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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

First Semester Integrated M.Sc Geology Degree Examination, November 2022

GL01IB01 - EARTH AND ENVIRONMENT

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Draw neat sketches, wherever necessary)

PART - A

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries Two mark. Ceiling -20 Marks

- 1. Describe the upper continental crust and lower continental crust
- 2. What is asthenosphere?
- 3. Explain re-metamorphism and intense-metamorphism.
- 4. Differentiate between craters and calderas
- 5. Define block mountains
- 6. What is meant by Fissility and schistocity?
- 7. Describe the different parts of a fold.
- 8. Define petrified fossils and carbon films.
- 9. What do you mean by Divergent plate boundary?
- 10. Distinguish the stratosphere and Ionosphere.
- 11. Define Fumeroles. What are Mofettes, Saffoni and Salfataras
- 12. What are Meteorites and comets??

PART-B

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries Five marks. Ceiling -30 Marks

- 13. Briefly explain the various indirect methods of ascertaining the earth's age.
- 14. Discuss the types and causes of Landslide.
- 15. What is a mineral? Write a note on luster, hardness and habit properties of a mineral.
- 16. Define Unconformity. Describe the different types of unconformities.
- 17. Briefly discuss the various theories of Isostasy with neat sketches
- 18. Explain the theory of Sea floor spreading with evidences
- 19. Write brief explanatory note on concept of Rock cycle.

PART - C

Answer any *one* question. Each question carries Ten marks.

- 20. Write a detailed essay on Geological Time Scale
- 21. What is an earthquake? Give an account of the causes, classification, intensity and magnitude of an earthquake in detail.

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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

First semester MSc. Integrated Geology Examination, November 2022

CHE1IC01: GENERAL CHEMISTRY

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 1/2 hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART- A Answer all questions Each question carries Two marks

Ceiling- 25 Marks

- 1. What are metallochromic indicators? Give two examples.
- 2. Define Normality of a solution.
- 3. What are the basic requirements for a substance to be used as a primary standard?
- 4. State and explain Hund's rule.
- 5. Predict the shape of BCl₃ and H₂O molecules on the basis of VSEPR theory.
- 6. He2 doesn't exist. Comment.
- 7. What are free radicals? Give examples.
- 8. Explain the term isolated system with a suitable example.
- 9. What are intensive properties?
- 10. Write the Schrodinger wave equation and explain the terms.
- 11. State Henry's law.
- 12. Explain the term accuracy.
- 13. What is single electrode potential?
- 14. Define cell constant.
- 15. What are reference electrodes?

PART- B Answer all questions Each question carries Five marks Ceiling- 35 Marks

- 16. Give the important postulates of Bohr's atomic theory.
- 17. Explain the term hydrogen bonding. Differentiate intermolecular and intramolecular hydrogen bonding with suitable examples.
- 18. Distinguish between bonding and antibonding molecular orbitals.
- 19. Write a short note on
 - (a) Spontaneous process (b) Entropy and its significances
- 20. Explain Non-stoichiometric and stoichiometric defects
- 21. What are colligative properties? Explain.
- 22. State and explain Ostwald's dilution law.
- 23. What are the factors influencing the solubility of a gas in liquids?

PART- C Answer *any two* questions Each question carries Ten marks

- 24. Draw the MO energy level diagram of oxygen molecules and explain the magnetic behavior.
- 25. Write a short note on
 - (a) Standard Hydrogen electrode
- (b) Microanalysis and its advantageous

- 26. Explain
 - (a) Kohlrausch's law
 - (b) the effect of dilution on specific conductance and molar conductance
- 27. (a) Osmosis and osmotic pressure
- (b) Fuel cells

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Third Semester Integrated M.Sc Geology Degree Examination, November 2022 GL03IB03 – GEOMORPHOLOGY

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 hours Max. Marks: 60

(Draw neat sketches, wherever necessary)

PART-A

Answer *all* questions.

Each question carries **Two** mark.

Ceiling -20 Marks

- 1. How does an esker form?
- 2. Distinguish between hogbacks and cuesta
- 3. Explain Hydraulic action, abrasion, attrition and cavitation.
- 4. What do you mean by Crystal growth weathering?
- 5. Define perched water table.
- 6. Define alluvial fan.
- 7. Uses of Brunton Compass.
- 8. Describe the formation of Waterfall.
- 9. What is debris avalanche
- 10. What are contour lines?
- 11. What is meant by Porosity and permeability?
- 12. Describe Stalagmite.

PART - B

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries **Five** marks. Ceiling -30 Marks

- 13. Define sand dunes. Briefly describe different types of sand dunes.
- 14. Describe the various processes and factors effecting chemical weathering
- 15. Explain the causes and landforms formed by sea erosion
- 16. Write a note on Landslide. Briefly describe the various types of LS.
- 17. Give an account of geysers and springs.
- 18. Briefly explain the concept of base level
- 19. Define a compass clinometer. How does a clinometer compass differ from an ordinary compass?

PART - C

Answer anyone question. Each question carries **Ten** marks.

- 20. What is Ground water? Describe the various erosional and depositional features of ground water.
- 21. Discuss the geological work of wind in respect of erosion, transportation and deposition.

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Third Semester Integrated M.Sc. Geology Degree Examination, November 2022 GL03A11 - Biodiversity – Scope and Relevance

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 1/2 hours

Max. Marks: 80

(Draw neat sketches, wherever necessary)

PART - A

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries Two mark. Ceiling -25 Marks

- 1. How biodiversity is linked to our daily life?
- 2. What is Hotspot in Biodiversity?
- 3. Write about ecosystem biodiversity.
- 4. What is Bioprospecting?
- 5. What is endemic species?
- 6. Write about the magnitude of fungal and bacterial diversity.
- 7. Discuss loss of agrobiodiversity.
- 8. Write about minimum four components of biodiversity values.
- 9. What is called inventorying of biodiversity?
- 10. Why wild relatives of cultivated plants and domesticated animals are important?
- 11. What is gene bank?
- 12. What are the steps involved in Bioprospecting?
- 13. What is indicator species?
- 14. What is species abundance and species richness?
- 15. What is keystone species?

PART - B

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries Five marks. Ceiling -35 Marks

- 16. Write a short note on Genetic Biodiversity.
- 17. Write about the process responsible for species extinction.
- 18. Briefly write about Ex-situ conservation of Biodiversity.
- 19. How climate change affect different ecosystem.
- 20. Why monitoring and inventorying needed?
- 21. What are the applications of Bioprospecting?
- 22. Briefly explain the measurement techniques of genetic biodiversity.
- 23. Write a short note on Species Biodiversity.

PART - C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries Ten marks.

- 24. Discuss about the Animal Diversity.
- 25. Why India is a mega biodiversity nation?
- 26. How the IUCN Red List classifies the species?
- 27. Write about the methods of conservation of Biodiversity.

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