

कोल्हान विश्वविद्यालय, चाईबासा
KOLHAN UNIVERSITY, CHAIBASA



**University Department of
Geology**
CBCS Syllabus of Post Graduate Course
(Semester System)

GEOLOGY
M.Sc. Semester – I
FC – Compulsory GEOL (FC-1)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

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Group A

Unit I:

Introduction to Computer fundamentals, Definition, Characteristics of Computers, Brief History Generation of Computers First to Fifth, Classification of Computers, Hardware and software.

Unit II

Device: Input devices: Keyboard, Mouse, Optical Devices: OMR, OCR, MICR, Barcode readers. Output devices: VDU/Monitor, Printers Inkjet and LASER printers, Plotters Drum plotter, Flatbed plotter. CPU, Primary and Secondary storage devices, Block diagram of a computer system.

Unit III

Number system Decimal and Binary and conversion of decimal number to binary number system.

Unit IV

Computer Software and Types of Software, Generation of Computer Language- Machine Language, Assembly Language, High Level Language.

Group B

Unit I

Toposheets Definition, scale, reading various components of a toposheet from the portal of Government agencies.
Geological Map-definition, various components of a geological map including scale, legend, structures etc . Introduction: Geological Information System (GIS) and Geographical Positioning System (GPS)

Unit II

- a. Application Software: 1. WINDOWS: Introduction to windows, making folders, windows explorer, WordPad.
- b. Microsoft Word: File, edit, cut, copy, paste, standard toolbar, formatting, toolbar, paste, special, hyper link, clear, select all, find, replace, go to. Header & Footer, page, break, date & time, auto text, symbol, picture & word art. Fonts, paragraph, change case. Spelling & grammar, word count, auto correct, table,.

- c. Microsoft Excel: EXCEL: New, open, save, concept of book sheet, selecting whole columns & row. Cut, copy, paste, paste special, fill clear, delete, delete sheets, find replace, go to. Toolbar, insert cells, rows, columns. Chart, format cells, auto correct. Spell check, sort.

Unit III

Microsoft Power Point: POWERPOINT: Introduction to Power point, slideshow, insert new slide, duplicate slide, apply design & rehearse timings.

Unit IV

Fundamentals of network: World Wide Web, search engine, surfing web pages, Study of Toposheet and Maps from the portals of SOI, GSI, BHUWAN, JSAC.

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Stratigraphy and Palaeobiology

Unit 1

Principles of Stratigraphy; Concept of Lithofacies and Biofacies; Stratigraphic Correlation; Concepts of Magnetostratigraphy and Sequence stratigraphy; precambrian Stratigraphy of Dharwar and Singhbhum-Chotanagpur craton; Proterozoic stratigraphy – tectonic framework, geological history and evolution of Vindhyan Super Group, Cuddapahs and their equivalents.

Unit 2

Palaeozoic stratigraphy: Palaeozoic formation of India with special reference to type localities, history of sedimentation, fossil content; concept, classification, lithology, life and age of Gondwana supergroup; Mesozoic formation of India with special reference to type localities, history of sedimentation, fossil content; Tertiary formations of Northeastern India, Siwalik Group; Stratigraphy boundary problems, Pre Cambrian-Cambrian (PC/C), Permian-/Triassic(P/Tr) and Cretaceous- Tertiary (K/T) boundaries.

Unit 3

Study of Ichno fossils; Taphonomy and preservation; Morphology, classification, biostratigraphy and evolutionary trends of Trilobites, Brachiopods, Bivalves, Cephalopoda, Gastropods and Echinoids.

Unit 4

Vertebrate and its classification. Evolutionary trends in Equidae, proboscidea and Man; Siwalik mammals and their causes of extinction;

Unit 5

Micropalaeontology; Foraminifera, diatomorphism, morphology and biostratigraphy; Gondwana flora and their significance; Palynology, types of Gondwana palynomorphs and its importance; Microfossils and their significance in oil exploration.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- A.Sahni, (1996), Cretaceous Stratigraphy and Palaeoenvironments. GSI, Bangalore
- Boggs, S. (2001): Principles of Sedimentology and Stratigraphy, Prentice Hall.
- Danbar, C.O. and Rodgers, J. (1957): Principles of Stratigraphy, John Wiley and Sons.
- Doyle, P. and Bennett. M.R. (1996): Unlocking the Stratigraphy Record, John Wiley and Sons.
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- M. Ramakrishnan & R. Viadynadhan (2008) Geology of India – (Vol. 1&2) GSI, Bangalore
- T.M. Mahadevan (2002), Geology of Bihar and Jharkhand. GSI, Bangalore
- Naqvi, S.M. and Rogers, J.J.W. (1987): Precambrian Geology of India, Oxford University Press.
- Naqvi, S.M. (2005) Geology and Evolution of the Indian Plate (From Hadean to Holocene – 4Ga to 4 Ka) GSI, Bangalore
- Pascoe, E.H. (1968): A Manual of the Geology of India and Burma (Vols I-IV), Govt. of Indian Press, Delhi.
- Pomeroy, C. (1982): The Cenozoic Era? Tertiary and Quaternary, Ellis Harwood Ltd., Halsted Press.
- Schuch, Robert, M. (1989): Stratigraphy ; Principles and Methods, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Boardman, R.S. Cheetah, A.M. and Rowell, A.J. (1988): Fossil Invertebrates, Blackwell.
- Clarkson, E.N.K. (1998): Invertebrate Paleontology and Evolution, Allen and Unwin, London.
- Horowitz, A.S. and Potter, E.D. (1971): Introductory Petrography of Fossils, Springer Verlag.
- Mayr, E. (1971): Population, Species and Evolution, Harvard.
- Prothero, D.R. (2004): Bringing Fossil to Life – An Introduction to Paleontology (2nd Ed), cGraw Hill.
- Raup, D.M. and Stanley, S.M. (1985): Principles of Paleontology, CBS Publ
- Romer A.S. (1959) The Vertebrate Story, Univ. of Chicago Press.
- Smith, A.B. (1994): Systematics and Fossil Record – Documenting Evolutionary Patterns, Blackwell.
- Stearns, C.W. and Carroll, R.L. (1989): paleontology – the record of life, John Wiley
- Shrock R.R. (1953) Principles of Invertebrate paleontology, McGraw Hill Book Co.
- Alfred Traverse (1898): Paleopalynology, Unwin Hyman, USA.
- Arnold (2002): Quaternary Environmental Micropaleontology (Ed. Simon K. Haslett), Oxford University Press, New York.
- Bignot, G., Grahm and Trotter (1985): Elements of Micropaleontology, London.

GEOLOGY

M.Sc. Semester – I

Core course – 2 GEOL (CC-2)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

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Crystallography and Descriptive Mineralogy

UNIT 1 : External symmetry of crystals : Symmetry Elements, methods of projection, Herman Muguin notation. Internal symmetry of crystals. Derivation of 230 space groups, diffraction of crystals by X-rays, Braggs' law.

UNIT 2:

Principles of optical mineralogy : polarized light, behaviour of isotropic and anisotropic minerals in polarized light, refractive index, pleochroism double refraction, birefringence, sign of elongation, interference figures, 2V, dispersion in minerals; Optic sign-determination

Description Mineralogy

UNIT 3:

Principles of crystal chemistry; Chemical bonds, ionic, Coordination principles, Radius ratio; principles of ionic substitution in minerals; Isomorphism, Exsolution, Polymorphism, Pseudomorphism; Introduction to XRF, XRD and Electron Probe.

UNIT 4:

Structural classification of silicate minerals ; Description of chemistry, optical and physical properties, and paragenesis of the following mineral group, Garnet Group. Epidote group, Pyroxene group, Amphibole group.

UNIT 5:

Description of chemistry, optical and physical properties and paragenesis of the following mineral groups: Mica group, Chlorite group and clay minerals, Quartz group, Feldspar group, Feldspathoids and Zeolites.

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Dexter Pekins, 2003 – Mineralogy, Pearson Education Private Ltd.

Carmelo Giacovazzo, 2002 – Fundamentals of crystallography, Oxford University Press

Boris Konstantinovich Vainshten, 1994 – Modern Crystallography ; Fundamental of crystals, symmetry and methods of structural crystallography, Springer

William D. Nesse, 2009 – Introduction to Mineralogy, Oxford University Press

Dana, E.S. – 1955 – Text Book of mineralogy, Wiley

Wade, F.A. and Mattox, R.E. – 1860 – Elements of crystallography and Mineralogy Harmer and brods.

Philips, P.C. – 1971 – An introduction to Crystallography, John Wiley

Winchell, A.N. – 1968 – Elements of optical Mineralogy, part, I & II Wiley Eastern

Berry, L.G. and Mason B, Dietrich. 1983 – Mineralogy – Concept, Descriptions Determinations, Freeman

Burroughs, M.J. – 1956 – Elementary Crystallography Wiley

Heinrich, E.W. – 1965 – Microscopic identification of Minerals McGraw Hill

Naidau, P.R.J.C.S. – 1971 – Johansen's optical Mineralogy , Allied

Haribury, C.S. – 1991 - Dana's Manual of Mineralogy, Wiley

Deer, W.A. Howie, R.A. Zussman, J – 1992 – Rock forming Mineralogy Vols. 1 to 5, Longmans.

Hammond, C. 1990. Introduction to Crystallography. Oxford university Press.

Klein, C. 2002 manual of Mineral Science 22nd edition. New York. John Wiley and Sons.

Completion of outcrops in given maps; Structural problems by Stereographic Net; Plotting of Geological Section; Mineral formulae, calculation of important rock forming mineral groups; Microscopic identification of important rock forming minerals; Determination of Optic Sign of Uniaxial and Biaxial Minerals; Determination of pleochroic scheme; Determination of An content in Plagioclase feldspars; Study of rocks in hand specimens from known Indian stratigraphic horizons and type localities; megascopic study of Invertebrate fossils; Study of Molar tooth of important vertebrate fossils; study of morphological characters of selected microfossils; Megascopic study of plant Fossils; study of morphological characters of selected palynomorphs.

M.Sc. Semester-II
Elective Course (EC-I)

Theory

Time : 03 Hours

Full Marks-70

Credit: 5

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

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1	Introduction to Research: Meaning, Characteristics, Objectives and Importance of research, Motivation and objectives – Research methods vs Methodology. Types and Methods of research – Descriptive vs. Analytical, Applied vs. Fundamental, Quantitative vs. Qualitative, Conceptual vs. Empirical.
2	Research Formulation: Defining and formulating the research problem - Selecting the problem - Necessity of defining the problem - Importance of literature review in defining a problem – Literature review – Primary and secondary sources – reviews, treatise, monographs-patents – web as a source – searching the web - Critical literature review – Identifying gap areas from literature review - Development of working hypothesis.
3	Research design: Concept and Importance in Research – Features of a good research design – Exploratory Research Design – concept, types and uses, Descriptive Research Designs – concept, types and uses. Experimental Design: Concept of Independent & Dependent variables.
4	Data Collection and analysis: Execution of the research - Observation and Collection of data - Methods of data collection – Sampling Methods- Data Processing and Analysis strategies - Data Analysis with Statistical Packages - Hypothesis-testing - Generalization and Interpretation.
5	Research Report: Types of research reports – Brief reports and Detailed reports; Report writing: Structure of the research report- Preliminary section, Main report, Interpretations of Results and Suggested Recommendations; Report writing: Formulation rules for writing the report: Guidelines for presenting tabular data, Guidelines for visual Representations, Illustrations and tables - Bibliography, referencing and footnotes.

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1. Garg, B.L., Karadia, R., Agarwal, F. and Agarwal, U.K., 2002. An introduction to Research Methodology, RBSA Publishers.
2. Kothari, C.R., 1990. Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques, New Age International.
3. Sinha, S.C. and Dhiman, A.K., 2002. Research Methodology, Ess Ess Publications. 2 volumes.
4. Trochim, W.M.K., 2005. Research Methods: the concise knowledge base, Atomic Dog Publishing.

2. Cooray, P.G., 1992. Guide to scientific and technical writing, Hindagala, Sri Lanka.
3. Srinivasa Rao K., 2004 Geoscientific Writing- a guide to language and composition: styles. Memoir 58, Geo. Soc. India Bangalore.
4. Manual log field geology by Robert R. Compton, Wiley Eastern Pvt.Ltd. New Delhi 1968.
5. Field Geology by F.H. Lahee CBS Publishes & Distributors 1987.
6. Rollinson, H. R. 1992 Interpreting Geochemical Data : Evaluation, Presenting and interpretation 352pp.

Geology
M.Sc. Semester – II
Core Course- 4 GEOL (CC-4)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit :5

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Geochemistry and Igneous Petrology

Unit 1

origin and abundance of elements in the Solar System and in the Earth, cosmic abundance of elements; Geochemical classification of Elements; Radiogenic Isotopes; Radioactive decay scheme of U-pb, Sm-Nd, Rb-Sr, K-Ar and growth of daughter isotopes; Radiometric dating Stable Isotopes: nature, abundance and fractions;

Unit – 2

Laws of Thermodynamics and its application in Petrology; Geochemistry and principles of evolution of hydrosphere, biosphere and atmosphere Geochemistry cycle and principles of geochemical prospecting.

Unit – 3

Nature and evolution of magma; Plate tectonics and generation of magmas; Plume magmatism and hot spots; Large igneous provinces and mafic dyke swarms, Partial melting batch and fractional melting; Crystal Fractionation and contamination; IUGS classification of the igneous rocks and CIPW norm.

Unit – 4

Phase and evolution – binary systems (Ab-An-Ab-Or-Di-An, Fo-Si) and their relations to magma genesis and crystallization in the light of modern experience works; Ternary systems (Di-Ab-An, Di-Fo-Si, Di-Fo-An, Fo-An-Si) and their relations to magma genesis and crystallization.

Unit – 5

Petrogenetic significance of igneous texture; Petrology and petrogenesis of major igneous rock types with Indian examples of ultramafic, komatiite, basalt, anorthosite, granite, alkaline rocks, ophiolite, carbonatite, lamprophyre.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Krauskopf, K.B. (1967) : Introduction to Geochemistry, McGraw Hill
Mason, B. and Moore, C.B. (1991) : Introduction to Geochemistry, Wiley Eastern.
Rollinson, H.R. (1993): Using geochemical data : Evaluation, Presentation Interpretation , Interpretation Longman U.K.
Bose, M.K. (1997): Igneous Petrology, World Press, Kolkata
Best, Myron G. (2002): Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology, Blackwell Science.
Cox, K.G. Bell, J.D. and Pankhurst, R.J. (1993): The Interpretation of Igneous Rocks, Chapman and Hall London.
Faure, G. (2001): Origin of Igneous Rocks, Springer.
Hall A. (1997): Igneous Petrology, Longman.
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Muir, B. (1994): Igneous Petrology, CBS Publ. Delhi.
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Hoefs, J. (1980): Stable Isotope Geochemistry, Springer – Verlag
Krauskopf, K.B. (1967): Introduction to Geochemistry, McGraw Hill
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Rollinson, H.R. (1993): using geochemical data Evaluation, Presentation, Interpretation. Longman U.K.

Geology

M.Sc. Semester – II

Core Course- 4 GEOL (CC-5)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit :5

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Sedimentary and Metamorphic Petrology

Unit 1

Surface processes and rock weathering ; Processes of transport and generation of sedimentary rocks; Sedimentary Texture elements of clastic and non clastic rocks, Structures:

Important erosional, depositional and post depositional sedimentary structures and their significance; Provenance; Source of sediments, compositional maturity; Significance of light and heavy minerals in provenance study.

Unit – 2

Sedimentary environment and facies. Facies modeling for marine, non-marine and mixed sediments. Tectonics and sedimentation. Classification and definition of sedimentary basins. Sedimentary basins of India. Cyclic sediments. Seismic and sequence stratigraphy. Purpose and scope of basin analysis. Stratum contours and isopach maps.

Unit – 3

Concept of Zones and Grades: Metamorphic facies and facies series ; Fabric in meramorphism; Classification of Metamorphic Roks. Mineralogical Phase Rule; A detailed description of each of low pressure, medium to high pressure and very high pressure with special reference to mineralogical assemblages Metamorphic Differentiation; ACF,AKF and AFM diagrams in metamorphic petrology.

Unit – 4

Regional metamorphism and Ocean Floor Metamorphism; Regional and thermal metamorphism of politic rocls. Regional and thermal meramorphism of basic and ultrabasic rocks. Regional and Thermal metamorphism of impure,m silicious carbonate rocks; Metamorphism of Granitoides, Charnockites and Migmatites.

Unit – 5

Metamorphism is space and time: Plate tectonics and metamorphic processes; Paired metamorphic belts, Archaean and Proterozoic terrains; polymetamorphism,

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Blatt, H Middleton, G.V. and Murray, R.C. (1980): Origin of Sedimentary Rocks, Prentice-Hall Inc.

Collins, J.D., and Thompson, D.B. (1982): Sedimentary Structures, Geology Allen and Unwin, London.

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Winter, J.D. (2005): An introduction to Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology, Prentice Hall.

Yardley, B.W.D., Mackenzie, W.S. and Guilford, C. (1995): Atlas of Metamorphic Rocks and their textures, Longman Scientific and Technical, England.

Yardlley, BW (1989) An introduction to Metamorphic Petrology, Longman, NY

Best, MG. (2004) Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology, cbs Publ.

Winkler H.G.F. (1979) Petrogenesis of Metamorphic Rocks, Springer Verlag

Turner E.J. (1980) Metamorphic Petrology. McGraw Hill, NY

GEOLOGY
M.Sc. SEMESTER - II
CORE COURSE (P) - 6 GEOLOGY: [CC (P)-6]

Full Marks: 100
Time: 06 Hrs

(A)

- (i) Megascopic and Microscopic studies of Igneous, Sedimentary and Metamorphic rocks.
- (ii) Megascopic studies of Sedimentary structures.
- (iii) Graphic representation of Modal analysis in QAP and APF diagrams
- (iv) Graphic representation of chemical analyses in ACF, AKF and AFM diagrams.
- (v) Calculation of C.I.P.W. Norm and Niggli Values

(B)

- (vi) Geological Mapping of two weeks duration in a geologically complex area and Field Work Report based on it

GEOLOGY
M.Sc. SEMESTER - III
CORE COURSE – 7 GEOL : (CC-7)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture : 70 Hours

Credit: 5

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#Geomorphology and Remote Sensing in Geology

Geomorphology

Unit 1:

Fundamental concepts – significance of structure, process and time ; A brief account of concepts of evolution of landform ; Characteristic features of landforms, Characteristics and types of fluvial landform , Fluvial cycle, concept of pen plains, stream rejuvenation, causes and effects; Aeolian landform, Arid Cycle of erosion; Glacial landforms, periodicity of glaciation and its causes; Karst topography, Relationship of geologic structures to topography; Volcanic landforms

Unit II:

Geomorphology of the coasts, classification of shorelines and their evolution. Evidences of eustatic changes and their causes. Influence of lithology on relief. Development of landforms of flat lying, tilted, folded, dome and faulted structures; Development of drainage systems, Drainage Patterns, Drainage analysis in Geological interpretation. Geomorphic features of

India; Application of Geomorphology in groundwater, mineral and oil exploration and Engineering projects.

Remote Sensing in Geology

Unit III

Electromagnetic spectrum and its properties, Atmospheric Windows; Interaction of electromagnetic radiation with matter, Spectral signatures; Basic ideas of Thermal Infra red and Microwave Remote Sensing; Photogrammetry – recent advancement and applications; Remote Sensing Satellite programmes and their characteristics;

Unit VI:

Basic principles of Image interpretation and Digital techniques; Principles and applications of GIS;

Image characters and their relation with ground object based on tone, texture and pattern; Interpretation of topographic and tectonic features; Identification of Igneous, Sedimentary and Metamorphic rock types in images;

Unit 5

Principles of terrain analysis; Morphometric analysis; Geomorphological mapping based on genesis of landforms; Terrain evaluation for strategic purposes.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Richard J. Huggett – 2007 – Fundamentals of Geomorphology, Routledge
Keith A. Sverdrup, Alison Duxbury, Alyn C. Duxbury, 2006 – Fundamentals of Oceanography, McGraw-Hill Higher Education
Thornbury, W.D., 1969 – Principles of Geomorphology, Wiley.
Worcester, P.G., 1948 – A text book of Geomorphology, Wiley.
B.W. Sparles, 1981 – Geomorphology, Longman Group Ltd.
George Allen & Coates, 1980 – Coastal Geomorphology
Pitty, A.F., 1972 – Introduction to Geomorphology, Methuen.
Bloom, A.L. 1979 – Geomorphology, Prentice Hall.
Arthur, L. Bloom, 2004 – Geomorphology: a systematic analysis of late Cenozoic landforms, Waveland PrInc,
Miller, V.C. 1961: Photogeology; McGraw Hill
Sabbins, F.F., 1985: Remote Sensing-Principles and Applications; Freeman
Lilleaand, T.M. and Keifer, R.W. 1987; Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation; John Wiley
S.N. Pandey, 1987; Principles and Applications of Photogeology; Wiley Eastern, New Delhi
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Angela L. Coe (2010) Geological Field Techniques, Blackwell
Oya, M. 2001: Applied Geomorphology for Mitigation of Natural Hazards, Springer.

GEOLOGY
M.Sc. SEMESTER - III
CORE COURSE – 8 GEOL : (CC-8)

Theory **Full Marks – 70**

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

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#Economic Geology

Unit 1

Concepts of Ore Genesis; Distribution of Ore deposits-Global Perspective; Mode of occurrences and morphology of ore bodies; Controls of Ore localization; Classification of Ore deposits; Processes of Pre formation – Magmatic, Sedimentary, Metamorphic associations and Weathering processes; Ore deposits and Plate Tectonics.

Unit 2

Occurrence and distribution in India of metalliferous deposits – base metals, iron, manganese, aluminum, chromium, gold; Indian deposits of non-metals deposits viz. – mica, asbestos, barytes, gypsum, graphite, apatite etc. Gemstones, refractory minerals, abrasives and minerals used in glass, fertilizer, paint, ceramic and cement industries. Building stones. Phosphorite deposits, Atomic Minerals: Atomic fuel resources of India – distribution and prospects.

Unit 3

Coal: Origin, structure, mode of occurrence and types of coal, Physical and chemical properties of coal, Macroscopic and microscopic constituents of coal, macerals and microlithotypes; Classification, rank, and grade of coal; Important coalfields of India with special reference to Jharkhand.

Unit 4

Petroleum: Origin and migration of Petroleum, Properties of source and reservoir rocks, Petroleum Traps, Petroliferous basins of India; Fundamentals of Coal Bed Methane (CBM), Prospects of CBM in India.

Unit 5

Geological criteria for prospecting; Basic principles of Geochemical Exploration; Principles and application of surface geophysical exploration techniques; Brief outline of various well logging techniques; Strategic, critical and essential minerals. India's status in mineral production vis a vis world scenario; National Mineral Policy.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Arogyaswami, R.P.N. (1996): Courses in Mining Geology, Oxford and IBH Publ.
Bagchi, T.C., Sengupta, D.K., Rao, S.V.L.N. (1979): Elements of Prospecting and Exploration, Kalyani Publ.
Banerjee, P.K. and Ghosh, S. (1997): Elements of Prospecting for Non-fuel Mineral deposits, Allied Publ.

Chaussier, Jean – Bernard and Morer, J. (1987): Mineral Prospecting Manual., North Oxford Academic.

Clark, G.B. (1967): Elements of Mining, (3rd Ed.), John Wiley.

Dobrin, M.B.; Savit, C.H. (1988): Introduction to Geophysical Prospecting, McGraw-Hill.

Keder, P., Brooks, M. and Hill, I. (2002): An introduction to geophysical exploration, (3rd Ed.), Blackwell

Rider, M.H. (1986): Whittles Publishing, Caithness. The Geological interpretation of Well Logs, (Rev. Ed.).

Robert, D. (1985): Encyclopedia of Well Logging

T.S. Ramakrishna (2006), Geophysical Practice in Mineral Exploration and Mapping GSI, Bangalore

Mookherjee, A. (2000): Ore Genesis-A Holistic Approach, Allied Publisher

Dhanraju, R. (2005): Radioactive Minerals, Geol. Soc. India, Bangalore.

Craig J M and Vaughan D J (1981) Ore Petrography and Mineralogy, John Willey

Evans (1973) Ore Geology and Industrial Minerals

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Bagchi, T.C., Sengupta, D.K. Rao, S.V.L.N. (1979): Elements of Prospecting and Exploration, Kalyani Publ.

Banerjee, P.K. and Ghosh, S. (1997): Elements of Prospecting for Non-fuel Mineral deposits, Allied Publ.

Chaussier, Jean – Bernars and Morer, J. (1987): Mineral Prospecting Manual., North Oxford Academic.

GEOLOGY

M.Sc. SEMESTER - III

Elective (GE/DC) GEOLOG (EC-2)

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

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Select one Elective from the following Elective Groups:

GEOLOGY

Elective (GE/DC)

(EC-2) Group A: Fossil Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

Ten questions are to be set out of which five are to be answered.

Unit 1

Elementary idea about coal preparation, Washing and beneficiation of coal, Blending of coal; coal carbonization, coal gasification, coal liquefaction and coal combustion; Briquetting of coal

Unit 2

Assesment of coal reserves; Geological, Geobotanical and Geophysical survey for coal; Gondwana palynology and its application for coal exploration;

Unit 3

Mining of coal- underground mining and open cast mining; Coal Mining hazards and its mitigation; Trace elements in coal; Coal as environment pollutant; Conservation of coal

Unit 4

Unit Geological and geographical distribution of coal deposits of Jharkhand

Unit 5

Geological and geographical distribution of coal and Lignite deposits in India except Jharkhand;

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Chandra, D., Singh, R.M. Singh, M.P. (2000): Textbook of Coal (Indian context), Tara Book Agency, Varanasi.
- Scott, A.C. (1987): Coal and Coal-bearing strata: Recent Advances, Blackwell Scientific Publications.
- Singh, M.P. (1998): Coal and organic Petrology, Hindustan Publishing Corporation, New Delhi.
- G.H., Teichmuller, M., Davis, A. Diessel, C.F.K., Littke, r. and Robert P. (1998): Organic Petrology, GebruderBorntraeger, Stuttgart.
- Thomas, Larry (2002): Coal Geology, John Wiley and Sons Ltd., England.
- Van LrevelenStach;, E., Mackowsky, M-Th., Taylor, G.H., Chandra, D., Teichumullelr, M. and Teichmuller R. (1982): Stach Textbook of Coal Petrology, GebruderBorntraeger, Stuttgart.
- Taylor, D.W. (1993): Coal: Typology-Physics-Chemistry-Constitution), Elsevier .Science, Netherlands

or

Elective (GE/DC) GEOLOGY (EC-2) Group B: Sediment logy

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Concept of basin analysis; Tectonic classification and evolution of sedimentary basins; Plate tectonics in relation to type and evolution of basins.

Unit 2

Sedimentary facies and facies models with Indian analogues; Paleocurrent analysis and its applications.

Unit 3

Processes and characteristics of depositional environments such as fluvial, estuarine, deltaic, lagoonal, barrier beach, tidal flats, deep-sea environments, lacustrine, Aeolian, glacial etc.

Unit 4

Sedimentary basins of India. Plate tectonics in relation to type and evolution of basins.

Unit 5

Concept of sequence stratigraphy, regional unconformities, systems tracts and parasequences.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

Blatt, H., Middleton, G.V. and Murray, R.C. (1980): Origin of Sedimentary Rocks, Prentice-Hall Inc.

Collins, J.D., and Thompson, D.B. (1982): Sedimentary Structures, George Allen and Unwin, London.

Lindholm, R.C. (1987) A Practical Approach to Sedimentology, Allen and Unwin, London.

Pettijohn, F.J. (1975): Sedimentary Rocks (3rd Ed.), Harper and Row Publ. New Delhi.

Reding, H.G. (1997): Sedimentary Environments and facies, Blackwell Scientific Publication.

Reineck, H.E. and Singh, I.B. (1973): Depositional Sedimentary Environments, Springer-Verlag.

Selley, R.C. (2000) Applied Sedimentology, Academic Press.

Tucker, M.E. (1981): Sedimentary Petrology: An Introduction, Wiley and Sons, New York.

Tucker, M.E. (1990): Carbonate Sedimentary, Blackwell Scientific Publication.

or

Elective (GE/DC)

GEOLOGY (EC-2) Group C: Hydrogeology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Occurrence of groundwater in different rock types; Geologic structures favouring groundwater occurrence; Occurrence of groundwater in various hydrostratigraphic units of India; Groundwater provinces of India.

Unit 2

Components of Groundwater basin characterization: slope characteristics, lithology and associated geological structures, soil type and thickness, etc; Geomorphic controls for groundwater accumulation; Drainage pattern, their relationship with lithology and geologic structure; tools.

Unit 3

Groundwater basin characterization and prioritization by Remote Sensing and GIS

Unit 4

Surface and subsurface geological and geophysical methods of groundwater exploration; Identification of groundwater potential zones by various Remote sensing techniques, Application of GPR in groundwater exploration, Use of radio isotopes in hydrogeological studies.

Unit 5

Groundwater problems and management related to foundation work, mining, reservoirs, tunnels and effects of water in landslides; Environmental effects of over-exploitation of groundwater, Water logging problems;

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- C.F. Tolman (1973): Groundwater, McGraw Hill, New York and London.
D.K. Todd (1995): Groundwater Hydrology, John Wiley and Sons.
F.G. Drescoll (1988): Groundwater and Wells, UOP, Johnson Div. St.Paul. Min. USA.
H.S. Nagabhushaniah (2001): Groundwater, in Hydrosphere (Groundwater hydrology), CBS Publ..
K.R. Karanth (1989): Hydrogeology, Tata McGraw Hill Publ..
S.N. Davies and R.J.N. De Wiest (1966): Hydrogeology, John Wiley and Sons, New York.
Patra, H.P., Adhikari, Shyamal Kumar, Kumar, Subrata (2016) Groundwater Prospecting and Management, Springer

Jakeman, A.J., Barreteau, O., Hunt, R.J., Rinaudo, J. -D., Ross, A. (2016) Integrated Groundwater Management: Concepts, Approaches and Challenges, Springer
Ramanathan, A., Johnston, S., Mukherjee, A., Nath, B. (Eds.) 2015, Safe and Sustainable Use of Arsenic-Contaminated Aquifers in the Gangetic Plain
A Multidisciplinary Approach; Springer

C.W. Fetter Jr. (2016) Applied Hydrogeology (4th Edition) 4th Edition Pearson Education Ltd.
Kevin M. Hiscock (2009) Hydrogeology: Principles and Practice, Wiley-Blackwell

Singhal, B.B.S. Gupta R.P. (2010) Applied Hydrogeology of Fractured Rocks, Springer

or

Elective (GE/DC)

GEOLOGY (EC-2) Group D: Ore Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecture: 70 Hours

Credit: 5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Non-magmatic processes of mineralization, Occurrence and distribution in India of iron and base metal deposits.

Unit 2

Occurrence and distribution in India of manganese, aluminium, chromium, nickel and gold deposits, Energy and fuel minerals, PGE and associated ores..

Unit 3

Indian deposits of non-metals:- mica, asbestos, gypsum, graphite and apatite. Gemstones, refractory minerals, abrasives and minerals used in glass, fertilizer, paint, ceramic and cement industries.

Unit 4

Strategic, critical and essential mineral. India's status in mineral production. National Mineral Policy. Marine mineral resources and Laws of Sea. Mineral concession rules.

Unit 5

Various methods of sampling. Surface and sub-surface explorations. Definition and outline of UNFC classification of mineral reserves and resources. Grade and recovery of ores. Methods of ore reserves estimation.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Edwards, R. and Atkinson, K. (1986) Ore Deposit Geology. Chapman and Hall, London.
Craig, J.M. and Vaughan, D.J. (1981) Ore Petrography and Mineralogy, John Wiley.
Evans, A.M. (2012) Ore Geology and Industrial Minerals. Third Edition (Reprint), Blackwell Publishing and Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.
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Stanton, F.J. (1972) Ore Petrology. McGraw Hill.
Torling, D.H. (1981) Economic Geology and Geotectonics. Blackwell Sci. Publ.
Barnes, H.L. (1979) Geochemistry of Hydrothermal Ore Deposits. John Wiley.
Klemm, D.D. and Schneider, H.J. (1977) Time and Strata Bound Ore Deposits. Springer Verlag.
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Mookherjee, A. (2000) Ore genesis-a Holistic Approach. Allied Publishers.
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McKinstry, H.E. (1972) Mining Geology. Prentice-Hall Inc.
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Thomas, L.J. (1978) An Introduction to Mining. Methuen., Brisbane.
Clark, G.B. (1967) Elements of Mining Asia Publishing
Sinha, R.K. & Sharma, N.L. (1993) An Introduction to Mineral Economics, Wiley Eastern.
Chatterjee, K.K. (1993) An Introduction to Mineral Economics, Wiley Eastern.

or

Elective (GE/DC)

GEOLOGY (EC-2)

Group E: Environmental Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecturer :70 Hours

Credit :5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Basics of Environment; Type of Environment; Man and Environment; Components of environmental geology, Concepts and principles of Environmental Geology; Time scales of global changes in the ecosystem and climate;

Unit 2

Atmosphere, structure and composition of atmosphere; Global warming. Green house effect. ; CO₂ increase and global warming in the present and past atmospheres:

Unit3

Environmental Pollution: Sources of Air Pollution, emission of major industrial air pollutants, effects of air pollution on atmospheric processes, oxides of carbon as pollutants, green house effect, global warming, chloro fluoro carbons (CFC's), depletion of ozone layer. ' effects of ozone depletion, smog, acid rain;

Unit 4

Components of Hydrosphere, solubility of gases in water; Impact of oceanic and atmospheric circulation on climate and rain fall.

Unit 5 '

Water Pollution: Types of water pollution, groundwater pollution and its effects, sources of water pollution. 1 organic and inorganic contamination of groundwater and its remedial measures;

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Abhijit Dutta. Environmental Issues and Challenges
B. K. Sharma Environmental Pollution
Bell. F G. (1999): Geological Hazards, Routledge. London.
Bryant. E. (1985): Natural Hazards, Cambridge Univ. Press.
Keller, EA. (1978) Environmental Geology '
Rekha Ghosh and D. S. Chatterjee : Environmental Geology
Vaidiya, K.S. (1987) Environmental Geology Indian Context
Patwardhan, A.M. (1999) The Dynamic Earth System
Smith. K.(1992) Environmental Hazards _
Subramaniam, V.(2001) Textbook of Environmental Hazards
Strahler and Strahler :Environmental Geology

Geology M.Sc. Semester-III GEOLOGY EC(P)-3

**Full Marks : 100
Time : 06 Hrs,**

Credit :5

Elective practicals

GEOLOGY EC(P)-3 Group A:Fossil Fuel Geology

**Full Marks : 100
Time : 06 Hrs,**

Credit :5

Megascopic study of varieties of coal

Megascopic study of coal bearing rocks,

Drawing and labeling of parts of Gondwana fossils from different coalfields

Borehole problems and calculation of coal reserves from borehole data

Study of different coal and oilfields of India

Study of crude oil samples from oilfields of India

Estimation of oil reserves

or

GEOLOGY EC(P)-3 Group B: Sedimentology

Full Marks : 100

Time : 06 Hrs,

Credit :5

1. Graphic plot of size data and calculation of statistical parameters.
2. Microscopic study of Clastic rocks
3. Megascopic study of Clastic rocks
4. Mechanical sedimentary structures and their environmental significance

or

GEOLOGY EC(P)-3 Group C : Hydrogeology

Full Marks : 100

Time : 06 Hrs,

Credit :5

- (i) Determination of porosity of aquifer materials.
- (ii) Study of hydrological properties of soil and rocks.
- (iii) Construction of water table and piezometric maps and their interpretations.
- (iv) Interpretation of geological cross section for locating water bearing horizons.
- (v) Flow net analysis .
- (vi) Pumping test for evaluation of aquifer parameters.
- (vii) Construction of lithologs.

or

GEOLOGY EC(P)-3 Group D : Ore Geology

Full Marks : 100

Time : 06 Hrs,

Credit :5

Study of morphological features of ore bodies

Megascopic study of important ores-their texture and structure.

Megascopic study of important industrial, non metallic minerals, precious and semi precious stones.

Estimation of grade of ores.

Study of metallogenic provinces of India

or

Credit :5

1. Analyses of pH and electrical conductivity in Water
2. Preparation of oceanic and atmospheric circulation maps.
3. Preparation of seismic zonation maps of India and World
4. Demarcation of flood prone areas in the outline map of India;
5. Preparation of volcanic hazard zonation map
6. Preparation of oceanic and atmospheric circulation maps

SEMESTER IV

Geology
M.Sc. Semester-IV
GEOLOGY CC-9

Theory**Full Marks – 70****Total Lecturer :70 Hours '****Credit :5 A**

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#Hydrogeology, Engineering Geology, Environmental l Geology, Mining Geology**Unit-1**

Role of groundwater in the hydrological cycle; Controls of geology on groundwater occurrence and distribution; Classification of aquifers and aquifer systems; Darcy's law; Hydraulic conductivity, transmissivity, storage coefficient and specific capacity; Water table contour maps and flow net analysis. Causative factors of groundwater level fluctuations and environmental influences

Unit-2

Chemical characteristics of groundwater in relation to various uses — domestic, industrial and irrigation; Groundwater contamination and problems of arsenic, fluoride and nitrates; Management of groundwater resources: "Artificial recharge to groundwater and rainwater harvesting;; Groundwater exploration; Hydrogeomorphic mapping using various Remote Sensing techniques ;Groundwater provinces of India.

Unit-3

Engineering Properties of rocks. and Soils; Properties and selection of Construction Materials; Landslides and stability of Hill slopes; Geological investigation for Engineering Projects; Geological investigations and criteria for sites selection of Dam sites, Reservoirs /Tunnels and Bridges; Engineering Projects- Case Histories from India.

Unit 4

Components of environment. Carbon dioxide in atmosphere, global warming caused by CO₂ increase in the atmosphere. Impact assessment of degradation and contamination of surface water and ground water quality due to industrialization and mining. Soil Quality degradation due to irrigation, use of fertilizers and pesticides. Introduction to climatic changes, causes of climatic changes, world climate during geological periods. Impact of climate on society. Impact of man on climate.

Unit 5

Mining of surface and underground mineral deposits involving diamond drilling, shaft sinking, drifting, cross-cutting, wining, stoping, room and pillaring, top- slicing, sub-level caving and block caving. Types of drilling methods. Mining Hazards: mine inundation, mine fire and rock burst.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

Arogyaswami, RPN. (1996): Courses in Mining Geology. Oxford and IBH Publ.

- Clark, G.B. (1967): Elements of Mining, (3rd Ed.), John Wiley.
- Dobrin_ M. B.; Savit, C. H. (1988) Introduction to Geophysical Prospecting, McGraw-Hill.
- Keary, P., Brooks, M. and Hill, I. (2002)1 An introduction to geophysical exploration, (3rd Ed.),Blackwell
- Rider, M. H. (1986): Whittles Publishing, Caithness. The Geological Interpretation of Well Logs, (Rev. Ed).
- Robert, D, (1985): Encyclopedia of Well Logging
- TS. Ramakrishna (2006), Geophysical Practice in Mineral Exploration and Mapping GSI,Bangalore '
- D.K. Todd (1995): Groundwater Hydrology, John Wiley and Sons.
- H.M. Raghunath (1990): Groundwater, Wiley Eastern Ltd,
- K. R. Karanth (1989). Hydrogeology, Tata McGraw Hill Publ..
- SN. Davies and R.J.N. De Wiest (1966): Hydrogeology, John Wiley and Sons, New York.
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- Schultz, J.R. and Cleaves, A.B. (1951): Geology in Engineering, John Willey and Sons, New York. -
- Singh, P. (1994): Engineering and General Geology, SK. Kataria and Sons, Delhi.

Geology
M.Sc. Semester-IV

Elective (GE/DC) GEOL [EC-4]
Full Marks – 70

Theory

Total Lecturer :70 Hours

Credit :5

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Select one Elective from the following Elective Groups:

Group A: Fossil Fuel Geology '

Group B: Sedimentology

Group C :Hydrogeology

Group D :Ore Geology

Group E: Environmental Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecturer :70 Hours '

Credit :5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Origin and nature of oil and gas ; Amount, type and maturation of organic matter; Migration of Petroleum;

Unit2

Reservoir rocks - petrology of reservoir rocks, porosity and permeability; Reservoir traps ~ structural, stratigraphic and combination traps.

Unit3

Identification and characterization of petroleum source rocks, Oil and source rock correlation; Palaeodepositional and palaeoenvironmental models with the help of microfossils and Palynology; .

Unit 4

Quantitative evaluation of oil and gas, Geological, Geochemical and Geophysical exploration of Petroleum.

Unit 5

Petroleum basins of India, important oil fields of India; Brief idea about global occurrence of Petroleum; Position of oil and natural gas in India, Future prospects and economic scenario.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

- Barker, C. (1996): Thermal Modeling of Petroleum Generation, Elsevier Science, Netherlands. ,
- Holson, G.D. and Tiratso, E.N. (1985): Introduction of -Petroleum Geology, Gulf Publishing, Houston, Texas. '
- Hunt, J.M. (1996): Petroleum Geochemistry and Geology (2nd Ed.), Freeman, San Francisco.
- Jahn, F ., Cook, M. and Graham, M. (1998): Hydrocarbon exploration and production, Eslevier Science. '
- Makhous, M. (2000): The Formation of Hydrocarbon Deposits in North African Basins, Geological and Geochemical Conditions, Springer~Verlag.
- North, F.K. (1985): Petroleum Geology, Allen Unwin.
- Selley. R.C. (1998): Elements of Petroleum Geology, Academic Press.
- Tissot, B.P. and Welte, D.H. (1984): Petroleum Formation and Occurrence, Springer-Verlag
- R.C.Chapman(1973)Petroleum Geolog,Elsevier Scientific Pub.Co.

Or

Theory**Full Marks – 70****Total Lecturer :70 Hours****Credit :5 '**

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Unit-1

Concept of soil, components of soil, soil profile; Process of soil formation, pedogenic processes, Factors of soil formation;

Unit 2 '

Classification of soil, mineral and chemical composition of soils, mineral stability during weathering; Soil organic matter form and function;

Unit-2

Fabric analysis - size and shape, concepts of size and shape, grade scale, methods of analysis presentation of data, analysis and field grading; Concepts of structure fabric: Soil fabric, soil structure, soil texture and field grading units;

Unit-3

Paleosols - field recognition; description, origin and causes; Paleosol in stratigraphic records; Significance of paleosol study; Paleosols and human evolution.

Unit-4

Calcrete - definition, classification, calcrete formation, pedogenic calcrete soil profile, macro features in calcretes, micromorphology (petrography), calcretes from Quaternary and ancient sedimentary sequences; significance of calcretes; -Laterite - characteristics, genesis, Indian occurrences.

Unit 5

Causes of Soil erosion and degradation, A brief introduction to methods of soil conservation.

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Boul, S.W., Hole, F.D., McCracken, R.J. and South, R.J. (1997): Soil Genesis and classification. 4th Edition,

State University Press.

Braddy, NC. (2002): Nature and Properties of Soils.

Govinda Rajan, S.V. and Gopala Rao, K. H.G. (1979): Studies of Soils of India.

Sposito, Garrison. (1989): The Chemistry of Soils, Oxford Univ. Press.

Terzaghi, K. and Pock, R.G. 1996): Soil Mechanics in Engineering (3rd Ed), John Wiley.

Wright; V. Paul (1992): Paleosols: their recognition and interpretation, Blackwell Scientific Publ.

Wright, V. Paul and Tucker, M.E. (1991): Calcretes. Blackwell Scientific Publ.

or

Elective (GE/DC)

GEOLOGY [EC-4] Group C :Hydrogeology

Theory**Full Marks – 70****Total Lecturer :70 Hours****Credit :5 '**

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Unit 1

Watershed- concept, classification; Components of watershed; rainfall, temperature, topography, nature of soil and depth, lithology and geological structures, drainage pattern, land use pattern Valley to basin concept in water management

Unit 2

Natural and artificial recharge of groundwater, Rain water harvesting techniques for rural and urban areas; Physical structures for water resource management in Rural areas; Use of Remote sensing and GIS in Watershed Management ;

Unit 3

Water management physical structures and their characteristics such as Ridge area treatment, gully plug, contour bunding, check dams, gabion structure, percolation tanks etc. Traditional methods for water resource management in India;

Unit 4

Basic components of Watershed Guidelines of India, Participatory approach for programme implementation of watershed. Water management and Panchayati Raj Acts;

Unit 5

Legislations related to water resources: Basic Constitutional provisions, Water Pollution Acts, National Water Policy

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Isobel W. Heathcote(2009) Integrated Watershed Management: Principles and Practice Wiley

J V S Murty(2008) Watershed Management New Age Int.

K. R. Karanth (1989): Hydrogeology, Tata McGraw Hill Publ.

Watershed Guidelines: Govt.. of India

Rao, K. L., India's water wealth

C.G.W.B . Publications

Constitution of India

Jharkhand Panchayati Raj Act.

or

Elective (GE/DC) [EC-4] Group D :Ore Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecturer :70 Hours

Credit :5

The paper contains 8 questions in which question 1 will be objective type consisting of 10 questions of one mark each is compulsory. Out of remaining seven questions of 15 marks each, 4 are to be answered.

Elective (GE/DC) [EC-3] Group D :Ore Geology

Unit 1

Geological prospecting of minerals. Different types of geophysical methods for

exploration-gravity, magnetic, electrical, seismic. Geochemical exploration-nature of sample anomaly, strength of anomaly and controlling factors.

Unit 2

Ore dressing and its importance, low grade ores and their beneficiation; Mineral properties and their consideration in ore dressing techniques.
Basic ore dressing operations viz. crushing, grinding, sizing, screening and classification; Concentration processes; Magnetic and electrostatic separation, gravity concentration; Froth Floatation, amalgamation and agglomeration.

Unit-3

Introduction to ore microscopy, techniques, methods, textures and microstructures of ores, interpretation of ore texture and optical properties of common sulphide, oxide ore minerals; Industrial application of ore microscopy; Ore microscopy and its contribution to ore dressing techniques;

Unit-4

Surface and underground mining methods factors in selection of open cast and underground mining methods, room and pillar method, longwall method. Environmental aspect of mining activities.

Unit 5

Mineralogy and geochemistry of radioactive minerals. Radioactive methods for prospecting of mineral deposits. Occurrence and distribution of radioactive minerals in India. Radioactive methods in petroleum exploration-well logging techniques.

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Edwards, R. and Atkinson, K. (1986) Ore Deposit Geology. Chapman and Hall, London. Craig, J.M. and Vaughan, D.J. (1981) Ore Petrography and Mineralogy. John Wiley.

Evans, A.M. (2012) Ore Geology and Industrial Minerals. Third Edition (Reprint), Blackwell Publishing.

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Sawkins, F. J. (1984) Metal Deposits in relation to Plate Tectonics. Springer Verlag.

Stanton, R.L. (1972) Ore Petrology. McGraw Hill.

Torling, D.H. (1981) Economic Geology and Geotectonics. Blackwell Sci. Publ.

Barnes, H.L. (1979) Geochemistry of Hydrothermal Ore Deposits. John Wiley.

Klemm, D.D. and Schneider, H.J. (1977) Time and Strata Bound Ore Deposits. Springer Verlag.

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Arogyaswamy, R.N.P. (1995) Courses in Mining Geology. Oxford and IBH Publishing Co.

New Delhi. Thomas, L.J. (1978) An Introduction to Mining. Methuen, Brisbane.

Clark, G.B. (1967) Elements of Mining. Asia Publishing House.

Sinha, R.K. & Sharma, N.L. (1993) An Introduction to Mineral Economics, Wiley Eastern

Chatterjee, K.K. (1993) An Introduction to Mineral Economics, Wiley Eastern.

or

Elective (GEI DC)

GEOOGL[EC-4] Group E: Environmental Geology

Theory

Full Marks – 70

Total Lecturer :70 Hours

Credit :5

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Unit 1

Natural Hazards: Its causes, prediction and forecasting, control measures and its proper management. Problems of urbanization, human population and their impact on environment

Unit 2

Distribution, magnitude and intensity of earthquakes; Seismic hazard zones; Neotectonics in seismic hazard assessment; volcanic hazards, their causes and control.

Unit 3

Landslide, soil creeping, mass movements; Coastal erosion, coastal inundations, cyclones, Tsunamis its causes and control.

Unit 4

Floods, causes of floods, flood hazard, management of floods; Water logging, problems of water logging due to indiscrete construction of canals, reservoirs, dams; water logging problem in India

Unit 5

Hazards related with mining activities in India; Pollution in the mining areas and mitigation measures Land degradation in mining areas; Stabilisation of overburden in open cast mining areas; Management of underground mining areas.

SUGGESTED BOOKS

Bell, F.G. (1999): Geological Hazards, Routledge, London.

Bryant, E. (1985): Natural Hazards, Cambridge Univ. Press.

Keller, EA. (1978) Environmental Geology

Valdiya, K.S. (1987) Environmental Geology- Indian Context

Patwardhan, A.M. (1999) The Dynamic Earth System

Smith, K. (1992) Environmental Hazards

Subramaniam, V. (2001) Textbook in Environmental Hazards

Geology
M.Sc. Semester-IV
GEOL :EC(P)-5

Full Marks: 100

Time : 06 Hrs

Credit :5

Elective Practicals

GEOLOGY :EC(P)-5

Group A:Fossil Fuel Geology

Proximate analysis of coal

Preparation of palynomorphs slide

Identification of different palynomorphs

Preparation of polished particulate mounts of coal (coal pellets)

Microscopic examination of coal pellets

Microscopic study of Heavy minerals

Megascopic study of cores and their logging

Structural problems related to the coal seams.

Study of Geological Maps and Sections of important oil fields of India

or

GEOLOGY:EC(P)-5 Group B:Sedimentology

1. Paleocurrent analysis ‘
2. Study of vertical profile sections of selected sedimentary environments;
3. Study of Heavy Minerals .
4. Graphic representation of Trace Element data and Heavy Minerals
5. Study of Chemical and Biogenic Sedimentary structures and their sedimentological significance
6. Recognition of marine fossil groups in assorted assemblage and identification of their classes
- 7 Petrographic study of Limestones

or

GEOLOGY: EC(P)-5 Group :Hydrogeology

- 1.Determination of temperature, pH,,T.D.S., conductivity ,TSS, alkalinity, dissolved oxygen, hardness etc.
2. Determination of Na and K
- 3.Construction of isochemical maps. .
- 4.Graphical representation of hydrochemical data on Piper Trilinear diagram.
5. Plotting and interpretation of resistivity data.
- 6.Delineation of watershed on topographical and satellite imageries.

or

GEOLOGY: EC(P)-5 Group D :Ore Geology

Preparation of polished sections.

Mineralogical studies of common Ore Minerals under microscope and establishment of paragenetic sequence

Flowchart analysis of ore beneficiation techniques.

Ore petrographic study of ore minerals and establishment of paragenetic sequence.

Exercises on ore reserve calculation.

or

GEOLOGY: EC(P)-5 Group E: Environmental Geology

1. Analyses of alkalinity, acidity etc in water samples. I
2. Presentation of natural hazards map '
3. Plotting of temperature variations.
4. Measurement of Noise level
5. Demarcation of landslide prone areas .

Geology M.Sc. Semester-IV Project

**Full Marks: 100
Time : 06 Hrs**

Credit :5

The paper will consist of

- (a) Field work/Lab work related to the project.
- (b) Preparation of dissertation based on the work undertaken.
- (c) Presentation of project work in the seminar on the assigned topic in the University Department of Geology, Kolhan University, Chaibasa & viva there on.

NB:- The students will select topics for the project work in consultation with a teacher of the department.

Topics

Project work will be related to the Elective Paper.

Each student has to submit two copies of the dissertation work duly forwarded by the Supervisor and Head of Department concerned. The forwarded copies will be submitted in the University Department of Geology, Kolhan University for evaluation.