Syphon

- Syphon is a structure constructed at the intersection of two waterways.
- Syphon carries the discharge of one waterway under the other.
- Usually the smaller waterway's discharge passes under the large one.







Sectional Elevation



Hydraulic Design

- Syphon may be constructed of concrete or steel.
- The design procedure is similar to the culvert's design procedure.
- It is recommended to reduce the water velocity to 1.1 m/sec to reduce the friction losses which is usually large due to the length of the syphon.

Aqueduct

- Aqueduct is a structure constructed at the intersection of two waterways.
- aqueduct carries the discharge of one waterway above the other.
- Usually the smaller waterway's discharge passes above the large one.



Hydraulic Design

- Aqueduct may be constructed of concrete or steel.
- The design procedure is similar to the culvert's design procedure.
- It is recommended to reduce the water velocity to 1.1 m/sec to reduce the friction losses which is usually large due to the length of the aqueduct.