

2022
B.A./B.Sc.
Third Semester
CORE – 5
GEOLOGY
Course Code: GLC 3.11
(IGNEOUS PETROLOGY)

Total Mark: 70

Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer five questions, taking one from each unit.

UNIT-I

1. Explain how a homogenous magma evolve into different igneous rocks. 14
2. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
 - (a) Geothermal gradient variationn with depth
 - (b) Bowen's reaction series

UNIT-II

3. Write an elaborate note on the different textures of igneous rocks. 14
4. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
 - (a) Discordant igneous bodies
 - (b) Mineralogical classification of igneous rocks

UNIT-III

5. Discuss in detail the phase diagrams and petrogenesis of basaltic magmas. 14
6. Discuss in deatail the albite-anorthite system. 14

UNIT-IV

7. Write in detail the magmatism related to divergent plate boundaries. 14
8. Write notes on the following: $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Continental arcs
 - (b) Intraplate volcanism

UNIT-V

9. What are felsic rocks? Give an account on the petrogenesis of granites. $2 + 12 = 14$
10. Write notes on the following: $7 \times 2 = 14$
- (a) Petrology of kimberlites
 - (b) Carbonatites
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