2023/TDC(CBCS)/ODD/SEM/ GELSEC-501T/134

TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2023

GEOLOGY

(5th Semester)

Course No.: GELSEC-501T

(Geochemistry)

Full Marks : 50
Pass Marks : 20

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

Answer fifteen questions, selecting any three from each Unit: 1×15=15

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- 1. Define cosmochemistry.
- 2. Define octet rule.
- 3. What are colloids?
- 4. Define covalent bond.

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UNIT-II

- Write a short note on physical and chemical characters of crust.
- 6. Write a short note on Dwarf Planet.
- 7. Write a short note on Terrestrial Planets.
- 8. Write a short note on Cosmic Elements.

UNIT-III

- Write the three factors that are impelling forces in metamorphism.
- 10. Name two clay minerals that are commonly found in sediments and sedimentary rocks.
- 11. Name two major elements of igneous rock.
- 12. Name two detrital minerals that are abundantly found in sedimentary rocks

UNIT-IV

- 13. Write a short note on entropy.
- 14. Write a short note on solid solution.

- 15. Write the relationship between quartz and tridymite.
- Write a short note on important factors in isomorphism.

UNIT-V

- 17. Name two distinct groups of siderolites.
- 18. Name two groups of aerolites on the basis of texture.
- 19. Define finds- and falls-meteorites.
- 20. What is the basis of classifying meteorites?

SECTION-B

Answer five questions, selecting one from each
Unit: 2×5=10

UNIT-I

- 21. What are the basic differences in approach between Mendeleev's Periodic Law and the Modern Periodic Law?
- 22. Why do elements in the same group have similar physical and chemical properties?

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UNIT-II

- 23. Write a short note on geochemical cycle.
- 24. Write a short note on asteroids and meteoroids.

Unit-III

- 25. Write dehydration reaction.
- 26. Write major elements.

Unit—IV

- 27. Write the laws of thermodynamics
- 28. Write on elements of geochemical thermodynamics.

UNIT-V

- 29. Write a short note on siderites.
- 30. Write a short note on geochemical cycle.

SECTION-C

Answer five questions, selecting one from each

5×5=25

UNIT-I

- 31. Write the significance and limitations of octet rule. Add a note on the favourable factors for the formation of ionic bond.

 2+3=5
- 32. Discuss briefly the elementary idea of periodic table.

UNIT-II

- 33. Write explanatory note on the cosmic abundance of elements.
- 34. Discuss briefly the composition of the planets.

UNIT-III

- 35. Write briefly on Goldschmidt's geochemical classification of elements.
- 36. Give an account on the distribution of major elements in sedimentary rocks.

Unit—IV

- 37. Write an explanatory note on isomorphism.
- 38. Write briefly on isotope geochemistry.

UNIT-V

- 39. Write a detailed note on the geochemical structure of the earth.
- 40. Discuss briefly the biochemical classification of element.

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