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**S.E. (Civil) (Semester – I) Examination, 2014
ENGINEERING GEOLOGY
(2008 Course)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

- Instructions :** 1) Answers to the **two** Sections should be written in **separate** answer book.
 2) Answer **any three** questions from **each** Section.
 3) **Neat** diagrams must be drawn **wherever** necessary.
 4) Figures to the **right** side indicate **full** marks.
 5) **Use** of calculator is **allowed**.
 6) Assume suitable data **if** necessary.

SECTION – I

1. a) Describe the following : 8
 - i) Textures of Igneous rocks
 - ii) Intrusive Igneous Rocks.
- b) Discuss the following : 8
 - i) Agents of metamorphism
 - ii) Rock forming minerals.

OR

2. b) Write in brief with suitable diagram 8
 - i) Weight percent and Volume percent of Rocks in the crust of the earth
 - ii) Rock cycle.
- b) Explain in brief with suitable examples and diagram 8
 - i) Grain size classification of sedimentary rocks
 - ii) Flow chart showing steps involved in the formation of sedimentary rock.
3. a) Which type of rock will develop karst topography ? Explain role of groundwater in the development of karst topography. What are features associated with karst topography ? 8
- b) What is an unconformity ? Describe various types of unconformities with neat sketches. 8

OR



4. a) Explain Gondwana rocks in terms of their distribution, age, climate variation, mineral resources in them. 8
- b) What are the different causes of river rejuvenation ? Explain in brief different features associated with river rejuvenation. 8
5. a) What are folds ? What are the parts of fold ? Draw and explain major types of folds. How anticlines are recognized in the field from synclines ? 12
- b) Distinguish between dyke and batholith using neat sketches. 6
- OR
6. a) What are Normal Fault, Reverse Fault and Thrust ? Explain with suitable diagrams. 12
- b) Describe geometrical classification of joints with suitable sketches. 6

SECTION – II

7. a) Write a note on : 8
- i) Preservation of cores of tachylitic basalts.
- ii) Loss of drilling mud.
- b) Describe in brief : 8
- i) Angle hole
- ii) Application of Remote sensing techniques in engineering projects.
- OR
8. a) Write a note on water bearing characters of Deccan Trap Basalts. 8
- b) Write a note on subsurface exploration method. 8
9. a) What are the landslides ? How to classify the various mass movements ? 8
- b) Explain how weathering and textural variation affect the durability of dimension stones with suitable example. 8
- OR
10. a) Explain how earthquake waves are used to understand the internal structure of the earth. 6
- b) Discuss the various measures to prevent the landslide along the Western Escarpment of Deccan Trap. 6
- c) What are different earthquake hazards ? 4



11. a) What are the geological constraints for a tunnel to be constructed in a terrain with following geological data : Folded rocks with interlimb angle of 30° to 33° , tunnel passes through crest and limb of a fold. The bed through which the tunnel passes is a quartzite. 8
- b) Explain the feasibility of dam in following conditions 10
- i) Catchment area has dip-slope conditions with one of the slope towards catchment.
 - ii) Dam axis passes through a percolating dyke
 - iii) Bed rock is faulted with a wide fault zone
 - iv) Beds are dipping in the downstream direction.
- OR
12. a) Discuss the suitability of tunnel in following geological conditions. To make a safe and stable portal what preventive measures are required in these conditions ?
- i) Slightly to moderately weathered compact aphanitic basalt with moderately spaced 2 sets of joints, one parallel to axis of tunnel and other being oblique to it. 12
 - ii) Fresh Amygdaloidal basalt,
 - iii) Volcanic breccia.
- b) Compare the geological conditions required for a dam and a percolation tank. 6