

2022
B.A./B.Sc.
Fourth Semester
CORE – 8
GEOLOGY
Course Code: GLC 4.11
(Metamorphic Petrology)

Total Mark: 70

Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer five questions, taking one from each unit.

UNIT-I

1. How are metamorphic rocks formed? Discuss in detail the role of pressure and temperature in metamorphism. 4+10=14
2. Explain in detail the regional and cataclastic type of metamorphism. 14

UNIT-II

3. Define metamorphic facies. Discuss the facies of regional metamorphism. 2+12=14
4. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
 - (a) Metamorphic grade
 - (b) Structures of metamorphic rocks

UNIT-III

5. Define prograde metamorphism. Explain the ACF component of low grade metamorphic rock assemblages with neat diagram. 4+10=14
6. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
 - (a) Metamorphism at oceanic spreading ridge
 - (b) Retrograde metamorphism

UNIT-IV

7. Explain in detail the nature and origin of migmatite. 14
8. Write notes on the following: $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Anatexis
 - (b) Metasomatism

UNIT-V

9. Differentiate between foliated and non-foliated metamorphic rocks.
Explain in detail the nature, mineral composition and origin of gneiss. $4 + 10 = 14$
10. Write notes on the following: $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Schist
 - (b) Quartzite
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