

Crystallography & Optical Mineralogy (234 G)

Answer the following quations: (50 marks)

1-Indicate by the sign (✓) or (×) :

- 1-All system contain pinacoid ()
- 2-Rhombohedron present in hexagonal ()
- 3-Tetragonal system contain 6 planes and one four axis ()
- 4-Monoclinic system contains two planes ()
- 5 Pyramid is closed form ()
- 6-Prism is open form ()
- 7-Scalenohedron is closed form ()
- 8-Cube is closed form ()
- 9-A dome is parallel to a axis ()
- 10-Pidon has one face ()

2-CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER OF THE FOLLOWING

- 11-Prism form is: a-open b-closed c-both
- 12-First order prism has miller index: a-110 b-100 c-hko
- 13-Ditetragonal prism has miller index: a-110 b-100 c-hko
- 14-Bipyramid is: a-open b-closed c-compound
- 15-Ditetragonalbipyramid has: a-12 faces b-8 faces c-16 faces
- 16-Trapezohedron is: a-closed form b-open form c-both
- 17-Scalenohedron is: a-closed form b-open form c-both
- 18-Second order prism has miller index: a-110 b-100 c-hko
- 19-Ditetragonal prism has miller index: a-110 b-100 c-hko
- 20-Pyramid is: a-open b-closed c-compound
- 21-Tetragonal bipyramid has: a-12 faces b-8 faces c-6 faces
- 22-First order prism has: a-4 faces b-8 faces c-6 faces
- 23-Miller Index of b dome (0kl) (h0l) (110)
- 24-Miller Index of prism in monoclinic system a-hko b-100 c-110
- 25-Miller Index of pinacoid basal in trigonal system a- (010) b-(0001) c- (001)

Optical Mineralogy

3-Choose the correct answer of the following

- 26-Isotropic mineral have
 - a-Two optic axis directions
 - b-One optic axis direction
 - c-no optic axis direction
- 27-Biaxial minerals have
 - a-Two optic axis directions
 - b-One optic axis direction
 - c-no optic axis direction
- 28-Uniaxial minerals have
 - a-Two optic axis directions
 - b-One optic axis direction

c-no optic axis direction

29-The most characteristic mineral twins are

a-feldspar b-biotite c-muscovite d-all of these

30-Cross-hatching occur in

a-hornblende b-plagioclase c-microcline d-all of these

31-A simple twin occur in

a-hornblende b-plagioclase c-orthoclase d-all of these

32-Polysynthetic or albite twins occur in

a-olivine b-plagioclase c-orthoclase d-all of these

33-Parting occur in

a-olivine b-plagioclase c-orthoclase d-all of these

34-Mineral have brown colour is

a-hornblende b-tourmaline c-chlorite d-all of these

35-Mineral show colourless is

a-quartz c-tourmaline c-biotite d-all of these

36-Mineral have green colour is

a-hornblende b-biotite c-muscovite d-all of these

37-Mineral have yellow colour is

a-staurolite b-albite c-orthoclase d-all of these

38-Mineral have brown colour is

a-hornblende b-biotite c-chlorite d-all of these

39-Mineral show colourless is

a-muscovite c-tourmaline c-biotite d-all of these

40-Mineral show colourless is

a-feldspar c-chlorite c-actinolite d-all of these

41-Mineral show diplochromic colour is

a-tourmaline c-olivine c-quartz d-all of these

42-Mineral show tripleochroic colour is

a-feldspar c-zircon c-hornblende d-all of these

43-Mineral show isotropic is

a-halite b-biotite c-zircon d-all of these

44 Mineral show isotropic is

a-fluorite b-muscovite c-feldspar d-all of these

45-Mineral show isotropic is

a-garnet b-augite c-hypersthene d-all of these

46-Mineral show isotropic is

a-pyrite b-augite c-hypersthene d-all of these

47-The most common cause of alteration is by

a-water b-pressure c-temperature d-all of these

48-The most common cause of alteration is by

a-weathering b-pressure c-all of these d-CO₂

49-Crystal form of the grains is

a-anhedra b-subhedral c-euhedral d-all of these

50-Inclusions may be

a-gaseous b-liquid c-solid d-all of these

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Second Semester Final Examination

Geology Students, 2nd Level

(Vertebrate Paleontology and Origin of Species)

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Part 1: Vertebrate Paleontology (25 degree)

Answer the following questions.

Q1: Write the scientific term in the front of following sentence (5 marks; 1 mark each)

1. A cartilaginous flexible rod supporting the body of chordates which is located between the digestive tube and the nerve cord.
2. microscopic organisms, tooth-like in shape, and considered as remains of a group of primitive chordates.
3. A group of jawless fishes which possesses fusi-form head armor and a fan-shaped tail.
4. A group of reptiles which is usually termed mammal-like reptiles.
5. The process in which vertebrate development the head with brain and sense-organs.

Q2: Answer the following questions (15 marks)

A. Write on the following (5 marks)

1. Interment stage in Taphonomy.
2. Characteristics of the most primitive jawed fish Placoderms.

B. Explain the following statements (5 marks)

1. The transition of amphibians from water to land was not an easy task, Explain.
2. Causes of dinosaur's extinction.

C. Write on the origin of the following vertebrates (5 marks).

1. Birds
2. Tetrapod

Q3: State whether the following statements are correct or wrong (5 marks, 1 mark each)

1. *Tiktaalik* had well developed digits and so could grasp or throw something.
2. Labyrinthodontia considered to be the bridge to the reptiles.
3. The Paleocene Epoch witnessed the first appearance of large, heavy-bodied, flightless predators
4. The Devonian Osteostracans were among the most advanced of all known agnathans.
5. The earliest reptiles were large feeding on grubs and insects.

continue.....

Part II: Origin of Species (25 degrees)

Answer the following questions

1- Write briefly on **TWO only** of the following: (10 marks; 5 marks each)

- A- Evidence of species evolution.
- B- Differentiate between the Shannon-Wiener index and Simpson index.
- C- Prezygotic reproductive isolation.

2- Define **FIVE Only** of the following: (10 marks; 2 marks each)

- A- Microevolution, B- Genetic drift, C- Specie richness, D- Hybrid sterility,
- E- Prokaryotes, F- Natural selection, G- Ecological species concept.

3- State whether the following statements are correct or wrong and correct the wrong one: (5 marks; 1 mark each)

- A- Species richness (S) is very sensitive to sample size.
- B- Similarities among embryos of different vertebrates point to a common ancestor.
- C- Dominance indices are heavily weighted towards the commonest species, but it can be used to indicate species diversity.
- D- Ecological isolation means that two species live in different habitats have a good chance of interaction.
- E- Homologous structures represent a strong evidence of a common ancestor.

----- *End of Exam* -----

Good Luck

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First: Choose the Correct answer:-

Total Points=50

1. Silicate Structure in which two tetrahedral sharing 2 oxygen atoms is called: (1.5 points)

- a. Nesosilicate. b. Sorosilicate. c. Cyclosilicate. d. Single chain Silicate.
e. Double chain Silicate f. Sheet Silicate g. 3-D framework silicate

2. Which of the following statements are correct for amphibole silicates? (1.5 points)

- a. The basic unit cell is $(\text{SiO}_3)^{2-}$.
b. There are two types of tetrahedra: one sharing 3 oxygen atoms and other sharing 2 oxygen atoms.
c. There are only one type of tetrahedra.
d. The basic unit cell is $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_6)^{4-}$.

3. The general formula of silicate ion present in cyclosilicates is: (1.5 points)

- a. $(\text{SiO}_4)^{4-}$ b. $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_5)^{2-}$ c. $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_7)^{6-}$ d. $(\text{Si}_n\text{O}_{3n})^{2n-}$ e. $(\text{SiO}_3)^{2-}$

4. Garnet, Zircon and sphene are mineral belong to : (1.5 points)

- a. Nesosilicates b. Inosilicates. c. Phyllosilicates d. Ring Silicates.

5. The formula of silicate ion presents in phyllosilicate is: (1.5 points)

- a. $(\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{18})^{12-}$ b. $(\text{Si}_3\text{O}_9)^{2-}$ c. $(\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{10})^{4-}$ d. $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_7)^{6-}$ e. (SiO_2)

6. Feldspars, muscovite and phlogopite: (1.5 points)

- a. All are three – dimensional silicates.
b. Feldspars are three dimensional, while muscovite and phlogopite are inosilicates.
c. Feldspars are not three dimensional, while muscovite and phlogopite are layered silicates.
d. All are layered silicates.
e. Feldspars are three dimensional, while muscovite and phlogopite are layered silicates.

7. Match minerals in Group I with the corresponding silicate structure in Group II. (1.5 points)

Group I

Group II

- i. Anthophyllite and actinolite. P. Nesosilicate.
ii. Epidote and Zoisite. Q. Sorosilicate.
iii. Kyanite. R. Double chain Silicate.

8. Al^{3+} fits both in 4-fold and 6-fold coordination while Fe^{2+} and Mg^{2+} have sizes approximately for either 8-fold or 12-fold coordination. (1.5 points)

- a. False b. True.

9. β -quartz is characterized by low - temperature and low symmetry while α -quartz high temperature and high symmetry. (1.5 points)

a. False

b. True.

10. Double chain and sheet silicates group minerals are anhydrous minerals. (1.5 points)

a. False

b. True.

11. Pure forsterite (Mg_2SiO_4) melts at 1890°C , while pure fayalite (Fe_2SiO_4) melts at 205°C . (1.5 points)

a. False

b. True

Second: Fill the Spaces with Scientific terms:-

12. Which minerals are found in the earth's mantle? (1.5 points)

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13. Which mineral of the silica group are found only in extremely high pressure? The minerals are (1.5 points)

14. Define the isomorphism and give example of isomorphous minerals (1.5 points)

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15. The Silicate Structure named as Crankshaft-like chain is characteristic to group minerals. (1.5 points)

16. What is the difference between the structure of antigorite and chrysotile? (1.5 points)

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17. Pyroxene and amphibole are classified as ortho - or clino pyroxene / amphibole according to the identity of structural site in pyroxene and structural site in amphibole. (1.5 points)

18. What is the difference between the structure of pyroxene and the structure of pyroxenoid. (1.5 points)

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19. What is the least stable mineral of weathering and the more stable mineral of weathering..... (1.5 points)

20. Polysynthetic twinning characterize mineral while carlsbad twinning characterize mineral. (1.5 points)

Q: Write brief account on the following:

25. What is the structure of Muscovite and write the steps for its Formation?

(5 points)

26. What is the structure of Talc and write the steps for its Formation?

(5 points)

27. How TOT I-beam structure of pyroxene is formed?
Answer with drawing.

(5 points)

28. Bowen's reaction series

(5 points)

Choose the correct answer:

1. is the most enriched mineral in Si.
(a) Olivine (b) Hornblende (c) Quartz
2. Zircon and topaz minerals belong togroup.
(a) ortho silicates (b) ring silicates (c) sheet silicates
3. The ratio of Si:O in double chain silicates is.....
(a) 4:11 (b) 1:4 (c) 1:2
4.mineral is a member of the olivine group.
(a) Augite (b) Diopside (c) Forsterite
5. are characterized by high relief.
(a) Hypersthene & quartz (b) Biotite & microcline (c) Olivine & garnet
6. minerals show low relief and low interference colors.
(a) Feldspars (b) Amphiboles (c) Pyroxenes
7. The amphibole mineral which crystallizes in orthorhombic system is
(a) anthophyllite (b) tremolite (c) actinolite
8. Orthopyroxenes show extinction.
(a) parallel (b) oblique (c) symmetrical
9. Barite and galena are characterized by.....
(a) transparency (b) luster (c) very high specific gravity
10. Augite is found in igneous rocks such as
(a) gabbro (b) granite (c) trachyte
11.are single chain silicate minerals.
(a) Pyroxenes (b) Amphiboles (c) Micas
12. Framework silicates are characterized by Si:O ratio
(a) 1:4 (b) 1:2 (c) 2:5
13. are polymorphs of SiO₂.
(a) Quartz & tridymite (b) Muscovite & quartz (c) Cristobalite & diopside
14.is the principal mineral of amphibolites.
(a) Olivine (b) Hornblende (c) Magnesite
15. The structure of mica minerals is..... of silicate tetrahedra.
(a) individuals (b) three-dimensional framework (c) parallel sheets
16.shows strong pleochroism.
(a) Garnet (b) Muscovite (c) Biotite
17. Beryl that has bluish green color is named
(a) emerald (b) aquamarine (c) pegmatite
18. mineral crystallizes in cubic system and is isotropic.
(a) Garnet (b) Plagioclase (c) Cassiterite
19.is easily recognized by its strongly magnetic character.
(a) hematite (b) ilmenite (c) magnetite
20. Platinum metals occur associated with.....intrusions.
(a) ultramafic (b) acidic (c) intermediate
21. The mafic minerals are rich in.....
(a) Al & Si (b) Na & K (c) Mg & Fe
22.is distinguished by its cubic cleavage and salty taste.
(a) Fluorite (b) Halite (c) Gypsum
23. Carbonate minerals group include
(a) calcite & dolomite (b) magnesite & siderite (c) a & b
24. Calcite is the main constituent of
(a) sandstone (b) limestone (c) gneiss

25. Cassiterite is the most important ore of
 (a) Sn (b) Na (c) Ti
26. Miller indices are (0kL) forform.
 (a) a-dome (b) basal pinacoid (c) tetragonal prism
27. Miller indices for orthorhombic prism are.....
 (a) 010 (b) hk0 (c) hkL
28. The horizontal axes (a, b) are.....symmetry axes in the tetragonal system.
 (a) 3-fold (b) 4-fold (c) 2-fold
29. b-dome form has Miller indices
 (a) h0L (b) 0kL (c) hhL
30. Cube form is composed of square faces.
 (a) 8 (b) 6 (c) 12
31. There are 6 (2-fold) symmetry axes insystems.
 (a) orthorhombic & trigonal (b) cubic & hexagonal (c) tetragonal & monoclinic
32. Octahedron form has Miller indices.....
 (a) 111 (b) hk0 (c) 110
33. Front pinacoid exists insystem.
 (a) hexagonal (b) tetragonal (c) orthorhombic
34. The three axes (a, b, c) are symmetry axes in cubic system.
 (a) 4-fold (b) 3-fold (c) 2-fold
35. are Miller indices for the general form of hexagonal system.
 (a) h0h \bar{L} (b) hki \bar{L} (c) hh2h \bar{L}
36. The side pinacoid has Miller indices
 (a) 010 (b) 100 (c) hh0
37. The vertical c-axis is 6-fold symmetry axis insystem
 (a) hexagonal (b) orthorhombic (c) cubic
38. Miller indices for tetragonal prism second order form are.....
 (a) 110 (b) 010 (c) 100
39. The crystallographic axes in cubic system are.....
 (a) $a = b \neq c$ (b) $a \neq b \neq c$ (c) $a = b = c$
40. The axes (a_1, a_2, a_3) have the same length insystem.
 (a) orthorhombic (b) hexagonal (c) tetragonal
41. Theis the general form in orthorhombic system.
 (a) Pinacoid (b) Dome (c) Bi-pyramid
42.are closed crystal forms.
 (a) Front pinacoid & prism (b) Cube & octahedron (c) dome & side pinacoid
43. Basal pinacoid has Miller indices (001) in these crystal systems except.....
 (a) hexagonal (b) tetragonal (c) orthorhombic
44.are Miller indices for tetragonal bi-pyramid first order.
 (a) hhL (b) h0L (c) h00
45. The crystal form has Miller indices (h0h $\bar{0}$) is.....
 (a) hexagonal prism second order (b) hexagonal prism first order (c) di-hexagonal prism
46. In trigonal systemform has Miller indices (h0h \bar{L}).
 (a) rhombohedron (b) di-trigonal scalenohedron (c) basal pinacoid
47. The three axes (a, b, c) are 2-fold symmetry axes insystem.
 (a) monoclinic (b) cubic (c) orthorhombic
48. The hemi-bipyramid form is composed of
 (a) 4 faces (b) 6 faces (c) 8 faces
49. There are one 2-fold symmetry axis and one vertical symmetry plane in system.
 (a) triclinic (b) monoclinic (c) trigonal
50. In cubic systemform has Miller indices (110).
 (a) tetra-hexahedron (b) rhombic dodecahedron (c) tris-octahedron

Good Luck

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Answer the following quations (50 marks)

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- 4-Monoclinic system contains two planes ()
- 5 Pyramid is closed form ()
- 6-Prism is open form ()
- 7-Scalenohedron is closed form ()
- 8-Cube is closed form ()
- 9-A dome is parallel to a axis ()
- 10-Pidon has one face ()
- 11-All system contains prism form ()
- 12-All system contains bipyramid form ()
- 13-All system contains cube form ()
- 14-All system contains planes ()
- 15-All system contains octahedron form ()
- 16-All system contains pidon form ()
- 17-All system contains a-dome form ()
- 18-All system contains b-dome form ()
- 19-All system contains di-prism form ()
- 20-All system contains pyramid form ()
- 21-All system contains center ()
- 22-Tetragonal system contains one fourfold ()
- 23-Tetragonal system contains four twofold ()
- 24-Tetragonal system contains five planes ()
- 25-Hexagonal system contains one sixfold ()
- 26-Hexagonal system contains six twofold ()
- 27-Hexagonal system contains seven planes ()
- 28-Orthorhombic system contains three twofold ()
- 29-Orthorhombic system contains three planes ()
- 30-Trigonal system contains three planes ()

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER OF THE FOLLOWING

31-Prism form is:

a-open b-closed c-both

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33-Ditetragonal prism has miller index:

a-110 b-100 c-hko

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35-Ditetragonal bipyramid has:

a-12 faces b-8 faces c-16 faces

36-First order prism in tetragonal system has:

a-4 faces b-8 faces c-6 faces

37-Miller Index of b dome in monoclinic system

a-110 b-100 c- h0l

38-Ditetragonal prism has:

a-4 faces b-8 faces c-6 faces

39-Second order prism has miller index:

a-110 b-100 c-hko

40-Ditetragonal prism is:

a-open b-closed c-both

41-Prism form in trigonal system is:

a-4 faces b-3 faces c-6 faces

42-Octahedron has miller index:

a-111 b-100 c-hko

43-Miller Index of prism in monoclinic system:

a-110 b-100 c-hko

44-Octahedron is:

a-open b-closed c-compound

45-Cube has:

a-12 faces b-8 faces c-6 faces

46-Trapezohedron is:

a-open b-closed c-both

47-Scalenohedron is:

a-open b-closed c-both

48-Rhombohedral form have:

a-3 faces b-6 faces c-8 faces

49-Cubic has miller index:

a-111 b-100 c-hko

50-Mineral crystal in octahedron form is

a-fluorite b-pyrite c-all of the above



Second Semester, Second Level Final Examination

Time: 2 hours	Total marks: 50	Fundamentals of Geophysics (G250)	May, 2024
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Choose the correct answer:

- 1) The physical property of rocks that is most commonly utilized in electrical resistivity method is:
 - a) Density
 - b) Magnetic susceptibility
 - c) Elasticity
 - d) Electrical resistivity or conductivity
- 2) The physical property of rocks that is most commonly utilized in seismic method is:
 - a) Acoustic velocity
 - b) Density
 - c) Magnetic susceptibility
 - d) Electrical resistivity or conductivity
- 3) The electrical conduction occurred by the slightly displacement of electrons to their nuclei is called:
 - a) electronic conduction
 - b) electrolytic conduction
 - c) dielectric conduction
 - d) atomic conduction
- 4) The electrical conduction occurred by the free electrons in metallic minerals is called:
 - a) electronic conduction
 - b) electrolytic conduction
 - c) dielectric conduction
 - d) atomic conduction
- 5) The SI unit of electrical resistivity is:
 - a) Ohm
 - b) m/sec
 - c) ohm.m
 - d) siemens/m
- 6) Which of the followings control the resistivity of clay free and saturated rocks in Archie's law:
 - a) pore fluid saturation
 - b) resistivity of pore fluid
 - c) pore water resistivity
 - d) all the above
- 7) Which of the following control the electrical resistivity of earth materials:
 - a) magnetic susceptibility
 - b) water content
 - c) porosity
 - d) b and c
- 8) The presence of clay minerals tends to decrease the resistivity because clay minerals:
 - a) can combine with water
 - b) can absorb cations in an exchangeable state on the surface
 - c) tend to ionize and contribute to the supply of free ions
 - d) all the above
- 9) True resistivity can be obtained when the subsurface is:
 - a) isotropic and homogeneous
 - b) anisotropic and homogeneous
 - c) isotropic and inhomogeneous
 - d) anisotropic and inhomogeneous
- 10) The most common electrode arrays are:
 - a) Wenner array
 - b) Sato and Money Array
 - c) Archie's array
 - d) all the above
- 11) Choosing the best electrode array for resistivity survey depends on:
 - a) type of structure to be mapped
 - b) sensitivity of the resistivity meter
 - c) background noise level
 - d) all the above
- 12) Which of the following techniques are used for electrical resistivity field survey:
 - a) Sounding
 - b) leap frog
 - c) common midpoint
 - d) a and c

13) Quantitative interpretation of resistivity sounding data can provide information about:

- a) density of electrical resistivity layers
- b) velocity of electrical resistivity layers
- c) depth to electrical resistivity layers
- d) none the above

14) which of the followings are disadvantages of resistivity method:

- a) the electrode must be in a good contact with soil
- b) culture problems causing interference
- c) highly conductive or resistive surface layer
- d) all the above

15) Subsurface cavities filled with air will show:

- a) resistive response
- b) conductive response
- c) no response
- d) all the above

16) Areas of seepage in dam investigations will show:

- a) resistive response
- b) conductive response
- c) no response
- d) all the above

17) Self-potentials are generated by a number of natural sources such as:

- a) presence of metallic minerals
- b) fluid streaming
- c) electrochemical reactions
- d) all the above

18) Self-potential method is best suited for the exploration of:

- a) velocity of seismic layers
- b) massive ore deposits
- c) electrical resistivity of layers
- d) all the above

19) The presence of sulfide ore deposits can result in:

- a) Low positive SP anomaly
- b) high negative SP anomaly
- c) high positive SP anomaly
- d) Low negative SP anomaly

20) Electrokinetic potential may result from the gradient in:

- a) Pressure
- b) temperature
- c) ion concentration
- d) none the above

21) Electrochemical potential is also called:

- a) liquid-junction potential
- b) Bioelectric potential
- c) streaming potential
- d) a and b

22) To make Self-Potential measurements we need:

- a) High impedance voltmeter
- b) electric wires
- c) non-polarizable electrodes
- d) all the above

23) The non-polarizable electrode is consisting of:

- a) porous pot
- b) metallic electrode
- c) super saturated solution of the same electrode
- d) all the above

24) One of the electrode configurations for self-potential survey is:

- a) Wenner
- b) dipole-dipole
- c) leap-frog
- d) none the above

25) SP anomalies are often interpreted qualitatively by:

- a) Profile shape
- b) Amplitude
- c) number of layers
- d) a and b

26) The normal gravity acceleration at the surface of the earth equals to:

- a) 9.8 m/s^2
- b) 980 Gal
- c) 9800 g.u.
- d) all the above

27) The variation in gravity acceleration from the pole to the equator equals to:

- a) 10%
- b) 5%
- c) 1%
- d) 0.5 %

- 28) The most factor controlling the density of sedimentary rocks is:
a) Compaction b) age c) depth of burial d) porosity and fluid content
- 29) The typical station spacing for near surface targets (e.g., archaeology) in gravity survey is:
a) 1000's of m b) few meters c) 100's of m d) 10's of m
- 30) The correction of gravity data due to elevation only is called:
a) drift correction b) free air correction c) latitude correction d) bouguer correction
- 31) The correction of gravity data due to the variation in density of earth materials is called:
a) drift correction b) free air correction c) latitude correction d) bouguer correction
- 32) The correction of gravity data due to environmental changes or tidal effect is called:
a) drift correction b) free air correction c) latitude correction d) bouguer correction
- 33) The following formula $g_{\lambda} = 978031.8 (1 + 0.0053024 \sin^2 \lambda - 0.0000059 \sin^2 2\lambda) \text{ mGal}$ is known as:
a) IGPF b) IGF c) IGRF d) IGKF
- 34) The Eötvös correction is huge and may reach:
a) ~2.5 mGal per km/h b) ~5 mGal per km/h c) ~15 mGal per km/h d) none the above
- 35) Rock density can be determined by:
a) borehole gravity measurements b) Nettleton's method c) Nafe-Drake curves d) all the above
- 36) The parameters which affect the elapse time of transmission of a pulse from its source to the detector are:
a) Propagation velocity of the seismic wave
b) electrical resistivity of the subsurface
c) Geometry of the propagation path
d) a and c
- 37) Bulk modulus is defined as:
a) shear stress over shear strain
b) volume stress over volume strain
c) shear stress over volume strain
d) volume stress over shear strain
- 38) Which of the following can support shear forces:
a) Gases b) liquids c) solids d) a and b
- 39) Primary seismic waves can travel through:
a) Gases b) liquids c) solids d) all the above
- 40) The primary seismic waves are:
a) slower than secondary seismic waves
b) faster than secondary seismic waves
c) equal in speed to the secondary seismic waves
d) none the above
- 41) which of the following considers surface waves:
a) Primary waves b) Love waves c) Secondary waves d) none the above
- 42) The following characterize the surface waves:
a) travel along the outer part of the Earth b) have complex motions
c) causes greatest destruction d) all the above

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Q1: Shade (T) for True statements or (F) for False statements (30 marks; 1mark each)

- 1-Lithostratigraphic units that are not yet fully described are referred to as "informal".
- 2- Remains of fossil animals and plants can be applied in magnetic stratigraphy.
- 3- The Paleozoic Era reflects the major changes of life forms on the Earth.
- 4- Allostratigraphic units are defined on the basis of its physical and biological content.
- 5- Environmental changes play the significant role in speciation.
- 6- Biostratigraphic zones are bodies of rocks containing the maximum abundance a mineral.
- 7- Stratigraphic sequences can be correlated to each other.
- 8- Extinction events across geologic ages may vary in magnitude.
- 9- Sharp contacts between rock units result from abrupt lithological changes.
- 10- The law of faunal succession has a great importance in determining the absolute ages of rocks.
- 11- Stratigraphy deals with all rock types that possess laminated nature.
- 12- The "Stage" is the basic chronostratigraphic unit.
- 13- Sets of magnetic polarity reversals in sedimentary sequences can be correlated between sections worldwide.
- 14- Sea currents are important agents in dispersing marine organisms.
- 15- The "Taxon Range Zone" is defined on the basis of evolutionary changes.
- 16- The geological time scale is a system of chronologic measurement that relates stratigraphy to time.
- 17- Bracketing relationships are used to estimate absolute rock ages.
- 18- Lithostratigraphy deals with spatial arrangement of rock units and is independent of time.
- 19- A given "Formation" may consist of one or more types of lithology.
- 20- Each formal lithostratigraphic unit should have a clear and precise definition including a designated stratotype and a type locality.
- 21- Sea level changes are all of eustatic nature.
- 22- Biostratigraphy deals with lithological correlations of rock bodies.
- 23- Major stage boundaries are defined on the basis of local events.
- 24- Original horizontality is a principle that conforms to strata even if they are now being inclined.
- 25- Radioactive carbon isotopes can be used in absolute age dating.
- 26- Species that overlap through space and time can be used in seismic stratigraphy.
- 27- Rock units which are made up of soils are termed "pedostratigraphic units".
- 28- Unconformities are important structural evidences of superposition.
- 29- Among criteria and evidences of superposition are the fossils.

A marker bed represents an instant of geologic time where thin and distinctive sediment is found.

Q2: Shade the correct answer; A, B, C or D (20 marks; 1 mark each)

- 31- The principle of "uniformitarianism and catastrophism" can explain past geologic events of a region except of
- A- faunal successions B- appearance/disappearance of species
C- mass extinctions D- appearance of new species
- 32- In chemostratigraphy we can use
- A- magnetic properties of rock bodies
B- physical properties of rocks
C- primary structures and rock fabrics
D- stable carbon isotopes
- 33- Gaps between rock units develop due to
- A- abrupt change in lithology B- gradual change in lithology
C- fining upward sediments D- erosion and/or non-deposition
- 34- Which one of the following is not used in rock correlation?
- A- physical similarity B- time equivalency
C- fauna/flora succession D- rock textures
- 35- If sedimentary facies are seen overlapping, this can be due to
- A- truncation B- weathering C- sea level fluctuation D- erosion
- 36- To understand the processes which acted in the past the rule of must be considered.
- A- inclusions B- faunal succession
C- strata continuity D- uniformitarianism and catastrophism
- 37- Age assessment of a layer, or group of layers, as "Lower Triassic" means that the layer(s) corresponds to
- A- earliest Triassic B- earliest Late Triassic
C- lowest Triassic D- Early Triassic
- 38- In case the stratotype of a given rock unit is no longer expresses the full unit characteristics, geologists should seek for a
- A- Holostratotype B- Parastratotype C- Neostratotype D- Lectostratotype
- 39- Which one of the following is not a stratigraphic issue?
- A- The study of temporal rock relationships
B- The study of spatial distribution of rocks
C- The study of physical and mineralogical properties of rocks
D- The correlation of rocks
- 40- The following do not conform to the law of superposition except of?
- A- A marker bed found on both valley sides B- Sediments cutted by dykes
C- Interbedded sediments D- Intertonguing sediments
- 41- Lithostratigraphic units can be distinguished by their.....
- A- physical characteristics B- chemical composition
C- fossil content D- structural relationships
- 42- Stratigraphic units that are bounded by unconformities have been incorporated recently in the stratigraphic work, they are named units.
- A- magnetostratigraphic B- cyclostratigraphic

- C- pedostratigraphic D- allostratigraphic
- 43- The unconformity type where unconformable layers show no visible unconformity surface are termed
- A- angular unconformity B- paraconformity
C- disconformity D- nonconformity
- 44- What is the correct order, from oldest to youngest, of the following geologic Systems/Periods?
- A- Carboniferous, Permian, Triassic B- Permian, Carboniferous, Triassic
C- Triassic, Carboniferous, Permian D- Triassic, Permian, Carboniferous
- 45- The following tools are used in stratigraphy except of
- A- fossil content B- total organic carbon content
C- seismic properties of rocks D- rock types
- 46- The geographic area where the original stratotype of a given stratigraphic unit is located is termed the
- A- parastratotype B- type locality C- type section D- type horizon
- 47- The following terms are used in chronostratigraphy except of
- A- isochrones B- dichrones C- faunizones D- polychrones
- 48- Among the most commonly used Mesozoic time-stratigraphic units is the:
- A- Period B- Formation C- Member D- Eon
- 49- Formations are considered:
- A- primary formal lithologic units B- chronostratigraphic units
C- widespread and mappable units D- A and C
- 50- In a rock succession, superposition means that:
- A- oldest rocks are at base B- youngest rocks are on top
C- younger rocks may sometimes underlie older rocks D- all of them

إنتهت الأسئلة مع أطيب الأمنيات بالتوفيق

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2023/2024 Second Semester, Final Examination		
22 May 2024	On: Geographic Information System (G-240)	Time: 2 hours

Answer ONLY the required questions, illustrating your answer by suitable sketches wherever possible:

First Question: GIS has become a crucial tool in various fields due to its ability to analyze, visualize, and interpret spatial data. From urban planning to environmental management, GIS finds applications across diverse sectors. **Could you share five examples of the most common applications of GIS?**

(5 marks)

Second Question: Compare between ONLY FIVE from the following concepts in GIS and remote sensing: (20 marks)

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| a) Raster vs. vector data | e) Equidistant vs. conformal projections |
| b) Reference vs. thematic maps | f) Geographic vs. projected coordinate systems |
| c) Active vs. passive satellites | g) Small-scale vs. large-scale maps |
| d) Spatial vs. spectral resolution | a) Geostationary vs. sun-synchronous satellites |

Third Question: Choose the correct answer: (20 marks)

- Each Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) zone divided into _____ East/West bands, each 8° high lettered from the south pole using C through X letters.
a) Twenty b) Twenty-one c) Twenty-two d) Twenty-three
- The raster data model consists of rows and columns of equally sized _____ interconnected to form a planar surface.
a) Points b) Lines c) Grids d) Pixels
- Polygons that can be drawn at a constant distance around every feature in a layer, or at a distance that varies according to attribute values are called _____.
a) Overlays b) Boundaries c) Buffers d) None of them
- _____ occur when the shared boundary of two polygons does not meet exactly.
a) Overlaps b) Slivers c) Gaps d) Symmetrical difference
- The X-value, called the Easting, has a value of _____ at the central meridian of each zone in the UTM coordinate system.
a) 10,000,000 m. b) 1,000,000 m. c) 750,000 m. d) 500,000 m.
- UTM coordinate system divides the globe into 60 N/S zones, each _____ wide.
a) 4° longitudes b) 6° longitudes c) 8° longitudes d) 10° longitudes
- In the Egyptian Transverse Mercator (ETM) projection system, Egypt was divided into _____ belts/zones.
a) Two b) Three c) Four d) Five
- If a certain location has the following geographic coordinates (longitude 39° 10' 17'' E and latitude 21° 29' 55'' N), the corresponding UTM zone will be:
a) Q36 b) Q37 c) R36 d) R37
- Landsat-7 satellite maintains _____ radiometric resolution for its bands and can therefore record values for each pixel that range from 0 to 255.
a) 4-bit b) 8-bit c) 12-bit d) 16-bit

10. A raster model with pixels representing 10 m. by 10 m. in the real world would be said to have a spatial resolution of _____.
a) 100 m. b) 20 m. c) 10 m. d) 1 m.
11. City names such as New York, Tokyo, or London refer to _____.
a) Nominal locations b) Absolute locations
c) Relative locations d) None of them
12. _____ is the main latitude reference in the ETM projection system.
a) Equator b) Latitude 22° c) Latitude 25° d) Latitude 30°
13. A source of potential error in an aerial photograph is the _____ which arises from the three-dimensional aspect of terrain features.
a) Curvature b) Orthophoto c) Relief displacement d) Error propagation
14. Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) used from _____.
a) Latitudes 84°N to 84°S b) Latitudes 84°N to 80°S
c) Latitudes 80°N to 84°S d) Latitudes 80°N to 80°S
15. _____ refers to define and describe places in relation to other known locations. For instance, Cairo, Egypt, is north of Johannesburg, South Africa.
a) Nominal location b) Absolute location c) Relative location d) None of them
16. Zone 1 in the UTM system is from _____ longitudes.
a) 180°W to 170°W b) 180°W to 160°W
c) 180°W to 174°W d) 180°W to 164°W
17. The global World Geodetic System of 1984 datum uses the _____ as the origin of the geographic coordinate system and is used for defining locations across the globe.
a) Sea level b) Ground elevation c) Centre of the Earth d) None of them
18. In ArcMap, the _____ provides a page view where map elements such as the data frame, a scale bar, and a map title, are arranged on a page for map printing.
a) Data frame b) Layout view c) Table of contents d) Symbology
19. GPS technology consists of a constellation of _____ satellites that are orbiting the Earth and constantly transmitting time signals.
a) Twenty-four b) Three c) Twenty-three d) Four
20. Online maps and GISs are _____ because we can zoom in and out at will.
a) Large-scale maps b) Small-scale maps
c) Scaleless maps d) None of them

Fourth Question: True or False:

(10 marks)

1. GIS is a computer-based information system that enables the capture, storage, modeling, retrieval, analysis, and presentation of geographically referenced spatial data. ()
2. Health records, soil description, and sample quality are examples of attribute data. ()
3. When using decimal degrees, latitudes above the equator and longitudes east of the prime meridian are negative, while latitudes below the equator and longitudes west of the prime meridian are positive. ()
4. Three fundamental vector types exist in GIS: points, lines, and polygons. ()
5. Orthophotos are vertical photographs that have been geometrically "corrected" to remove the curvature and terrain-induced error from images. ()

== Good Luck,, ==

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