CMGT 235 – Electrical and Mechanical Systems

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Homework #12 – Plumbing Systems	

Points: 20

Due: 10/4/2022

USE 2-DECIMALS FOR GPM AND WSFU

Name: Solution

1. Calculate the Total Demand Load (GPM) for the home used in homework #10 using the flow rates given.

Fixture	Number of Fixtures Flow Rate (GPM)		Total (GPM)
Water Closet	5	3.0	15.00
LAV	7 2.2		15.40
Tub/Shower	3 5.0		15.00
Tub	1 5.0		5.00
Shower	1	2.5	2.50
Kitchen Sink	1	2.2	2.20
Dishwasher	2	3.0	6.00
Laundry Machine	1	3.0	3.00
Laundry Sink	1	2.2	2.20
¾" Hose Bibb	4	12.0	48.00
Total	114.30		

2. Complete the total Water Supply Fixture Units (WSFU) for the home used in homework #10. Assume one segment of water distribution piping supplies two hose bibbs.

Fixture	Number of Fixtures	WSFU	Total WSFU
Water Closet	5 2.5		12.50
LAV	7 1.0		7.00
Tub/Shower	3	4.0	12.00
Tub	1	4.0	4.00
Shower	1	2.0	2.00
Kitchen Sink	1	1.5	1.50
Dishwasher	2	1.5	3.00
Laundry Machine	1	4.0	4.00
Laundry Sink	1	1.5	1.50
¾" Hose Bibb	¾" Hose Bibb 4 2.5+1.0 X 2		7.00
		Total	54.50

3. Using the result for problem 2, determine the Demand Load Using Chart A 103.1 (2) Enlarged Scale Demand Load from the 2016 CPC. Show how you found the demand load on the chart below.

Demand Load = <u>30 GPM</u>



FIXTURE UNITS



4. Based upon a maximum desired velocity of 8ft.sec, determine the minimum diameter (Di-min) copper tubing for the demand loads found in problem 1 and problem 3. Show calculations (Answer use 3-DECIMALS).

 D_{i-min} - Problem 1 $D_{i-min} = \sqrt{0.409 \text{ Q / v}}$ inch $= \sqrt{0.409 (114.30)/8}$ inch = 2.417 inch

D_{i-min} - Problem 3 D_{i-min} = $\sqrt{0.409 \text{ Q} / \text{v}}$ inch = $\sqrt{0.409 (30) / 8}$ inch = 1.238 inch

5. Using the copper tubing handbook determine the size of copper tube for Type L. Complete the table below. Find pricing at: <u>https://www.plumbingsupply.com/copperpipe.html</u>

	Q (gpm)	v (fps)	D _{i-min}	Copper Tube: Type L	Price per 4 ft
Problem 1	114.30	8	2.417	2-1/2"	\$157.36
Problem 3	30.00	8	1.238	1-1/4"	\$54.37