

Important Computation of Runoff Formulas PDF



**Formulas
Examples
with Units**

List of 27 Important Computation of Runoff Formulas

1) Rainfall given Run-off Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_{cm} = \frac{R}{C_r}$$

Example with Units

$$12 \text{ cm} = \frac{6 \text{ cm}}{0.5}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

2) Run-off Coefficient given Run-off Formula ↻

Formula

$$C_r = \frac{R}{P_{cm}}$$

Example with Units

$$0.5 = \frac{6 \text{ cm}}{12 \text{ cm}}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

3) Run-off given Run-off Coefficient Formula ↻

Formula

$$R = C_r \cdot P_{cm}$$

Example with Units

$$6 \text{ cm} = 0.5 \cdot 12 \text{ cm}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4) Ingli's Formula Formulas ↻

4.1) Rainfall in cm for Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_{IC} = \frac{R_{IC} + 30.5}{0.85}$$

Example with Units

$$39.9882 \text{ cm} = \frac{3.49 \text{ cm} + 30.5}{0.85}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.2) Rainfall in Inches for Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{PI} = \frac{R_{II} + 12}{0.85}$$

Example with Units

$$21.6471 \text{ in} = \frac{6.4 \text{ in} + 12}{0.85}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.3) Run-off in cm for Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{IC} = (0.85 \cdot P_{IC}) - 30.5$$

Example with Units

$$3.5 \text{ cm} = (0.85 \cdot 40 \text{ cm}) - 30.5$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



4.4) Run-off in Cm for Non Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{IC} = \left(\frac{P_{IC} - 17.8}{254} \right) \cdot P_{IC}$$

Example with Units

$$3.4961 \text{ cm} = \left(\frac{40 \text{ cm} - 17.8}{254} \right) \cdot 40 \text{ cm}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.5) Run-off in Inches for Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{II} = (0.85 \cdot R_{PI}) - 12$$

Example with Units

$$8.4 \text{ in} = (0.85 \cdot 24 \text{ in}) - 12$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4.6) Run-off in Inches for Non Ghat Area Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{II} = \left(\frac{R_{PI} - 7}{100} \right) \cdot R_{PI}$$

Example with Units

$$4.08 \text{ in} = \left(\frac{24 \text{ in} - 7}{100} \right) \cdot 24 \text{ in}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5) Khosla's Formula Formulas ↻

5.1) Mean Temperature in Entire Catchment given Run-off Formula ↻

Formula

$$T_f = \left((R_{PI} - R_{KI}) \cdot 9.5 \right) + 32$$

Example with Units

$$38.0325^\circ\text{F} = \left((24 \text{ in} - 23.75 \text{ in}) \cdot 9.5 \right) + 32$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5.2) Mean Temperature in Entire Catchment given Run-off in cm Formula ↻

Formula

$$T_f = \left((P_{\text{cm}} - R_{KC}) \cdot 3.74 \right) + 32$$

Example with Units

$$38.0214^\circ\text{F} = \left((12 \text{ cm} - 10.39 \text{ cm}) \cdot 3.74 \right) + 32$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5.3) Rainfall in cm by Khosla's Formula Formula ↻

Formula

$$P_{\text{cm}} = R_{KC} + \left(\frac{T_f - 32}{3.74} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$11.9943 \text{ cm} = 10.39 \text{ cm} + \left(\frac{38^\circ\text{F} - 32}{3.74} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5.4) Rainfall in Inches by Khosla's Formula Formula ↻

Formula

$$R_{PI} = R_{KI} + \left(\frac{T_f - 32}{9.5} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$23.9987 \text{ in} = 23.75 \text{ in} + \left(\frac{38^\circ\text{F} - 32}{9.5} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



5.5) Run-off in cm by Khosla's Formula Formula

Formula

$$R_{KC} = P_{cm} - \left(\frac{T_f - 32}{3.74} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$10.3957 \text{ cm} = 12 \text{ cm} - \left(\frac{38^\circ\text{F} - 32}{3.74} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

5.6) Run-off in Inches by Khosla's Formula Formula

Formula

$$R_{KI} = R_{PI} - \left(\frac{T_f - 32}{9.5} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$23.7513 \text{ in} = 24 \text{ in} - \left(\frac{38^\circ\text{F} - 32}{9.5} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

6) Lacey's Formula Formulas

6.1) Catchment Factor given Run-off in cm by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$S = \frac{-304.8 \cdot F_m \cdot R_{LC}}{R_{LC} \cdot P_{cm} - P_{cm} \cdot P_{cm}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.6994 = \frac{-304.8 \cdot 1.48 \cdot 0.519 \text{ cm}}{0.519 \text{ cm} \cdot 12 \text{ cm} - 12 \text{ cm} \cdot 12 \text{ cm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.2) Catchment Factor given Run-off in Inches by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$S = \frac{-120 \cdot F_m \cdot R_{LI}}{R_{LI} \cdot R_{PI} - R_{PI} \cdot R_{PI}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.6988 = \frac{-120 \cdot 1.48 \cdot 8.84 \text{ in}}{8.84 \text{ in} \cdot 24 \text{ in} - 24 \text{ in} \cdot 24 \text{ in}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.3) Monsoon Duration Factor given Run-off in cm by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$F_m = \frac{S \cdot (R_{LC} \cdot P_{cm} - P_{cm}^2)}{-304.8 \cdot R_{LC}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.4806 = \frac{1.70 \cdot (0.519 \text{ cm} \cdot 12 \text{ cm} - 12 \text{ cm}^2)}{-304.8 \cdot 0.519 \text{ cm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.4) Monsoon Duration Factor given Run-off in Inches by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$F_m = \frac{S \cdot (R_{LI} \cdot R_{PI} - R_{PI}^2)}{-120 \cdot R_{LI}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.481 = \frac{1.70 \cdot (8.84 \text{ in} \cdot 24 \text{ in} - 24 \text{ in}^2)}{-120 \cdot 8.84 \text{ in}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

6.5) Run-off in cm by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$R_{LC} = \frac{P_{cm}}{1 + \frac{304.8 \cdot F_m}{P_{cm} \cdot S}}$$

Example with Units

$$0.5192 \text{ cm} = \frac{12 \text{ cm}}{1 + \frac{304.8 \cdot 1.48}{12 \text{ cm} \cdot 1.70}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



6.6) Run-off in Inches by Lacey's Formula Formula

Formula

$$R_{LI} = \frac{R_{PI}}{1 + \frac{120 \cdot F_m}{R_{PI} \cdot S}}$$

Example with Units

$$8.8438 \text{ in} = \frac{24 \text{ in}}{1 + \frac{120 \cdot 1.48}{24 \text{ in} \cdot 1.70}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Parker's Formula Formulas

7.1) Rainfall for Catchment in British Isles Formula

Formula

$$R_{PI} = \frac{R_{PRI} + 14}{0.94}$$

Example with Units

$$22.353 \text{ in} = \frac{15.5 \text{ in} + 14}{0.94}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.2) Rainfall for Catchment in East USA Formula

Formula

$$R_{PI} = \frac{R_{PRI} + 16.5}{0.80}$$

Example with Units

$$27.4951 \text{ in} = \frac{15.5 \text{ in} + 16.5}{0.80}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.3) Rainfall for Catchment in Germany Formula

Formula

$$R_{PI} = \frac{R_{PRI} + 16}{0.94}$$

Example with Units

$$23.1907 \text{ in} = \frac{15.5 \text{ in} + 16}{0.94}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.4) Run-off for Catchment in British Isles Formula

Formula

$$R_{PRI} = (0.94 \cdot R_{PI}) - 14$$

Example with Units

$$17.0482 \text{ in} = (0.94 \cdot 24 \text{ in}) - 14$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.5) Run-off for Catchment in East USA Formula

Formula

$$R_{PRI} = (0.80 \cdot R_{PI}) - 16.5$$

Example with Units

$$12.7039 \text{ in} = (0.80 \cdot 24 \text{ in}) - 16.5$$

Evaluate Formula 

7.6) Run-off for Catchment in Germany Formula

Formula

$$R_{PRI} = (0.94 \cdot R_{PI}) - 16$$

Example with Units

$$16.2608 \text{ in} = (0.94 \cdot 24 \text{ in}) - 16$$



Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Computation of Runoff Formulas above

- C_r Runoff Coefficient
- F_m Monsoon Duration Factor
- P_{cm} Rainfall Depth (Centimeter)
- P_{IC} Rainfall Depth in CM for Inglis's Formula (Centimeter)
- R Runoff Depth (Centimeter)
- R_{IC} Runoff Depth in CM for Inglis' Formula (Centimeter)
- R_{II} Runoff Depth in Inches for Inglis' Formula (Inch)
- R_{KC} Runoff Depth in CM for Khosla's Formula (Centimeter)
- R_{KI} Runoff Depth in Inches for Khosla's Formula (Inch)
- R_{LC} Runoff Depth in CM for Lacey's Formula (Centimeter)
- R_{LI} Runoff Depth in Inches for Lacey's Formula (Inch)
- R_{PI} Rainfall Depth in Inches (Inch)
- R_{PRI} Runoff Depth in Inches for Parker's Formula (Inch)
- S Catchment Factor
- T_f Temperature (Fahrenheit)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Computation of Runoff Formulas above

- **Measurement: Length** in Centimeter (cm), Inch (in)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Temperature** in Fahrenheit ($^{\circ}F$)
Temperature Unit Conversion 



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