.rice M.L. L.L. ");
  gotoxy(1,6); printf("-----\n");
  while(fscanf(fp,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f ",&r.date, &r.m,&r.rf,&r.p5t, r.ccr,&r.cnr,
&r.amcr1, &r.ncnr,&r.s,&r.q,&r.ml,&r.ll)!=EOF)
  { if(r1==24)
  { printf(" PLEASE WAIT ----- \n Press Any key To Continue..... "); getch(); clrscr();
  gotoxy(1,1); printf("APPENDX IV : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
RAIPUR(R-2)\n");
  gotoxy(1,2); printf("          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
  gotoxy(1,3); printf("-----");
  gotoxy(1,4); printf("DA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice " );
  gotoxy(1,5); printf("TE th fall Total cover AMCII  AMC   S  n.rice M.L. L.L. ");
  gotoxy(1,6); printf("-----\n"); r1=7;}
  printf("%2d %2d %6.1f %6.1f %4s %5d %3d %5.1f %5.1f %6.2f %5.2f %5.2f\n", r.date,r.m,r.rf,
r.p5t,r.ccr, r.cnr, r.amcr1,r.ncnr,r.s,r.q,r.ml,r.ll);
  r1=r1+1;} fclose(fp); gotoxy(5,23); printf("\npress any key to continue ....."); getch(); } goto
add1;
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case 2:

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{ clrscr(); int n1=0,nm,k=0; fp=fopen("rain2.dat","w");
  gotoxy(5,5); printf("          RECORD-ENTER Y\n");
  gotoxy(5,6); printf("          *****\n\n");
  printf("Enter date,month & rain-fall (Date in DD, Month in MM & Rain-Fall in milli-meter)\n\n");
  printf("Enetr number of record to input :-"); scanf("%d",&nm); fflush(stdin);
  while(n1!=nm)
  { printf("\n\nEnter Date(in DD):-"); scanf("%d",&r.date); fflush(stdin);
  printf("\nEnter Month(in MM):-"); scanf("%d",&r.m); fflush(stdin);
  printf("\nEnter Rain-Fall(in milli-meter):-"); scanf("%f",&r.rf); fflush(stdin);
  fprintf(fp,"%d %d %6.2f\n",r.date,r.m,r.rf); n1=n1+1; } fclose(fp); clrscr();
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if(r.m==8) r.cnr=90; if((r.m>8) && (r.m<11)) r.cnr=89;
if((r.m>10) && (r.m<13)) r.cnr=91;
if(r.m>5 && r.m<11) {if(r.p5t<10) r.amcr1=1; else r.amcr1=3;}
if(r.m>10 && r.m<13) {if(r.p5t<10) r.amcr1=1;
if(r.p5t>9.9 && r.p5t<18.1) r.amcr1=2; if(r.p5t>18) r.amcr1=3;}
if(r.m>0 && r.m<6) {if(r.p5t<10) r.amcr1=1;
if(r.p5t>9.9 && r.p5t<18.1) r.amcr1=2; if(r.p5t>18) r.amcr1=3;}
if(r.m>1 && r.m<4) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=76.5; if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=89;
if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=95.5;} if(r.m==4 || r.m==5) { if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=86.8;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=94; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=97.6;}
if(r.m>5 && r.m<8) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=80.2;
else if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=91; else if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96.4;}
if(r.m==1 || r.m==8) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=78;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=90; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96;}
if(r.m>8 && r.m<11) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=76.5;
if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=89; if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=95.5;}
if(r.m==11 || r.m==12) {if(r.amcr1==1) r.ncnr=80.2;
else if(r.amcr1==2) r.ncnr=91; else if(r.amcr1==3) r.ncnr=96.4;}
r.s=((1000/r.ncnr)-10)*25.4; int k; k=0.1*r.s;
if(r.rf>k) r.q=pow((r.rf-(0.1*r.s)),2)/(r.rf+(0.9*r.s));
else r.q=0; int c,j; if(r.m==6) {if(c==11) {if(r.rf>1.4)
r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316); else r.ll=0;
if(r.rf>25) r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316); else r.ml=0;
if(r.rf>50) {r.ll=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);}}
else{ r.jt=r.jt+r.rf; if(r.jt>=140) {j=r.jt-140; r.ll=pow((j-1.33684),2)/(j+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((j-1.33684),2)/(j+12.0316); c=11; r.jt=0;}
else{ r.ll=0; r.ml=0;}} else { if(r.rf>1.4) r.ll=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316); else r.ll=0;
if(r.rf>25) r.ml=pow((r.rf-1.33684),2)/(r.rf+12.0316); else r.ml=0;
if(r.rf>50) {r.ll=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);
r.ml=pow((r.rf-50-1.33684),2)/(r.rf-50+12.0316);}}
r.mw1=((1.25*r.q)+0.5*r.ll)/1.75; r.mw2=((1.58*r.q)+0.17*r.ll)/1.75;
fprintf( fc,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f %f %f\n",r.date,r.m,r.rf,r.p5t,r.ccr, r.cnr,r.amcr1,
r.ncnr, r.s, r.q,r.ml,r.ll,r.mw1,r.mw2); n=n+1; } fclose(fp); fclose(fc);
remove("rain5.dat"); rename("RR.NEW","rain5.dat"); fclose(fp); } goto add2;
case 3:
{fp=fopen("rain5.DAT","r"); fpp=fopen(printer,"w"); clrscr();
fprintf(fpp,"APPENDX V : RUNOFF RSTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER TECHNIQUE :
JAGDALPUR(J-1, J-2)");
fprintf(fpp,"          SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT");
fprintf(fpp,"-----\n");
fprintf(fpp,"DA Mon Rain P5DAY crop C.N. AMC N.CN Calc. Q for Q'from rice Wt.runoff\n");
fprintf(fpp,"TE th fall Total cover AMCII AMC S n.ric M.L. L.L. J-1 J-2\n");
fprintf(fpp,"-----\n");
while(fscanf(fp,"%d %d %f %f %s %d %d %f %f %f %f %f %f %f",&r.date,&r.m,&r.rf, &r.p5t,r.ccr,
&r.cnr, &r.amcr1, &r.ncnr,&r.s,&r.q,&r.ml,&r.ll,&r.mw1,&r.mw2)!=EOF)
fprintf(fpp,"%2d %02d %5.1f %5.1f %3s %4d %4d %5.1f %5.2f %5.2f %5.2f %5.2f
%5.2f\n", r.date, r.m,r.rf,r.p5t,r.ccr,r.cnr,r.amcr1,r.ncnr,r.s,r.q,r.ml,r.ll,r.mw1,r.mw2);
fclose(fp); gotoxy(5,5); printf("press any key to continue ..... \n");
printf("please on the printer 'wait & exit'"); getch(); } goto add2;
case 4:
{clrscr(); gotoxy(20,15);printf("RETURN TO MAIN PROGRAME");
gotoxy(20,17); printf("press any key to continue ....."); getch(); }} break;
case 'D':
{clrscr(); gotoxy(20,15);printf("EXIT THIS PROGRAME");
gotoxy(20,17); printf("press any key to continue ....."); getch(); exit(1); } break; }}}

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APPENDIX III : RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER METHOD; RAIPUR (R-1) - SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT

***** DETAILE OF RAIN-FALL REPORT FOR 'RAIPUR MW1'*****
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DA	Mon	Rain	P5DAY	croop	C.N.	AMC	N.C.No	Calc.	Q for	Q'from	
TE	th	fall	Total	cover	AMCII	AMC	AMC	S	n.rice	M.L.	L.L.
22	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
26	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
27	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
28	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
29	05	1.60	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
30	05	4.60	1.60	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.01	0.00	0.00
31	05	0.00	6.20	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
1	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	06	0.00	4.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	06	3.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
15	06	0.00	3.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
16	06	0.60	3.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
17	06	1.60	3.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	06	0.00	5.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	06	39.00	5.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	11.22	0.00	0.00
20	06	15.60	41.20	PR	91	2	91.00	25.12	4.48	0.00	0.00
21	06	154.80	56.80	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	144.92	61.37	61.37
22	06	1.10	211.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	06	7.00	210.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	2.36	0.00	1.69
24	06	105.40	217.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	95.76	43.35	43.35
25	06	45.20	283.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	36.44	33.62	33.62
26	06	22.20	313.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	14.69	0.00	12.72
27	06	20.20	180.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	12.90	0.00	11.04
28	06	70.20	200.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	60.91	11.04	11.04
29	06	26.80	263.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	18.91	16.70	16.70
30	06	0.50	184.60	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.02	0.00	0.00
31	06	0.00	139.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
1	07	0.00	117.70	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	07	0.00	97.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	07	0.00	27.30	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	07	0.00	0.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	07	22.50	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	3.34	0.00	0.00
6	07	0.00	22.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00

PENDIX IV : RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER METHOD : RAIPUR (R-2)-SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT

***** DETAILE OF RAIN-FALL REPORT FOR 'RAIPUR MW2'*****
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DA	Mon	Rain	P5DAY	croop	C.N.	AMC	N.C.No	Calc.	Q for	Q'from	rice
TE	th	fall	Total	cover	AMCII		AMC	S	n.rice	M.L.	L.L.
22	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	00	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
26	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
27	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
28	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
29	05	1.60	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
30	05	0.00	1.60	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
31	05	4.60	1.60	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.01	0.00	0.00
1	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	06	0.00	6.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	06	0.00	4.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	06	0.00	4.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	06	0.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	06	3.00	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
15	06	0.00	3.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
16	06	0.60	3.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
17	06	1.60	3.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	06	0.00	5.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	06	39.00	5.20	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	11.22	0.00	0.00
20	06	15.60	41.20	PR	91	2	91.00	25.12	4.48	0.00	0.00
21	06	154.80	56.80	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	144.92	61.37	61.37
22	06	1.10	211.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	06	7.00	210.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	2.36	0.00	1.69
24	06	105.40	217.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	95.76	43.35	43.35
25	06	45.20	283.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	36.44	33.62	33.62
26	06	22.20	313.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	14.69	0.00	12.72
27	06	20.20	180.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	12.90	0.00	11.04
28	06	70.20	200.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	60.91	11.04	11.04
29	06	26.80	263.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	18.91	16.70	16.70
30	06	0.50	184.60	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.02	0.00	0.00
1	07	0.00	139.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	07	0.00	117.70	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	07	0.00	97.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	07	0.00	27.30	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	07	22.50	0.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	3.34	0.00	0.00
6	07	0.00	22.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	07	5.80	22.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00

APPENDIX V : RUNOFF ESTIMATION BY CURVE NUMBER METHOD : JAGDALPUR (J-1, J-2) -SAMPLE OF PROGRAMME OUTPUT

***** DETAILE OF RAIN-FALL REPORT FOR 'JAGADALPUR' *****

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DA TE	Mon th	Rain fall	P5DAY Total	croop cover	C.N. AMCII	AMC	N.C.No AMC	Calc. S	Q for n.ric	Q'from M.L.	rice L.L.	Weg.r-of MW1	MW2
22	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
26	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
27	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
28	05	0.00	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
29	05	4.90	0.00	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.03	0.00	0.75	0.23	0.10
30	05	0.00	4.90	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
31	05	2.20	4.90	PF	94	1	86.80	38.63	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.01
1	06	0.00	7.10	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	06	0.00	7.10	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	06	0.30	7.10	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	06	0.10	2.50	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	06	0.00	2.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	06	0.00	0.40	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	06	0.00	0.40	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	06	0.00	0.40	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	06	0.00	0.10	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	06	9.60	0.00	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.17	0.00	3.16	1.02	0.00
11	06	0.00	9.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	06	12.30	9.60	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.53	0.00	4.94	1.79	0.00
13	06	0.00	21.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	06	0.10	21.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.00
15	06	3.60	22.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.58	0.00	0.33	0.51	0.00
16	06	9.00	16.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	3.70	0.00	2.79	3.44	3.61
17	06	0.80	25.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	06	1.80	13.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.07	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.07
19	06	0.00	15.30	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20	06	75.40	15.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	66.04	15.47	15.47	51.59	61.11
21	06	16.00	87.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	9.23	0.00	7.67	8.79	9.08
22	06	4.50	94.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.97	0.00	0.61	0.86	0.94
23	06	5.70	97.70	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	1.59	0.00	1.07	1.44	1.54
24	06	41.40	101.60	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	32.77	30.04	30.04	31.99	32.50
25	06	26.70	143.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	18.82	16.61	16.61	18.19	18.60
26	06	9.60	94.30	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	4.13	0.00	3.16	3.85	4.04
27	06	19.10	87.90	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	11.92	0.00	10.14	11.41	11.75
28	06	19.50	102.50	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	12.28	0.00	10.46	11.76	12.10
29	06	2.10	116.30	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.12	0.00	0.04	0.10	0.12
30	06	0.00	77.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1	07	0.00	50.30	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	07	0.00	40.70	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	07	26.70	21.60	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	18.82	16.61	16.61	18.19	18.60
4	07	0.50	28.00	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.02
5	07	0.00	27.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	07	0.00	27.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	07	0.20	27.20	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.06
8	07	8.70	27.40	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	3.49	0.00	2.62	3.24	3.40
9	07	1.70	9.40	PR	91	1	80.20	62.71	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01
10	07	2.60	10.60	PR	91	3	96.40	9.49	0.24	0.00	0.11	0.21	0.21

**APPENDIX VI : ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES IN
MWs R-1 AND R-2 UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLAN;
CASE - I**

Production activity	R-1				R-2			
	80%	75%	60%	50%	80%	75%	60%	50%
Annual Cost of Cultivation (Rs.)								
Rice 2*M**	3,729	3,643	3,386	3,172	3,703	3,575	2,724	2,256
Vegetables RM	11,698	11,429	10,622	9,950	12,684	12,247	9,331	7,727
Fish seed enhanc.	4,354	4,749	6,728	7,916	3,958	4,749	11,873	15,831
Vegetables 1M	7,432	7,026	5,810	4,796	8,790	8,102	3,514	991
Vegetable 2M	276	522	1,258	1,873	79	488	3,214	4,713
Mustard 2PM	268	262	244	228	195	189	144	119
Gram 2PM	288	281	261	245	246	238	181	150
Total	28,044	27,912	28,309	28,179	29,655	29,587	30,981	31,787
Annual Gross Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	6,899	6,740	6,264	5,868	5,944	5,739	4,373	3,621
Vegetables RM	36,193	35,361	32,865	30,785	40,358	38,967	29,689	24,586
Fish Seed enhanc.	8,050	8,781	12,440	14,636	7,318	8,781	21,953	29,271
Vegetables 1PM	36,780	34,773	28,752	23,736	39,182	36,114	15,663	4,415
Vegetables 2PM	1,847	3,490	8,418	12,528	468	2,904	19,139	28,067
Mustard 2PM	651	636	591	554	288	278	212	176
Gram 2PM	729	713	544	620	301	290	221	183
Total	91,149	90,494	89,874	88,726	93,860	93,074	91,250	90,320
Annual Net Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	3,170	3,097	2,878	2,696	2,241	2,164	1,649	1,365
Vegetables RM	24,495	23,932	22,243	20,835	27,674	26,720	20,358	16,859
Fish Seed enhanc.	3,696	4,032	5,712	6,720	3,360	4,032	10,080	13,440
Vegetables 1PM	29,349	27,747	22,942	18,940	30,392	28,012	12,149	3,425
Vegetables 2PM	1,571	2,968	7,159	10,655	390	2,416	1,925	23,354
Mustard 2PM	383	374	347	325	93	90	69	57
Gram 2PM	442	432	283	376	54	52	40	33
Total	63,105	62,582	61,565	60,547	64,205	63,487	60,270	58,533

+ Numerical shows number of irrigations, R - rainfed crop

++ Letter M - Monsoon Season, PM - Post monsoon season

**APPENDIX VII : ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES IN
MWs J-1 AND J-2 UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLAN;
CASE - I**

Production activity	J-1				J-2			
	80%	75%	60%	50%	80%	75%	60%	50%
Annual Cost of Cultivation (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	4,690	4,602	4,311	4,136	4,669	4,582	4,292	4,118
Soybean 2M	-	-	-	-	899	882	826	793
Vegetables RM	8,006	7,397	5,365	4,115	7,633	7,020	4,980	3,757
Vegetables 2M	13,300	13,544	14,364	14,855	12,072	12,337	13,218	13,747
Vegetables 2PM	13,756	13,500	12,645	12,132	15,301	15,016	14,066	13,496
Mustard 2PM	404	397	371	356	-	-	-	-
Gram 2PM	534	524	491	471	534	524	491	471
Fruits 4M+PM	1,138	1,117	1,046	1,004	1,670	1,639	1,535	1,473
Tubers 4M+PM	787	772	724	694	607	596	558	535
Fish rearing	1,712	1,849	2,397	2,740	2,661	2,874	3,725	4,258
Total	44,326	43,702	41,714	40,534	46,047	45,471	43,693	42,647
Annual Gross Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	7,997	7,830	7,335	7,038	7,670	7,528	7,051	6,765
Soybean 2M	-	-	-	-	2,264	2,222	2,081	1,997
Vegetables RM	22,660	20,938	15,184	11,733	20,340	18,707	13,272	10,011
Vegetables 2M	43,318	44,115	46,785	48,385	36,508	37,310	39,974	41,573
Vegetables 2PM	57,380	56,311	52,747	50,609	61,814	60,663	56,823	54,519
Mustard 2PM	1,081	1,061	994	954	-	-	-	-
Gram 2PM	1,587	1,558	1,459	1,400	1,423	1,397	1,308	1,255
Fruits 4M+PM	2,727	2,677	2,507	2,406	5,077	4,983	4,667	4,478
Tubers 4M+Pm	3,685	3,616	3,387	3,250	2,830	2,778	2,602	2,496
Fish rearing	6,356	6,865	8,899	10,170	10,299	11,123	14,418	16,478
Total	146775	144971	139297	135944	148226	146709	142197	139573
Annual Net Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	3,290	3,228	3,024	2,901	3,001	2,945	2,759	2,647
Soybean 2M	-	-	-	-	1,365	1,340	1,255	1,204
Vegetables RM	14,645	13,540	9,819	7,588	12,708	11,687	8,292	6,254
Vegetables 2M	30,019	30,571	32,421	33,530	24,436	24,973	26,756	27,826
Vegetables 2PM	43,625	42,812	40,102	38,476	46,513	45,646	42,757	41,024
Mustard 2PM	677	664	622	597	-	-	-	-
Gram 2PM	1,054	1,034	969	929	890	873	818	785
Fruits 4M+PM	1,589	1,560	1,461	1,402	3,407	3,343	3,132	3,005
Tubers 4M+PM	2,898	2,844	2,664	2,556	2,224	2,182	2,044	1,961
Fish rearing	4,644	5,016	6,502	7,430	7,638	8,249	10,693	12,220
Total	102449	101269	97584	95410	102180	101238	98505	96926

**APPENDIX VIII : ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES IN
MWs R-1 AND R-2 UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLAN;
CASE - II**

Production activity	R-1				R-2			
	80%	75%	60%	50%	80%	75%	60%	50%
Annual Cost of Cultivation (Rs.)								
Rice 1M	2,486	2,429	2,257	2,114	2,469	2,383	1,816	1,504
Vegetables RM	13,369	13,061	12,139	11,371	14,496	13,996	10,664	8,831
Fish fingerlings	4,354	4,749	6,728	7,916	3,958	4,749	11,873	15,831
Vegetables 1PM	6,862	6,470	5,293	4,311	8,265	7,897	3,128	670
Vegetables 2PM	887	1,118	1,914	2,393	640	949	3,626	5,055
Mustard 2PM	268	262	244	228	195	144	144	119
Gram 2PM	288	281	261	245	246	181	181	150
Total	28,514	28,371	28,737	28,577	30,269	30,300	31,432	32,161
Annual Gross Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 1M	4,599	4,493	4,176	3,912	3,963	3,826	2,915	2,414
Vegetables RM	41,363	40,412	37,560	35,183	46,124	44,533	33,930	28,098
Fish fingerlings	8,050	8,781	12,440	14,636	7,318	8,781	21,953	29,271
Vegetables 1PM	33,962	32,023	26,195	21,335	36,841	35,201	13,942	2,987
Vegetables 2PM	5,936	7,480	12,133	16,004	3,812	5,650	21,596	30,107
Mustard 2PM	651	636	591	554	288	212	212	176
Gram 2PM	729	713	544	620	301	221	221	183
Total	95,290	94,538	93,639	92,243	98,646	98,425	94,771	93,236
Annual Net Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 1M	2,113	2,065	1,919	1,797	1,494	1,443	1,099	910
Vegetables RM	27,995	27,351	25,420	23,811	31,628	30,537	23,266	19,267
Fish fingerlings	3,696	4,032	5,712	6,720	3,360	4,032	10,080	13,440
Vegetables 1PM	27,099	25,552	20,902	17,024	28,576	27,304	10,814	2,317
Vegetables 2PM	5,049	6,362	10,319	13,611	3,172	4,701	17,970	25,051
Mustard 2PM	383	374	347	325	93	69	69	57
Vram 2PM	442	432	283	376	54	40	40	33
Total	66,776	66,167	64,903	63,665	68,377	68,125	63,338	61,076

**APPENDIX IX : ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES
UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLAN IN MWs J-1 AND
J-2; CASE - II**

Production activity	J-1				J-2			
	80%	75%	60%	50%	80%	75%	60%	50%
Annual Cost of Cultivation (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	2,814	2,761	2,587	2,482	2,796	2,749	2,575	2,471
Soybean	-	-	-	-	899	882	826	793
Vegetables RM	6,960	6,369	4,403	3,223	5,760	5,973	3,999	2,816
Vegetables 2M	17,789	17,950	18,489	18,813	15,701	16,703	17,308	17,671
Vegetables 2PM	13,756	13,500	12,645	-	15,301	15,016	14,066	13,496
Mustard 2PM	404	397	371	356	-	-	-	-
Gram 2PM	534	524	491	471	534	524	491	-
Fruits 4M+PM	1,138	1,117	1,046	1,004	1,670	1,639	1,535	1,473
Tubers 2M+PM	787	772	724	694	1,214	596	558	535
Fish rearing	1,712	1,849	2,397	2,740	2,661	2,874	3,725	4,258
Total	45,894	45,239	43,253	29,782	46,537	46,956	45,084	43,512
Annual Gross Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	4,787	4,698	4,401	4,223	4,593	4,517	4,231	4,059
Soybean 2M	-	-	-	-	2,264	2,222	2,081	1,997
Vegetables RM	19,701	18,028	12,462	9,139	15,351	15,918	10,658	7,503
Vegetables 2M	57,939	58,464	60,221	61,276	47,484	50,512	52,342	53,439
Vegetables 2PM	57,380	56,311	52,747	-	61,814	60,663	56,823	54,519
Mustard 2PM	1,081	1,061	994	954	-	-	-	-
Vram 2PM	1,587	1,558	1,459	1,400	1,423	1,397	1,308	-
Fruits 4M+PM	2,727	2,677	2,507	2,406	5,077	4,983	4,667	4,478
Tubers 2M+PM	3,685	3,616	3,387	3,250	5,661	2,778	2,602	2,496
Fish rearing	6,356	6,865	8,899	10,170	10,299	11,234	14,418	16,478
Total	1,55,245	1,53,278	1,47,077	92,817	1,53,966	1,54,110	1,49,131	1,44,970
Annual Net Returns (Rs.)								
Rice 2M	1,974	1,937	1,814	1,741	1,797	1,767	1,655	1,588
Soybean 2M	-	-	-	-	1,365	1,340	1,255	1,204
Vegetables RM	12,740	11,658	8,059	5,916	9,590	9,945	6,659	4,687
Vegetables 2M	40,151	40,514	41,732	42,463	31,782	33,809	35,034	35,768
Vegetables 2PM	43,625	42,812	40,102	-	46,513	45,646	42,757	41,024
Mustard 2PM	677	664	622	597	-	-	-	-
Gram 2PM	1,054	1,034	969	929	890	873	818	-
Fruit 4M+PM	1,589	1,560	1,461	1,402	3,407	3,343	3,132	3,005
Tubers 2M+PM	2,898	2,844	2,664	2,556	4,447	2,182	2,044	1,961
Fish rearing	4,644	5,016	6,502	7,430	7,638	8,249	10,693	12,220
Total	1,09,351	1,08,039	1,03,925	63,035	1,07,429	1,07,154	1,04,046	1,01,458

**APPENDIX X : ECONOMICS OF PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES IN
MWs UNDER OPTIMAL CROP PLAN; CASE - III**

Production activity	80%	75%	60%	50%	80%	75%	60%	50%
R-1 & R-2	Annual Cost of Cultivation							
	R-1				R-2			
Vegetables RM	16,711	17,327	15,174	14,214	18,120	17,496	13,330	11,039
Fish fingerlings	4,354	4,728	6,728	7,916	3,958	4,749	11,873	15,831
Vegetables 1PM	6,874	6,481	5,303	4,321	8,528	7,848	3,321	830
Vegetables 2PM	1,792	2,003	2,635	3,162	1,412	1,775	4,195	5,526
Total	29,730	29,560	29,840	23,612	32,018	31,868	32,719	33,226
	Annual Gross Returns							
Vegetables RM	51,704	50,516	46,950	43,978	57,655	55,667	42,413	35,123
Fish fingerlings	8,050	8,781	12,440	14,636	7,318	8,781	21,953	29,271
Vegetables 1PM	34,020	32,076	26,244	21,384	38,013	34,986	11,774	3,700
Vegetables 2PM	11,985	13,395	17,625	21,150	8,407	10,569	24,981	32,907
Total	105759	104768	103259	101148	111393	110002	101121	101002
	Annual Net Profit							
Vegetables RM	34,993	34,189	31,775	29,764	39,535	38,171	29,083	24,084
Fish fingerlings	3,696	4,032	5,712	6,720	3,360	4,032	10,080	13,440
Vegetables 1PM	27,146	25,595	20,941	17,063	29,485	27,137	8,453	2,870
Vegetables 2PM	10,193	11,392	14,990	17,988	6,995	8,794	20,786	27,382
Total	76,028	75,208	73,419	71,535	79,375	78,134	68,402	67,776
J-1 & J-2	Annual Cost of Cultivation							
	J-1				J-2			
Vegetables RM	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,245	3,051
Vegetables 2M	26,483	26,484	26,483	26,483	26,255	26,255	26,255	26,255
Fish rearing	1,712	1,849	2,397	2,740	2,661	2,874	3,725	4,258
Vegetables 2PM	17,195	16,874	15,806	15,166	17,002	16,685	-	-
Total	45,391	45,207	44,687	44,389	45,918	45,814	34,226	33,564
	Annual Gross Return							
Vegetables RM	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,312	8,130
Vegetables 2M	86,260	86,260	86,260	86,260	79,397	79,40	79,401	79,401
Fish rearing	6,356	6,865	8,899	10,170	10,299	11,123	14,418	17,478
Vegetables 2PM	71,726	70,389	65,934	63,261	69,683	67,403	-	-
Total	164342	163514	161092	159691	158378	157926	105131	104009
	Annual Net Profit							
Vegetables RM	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,067	5,079
Vegetables 2M	59,777	59,776	59,776	59,776	53,141	53,145	53,145	53,145
Fish rearing	4,644	5,016	6,502	7,430	7,638	8,249	10,693	12,220
Vegetables 2PM	54,531	53,515	50,128	48,095	51,681	50,718	-	-
Total	118951	118307	116405	115302	112460	112112	70905	70445

APPENDIX XI : OPTIMAL CROP PLAN, WATER REQUIREMENT AND NET PROFIT FOR DIFFERENT ALTERNATIVE DESIGNS : MWs, R-1 AND R-2; CASE I

Design parameter	Crops	Season	No. of irrigations	R-1			R-2		
				Area, (ha.)	Water requirement (m ³)	Net profit (Rs.)	Area (ha)	Water requirement (m ³)	Net profit, (Rs.)
80%	Rice	M	1	0.2610	130.5	3,170	0.2601	104.4	2,241
	Vegetables*	M	R	0.6090	0.0	24,495	0.6090	0.0	27,674
	Mustard	PM	1	0.0435	21.3	383	0.0435	21.8	93
	Gram	PM	1	0.0435	21.3	442	0.435	21.8	54
	Vegetables**	PM	2	0.0262	39.2	1,569	0.0065	9.7	388
	Vegetables**	PM	1	0.7568	567.6	29,350	0.7765	582.4	30,393
	Monsoon			0.87	130.5	27,665	0.87	104.4	29,915
	Post-monsoon			0.87	649.5	31,743	0.87	635.6	30,929
	Total			1.74	78.0	59,408	1.74	740.0	60,844
75%	Rice	M	1	0.2550	127.5	3,097	0.2520	100.8	2,164
	Vegetables	M	R	0.5950	0.0	23,932	0.5880	0.0	26,720
	Mustard	PM	1	0.0425	20.8	374	0.0420	21.0	90
	Gram	PM	1	0.0425	20.8	432	0.0420	21.0	52
	Vegetables**	PM	2	0.0495	74.2	2,966	0.0403	60.4	2,415
	Vegetables	Pm	1	0.7155	56.6	27,748	0.7157	536.8	28,014
	Monsoon			0.85	127.5	27,029	0.84	100.8	28,884
	Post-monsoon			0.85	652.5	31,520	0.84	639.2	30,571
	Total			1.70	780.0	58,549	1.68	740.0	59,454
60%	Rice	M	1	0.2370	118.5	2,878	0.1920	76.8	1,649
	Vegetables	M	R	0.5530	0.0	22,243	0.4480	0.0	20,358
	Mustard	PM	1	0.0395	19.4	347	0.0320	16.0	69
	Gram	PM	1	0.0395	19.4	401	0.0320	16.0	40
	Vegetables**	PM	2	0.1194	179.1	7,159	0.2656	398.4	15,925
	Vegetables	Pm	1	0.5916	443.7	22,943	0.3104	232.8	12,149
	Monsoon			0.79	118.5	25,121	0.64	76.8	22,007
	Post-monsoon			0.79	661.5	30,850	0.64	663.2	28,183
	Total			1.58	780.0	55,971	1.28	740.0	50,190
50%	Rice	M	1	0.2220	111.0	2,696	0.1590	63.6	1,365
	Vegetables	M	R	0.5180	0.0	20,835	0.3710	0.0	16,859
	Mustard	PM	1	0.0370	18.1	325	0.0265	13.3	57
	Gram	PM	1	0.0370	18.1	376	0.0265	13.3	33
	Vegetables**	PM	2	0.1777	266.5	10,652	0.3895	584.3	23,356
	Vegetables	PM	1	0.4884	366.3	18,938	0.0875	65.6	3,424
	Monsoon			0.74	111.0		0.53	63.6	18,224
	Post-monsoon			0.74	669.0	30,291	0.53	676.4	26,870
	Total			1.48	780.0	53,823	1.06	740.0	45,094

M - Monsoon

R - Rainfed

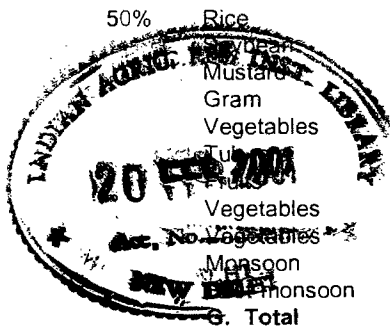
PM - Post-monsoon

* Okra followed by radish

** Radish

APPENDIX XII : OPTIMAL CROP PLAN WATER REQUIREMENT AND NET PROFIT FOR DIFFERENT ALTERNATIVE DESIGNS : MWs, J-1 AND J-2, CASE I

Design parameter	Crops	Season	No. of irrigations	J-1			J-2			
				Area, (ha.)	Water requirement (m ³)	Net profit (Rs.)	Area (ha)	Water requirement(m ³)	Net profit, (Rs.)	
80%	Rice	M	2	0.4025	805.0	3,290	0.4025	805.0	3,001	
	Soybean	M	2	-	-	-	0.0805	80.5	1,365	
	Mustard	PM	2	0.0805	120.8	677	-	-	-	
	Gram	PM	2	0.0805	120.8	1,054	0.0805	120.8	890	
	Vegetables	PM	2	1,2880	3181.4	43,625	1.4490	3260.3	46,513	
	Tubers	M*	1	0.0805	120.8	2,858	0.0805	60.4	2,193	
	Fruits	M+PM	4	0.0805	96.6	1,589	0.0805	193.2	3,407	
	Vegetables	M	2	0.6361	954.1	30,018	0.5824	873.6	24,437	
	Vegetables	M	R	0.4104	-	14,655	0.3836	-	12,707	
	Monsoon	Total		1.61	1900	49,409	1.61	1900.0	45,406	
	Post-monsoon	Total		1.61	3,499	48,357	1.61	3493.7	49,106	
	G. Total			3.22	5399	97,765	3.22	5393.7	94,512	
	75%	Rice	M	2	0.3950	790.0	3,228	0.3950	790.0	2,945
		Soybean	M	2	-	-	-	0.0790	79.0	1,340
Mustard		PM	2	0.0790	118.5	664	-	-	-	
Gram		PM	2	0.0790	118.5	1034	0.0790	118.5	873	
Vegetables		PM	2	1.2640	3122.1	42,812	1.4220	3199.5	45,646	
Tubers		M*	1	0.0790	118.5	2,805	0.0790	59.3	2,152	
Fruits		M+PM	4	0.0790	94.8	1,560	0.0790	189.6	3,343	
Vegetables		M	2	0.6478	971.7	30,572	0.5952	892.8	24,972	
Vegetables		M	R	0.3792	-	13,539	0.3528	-	11,688	
Monsoon		Total		1.58	1,900	48,759	1.58	1900.0	44,769	
Post-monsoon		Total		1.58	3,343	47,456	1.58	3428.6	48,191	
G. Total				3.16	5,334	96,215	3.16	5328.6	92,959	
60%		Rice	M	2	0.3700	740.0	3,024	0.37	740.0	2,759
		Soybean	M	2	-	-	-	0.074	74.0	1,255
	Mustard	PM	2	0.0740	111.0	622	-	-	-	
	Gram	PM	2	0.0740	111.0	969	0.074	111.0	818	
	Vegetables	PM	2	1.1840	2924.5	40,102	1.332	2997.0	42,757	
	Tubers	M*	1	0.0740	111.0	2,628	0.074	55.5	2,016	
	Fruits	M+PM	4	0.0740	88.8	1,461	0.074	177.6	3,132	
	Vegetables	M	2	0.6870	1030.5	32,421	0.6377	956.5	26,755	
	Vegetables	M	R	0.2750	-	9,819	0.2503	-	8,293	
	Monsoon	Total		1.48	1,900	46,495	1.48	1900.0	42,643	
	Post-monsoon	Total		1.48	3216.8	44,452	1.48	3211.6	45,141	
	G. Total			2.96	5116.8	91,046	2.96	5111.6	87,784	
	50%	Rice	M	2	0.3550	710.0	2,901	0.355	710.0	2,647
		Soybean	M	2	-	-	-	0.071	71.0	1,204
Mustard		PM	2	0.0710	106.5	597	-	-	-	
Gram		PM	2	0.0710	106.5	929	0.071	106.5	785	
Vegetables		PM	2	1.1360	2805.9	38,476	1.278	2875.5	41,024	
Tubers		M*	1	0.0710	106.5	2,521	0.071	53.3	1,934	
Fruits		M+PM	4	0.0710	85.2	1,402	0.071	170.4	3,005	
Vegetables		M	2	0.7105	1065.8	33,530	0.6632	994.8	27,825	
Vegetables		M	R	0.2125	-	7,588	0.1888	-	6,255	
Monsoon		Total		1.42	1900.	45,295	1.42	1900.0	41,368	
Post-monsoon		Total		1.42	3,086	42,650	1.42	3081.4	43,311	
G. Total				2.84	4,986	87,945	2.84	4981.4	84,678	



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M - Monsoon; R - Rainfed; PM - Post-monsoon

* Tuber crop in J-2 was grown in monsoon season (Sweet potato) whereas in J-1 the