



III B.Tech. I Semester Supplementary Examinations, November/December - 2012 ENGINEERING GEOLOGY

(Civil Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours

Code No: V3104

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks *****

- a) Define the term River. What are the geological agents of Rivers?
 b) Explain the types of development of rivers and valley.
- 2. Write the physical properties crystal system, chemical composition and uses of following minerals.
 - a) Feldspars & types b) Chlorite c) pyrite d)calcite
- 3. Explain the common structures, textures of metamorphic rocks with sketches and give their classification.
- 4. Write the following:a) Radial, en echelon, peripheral, step ¶llel faults.b) Shear joints, longitudinal joints, types of joints in rocks.
- 5. What is meant by earth quake? Give their classification and causes of earthquakes.
- 6. Write the principle, controlling factors of Radiometric and Geothermal Method.
- 7. What are the purposes of Dams? Explain the influence of rock types at the selection of Dam constructions
- 8. Explain the importance of Rock types and groundwater conditions for successful tunneling.





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- 1. What are the Branches of geology? Explain
- 2. Write the physical properties crystal system, chemical composition and uses of following minerals.
 - a) hornblende b) Augite c) pyrolusite d) pyrite
- 3. Explain the megascopic identification and types of following rocks.a) Gneiss b) schist c) quartzite d) marble e) slate f) khondalite
- 4. What are the parts of unconformities? Give their types with sketches and the role of importance in civil engineering.
- 5. Explain the profiling, scope of profiling, field procedure and interpretation of profiling data of electrical investigations.

6. Write the following:a) Define the terms of earthquake and their endogenous geological agents.b) Earthquake terminology.

- 7. Explain the bearing of litho logy, structures and ground water conditions Influencing the selection of reservoir.
- 8. What is Over break? Give their importance for influence of rock types.





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- 1. Describe the processes of Weathering of Rocks and give their importance in civil engineering constructions.
- 2. Write the physical properties crystal system, chemical composition and uses of following minerals.
 - a) Magnetite b) Talc c) Galena d).Olivene
- 3. Describe the various forms of igneous rocks with sketches.
- 4. Explain the following:
 - (a) Axis, Axial plane, crest, limb, trough etc., with sketches.
 - (b) Fault plane ,foot wall ,hanging wall ,slip ,hinge etc., with sketches.
 - (c) Master joints, joint sets, closed joints etc.,
- 5. Explain the ground water exploration techniques of geological, geophysical and hydrological investigations.
- 6. Write the principle, controlling factors of Radiometric and Geothermal Method.
- 7. Explain the Capacity of reservoir, effect of evaporation, Water tightness and influence of rock types.
- 8. What are the geological considerations for successful tunneling? Write briefly.

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- 1. Define the term geology. Explain the importance with reference to structures .
- 2. Write the physical properties crystal system, chemical composition and uses of following minerals.
 - a) Gypsum b) Barite c) Hematite d) Bauxite
- 3. Define the term rock. Give their classification and importance in civil engineering
- 4. Write the following:a) Anticline, syncline, similar, parallel, over turned, drag, recumbent foldsb) Gravity, thrust, dextral, rotational, hinge, strike, dip, oblique faults with sketches
- 5. Explain the Types of aquifers and fluctuation of the water table level in unconfined aquifers.
- 6. What are the geological factors are influencing seismic wave velocities? Give their composition, compaction and saturation of travel time curves, natural of seismic refraction studies.
- 7. Explain the influence of geological structures and their scope of preventive leakage with sketches.
- 8. Write the following:
 - a) lining of tunnels b) purposes of tunnels c) Over break
