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Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2016/Jan.2017 Engineering Geology

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. What is Engineering Geology? Name the modules of Engineering Geology you have studied. Explain the importance of each module. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain the role Engineering Geology in civil engineering projects. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Name the physical properties which are helpful to identify the minerals. Explain streak and Fracture of a mineral with suitable examples. (08 Marks)
- b. With a neat sketch explain the structure and composition of the earth. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 What are igneous rocks? How are they formed? Explain the classification of igneous rocks with suitable examples. Mention the engineering considerations of igneous rocks. (16 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. With a neat sketch, explain the development of folds, joints, faults and unconformities in rocks. (08 Marks)
- b. Mention the engineering considerations of folds, joints, Faults and unconformities. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 Define weathering. Explain the types of weathering. Add a note on effects of weathering on civil engineering projects. (16 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Explain Geomorphological aspects in the selection of site for a Dam. (08 Marks)
- b. What are Landslides? Explain the causes and prevention of landslides. (08 Marks)

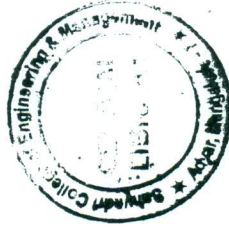
Module-4

- 7 a. With a neat sketch explain the Hydrologic cycle. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain Groundwater exploration by electrical resistivity method. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 Write a note on : (16 Marks)
 - a. Aquifer and its types
 - b. Classification of subsurface water
 - c. Porosity and permeability
 - d. Specific yield and specific retention

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.



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Module-5

- 9 Write a note on :
- Applications of Remote sensing
 - Applications of Geographic Information system (GIS)
 - Applications of Global Positioning system (GPS).
 - Uses of Geological maps.

(16 Marks)

OR

- 10 Write a note on :
- Impact of mining on Environment
 - Natural Disaster and their mitigation
 - Definition and uses land sat imageries
 - Impact of Reservoirs on environment.

(16 Marks)

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