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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM AND ENERGY STUDIES End Semester Examination, December 2021

Course: Weather Forecasting Program Name: B.Sc. (H) Physics Course Code: PHYS 2021

Semester: III Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Instructions:

Write all the answers in A4 sheet

SECTION A (20 marks) All question of section A are compulsory

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Q 1	Discuss and draw the trend of temperature and pressure variation with altitude?	4	CO1
Q2	What do you mean by permanent and variable gases in the atmosphere?	4	CO1
Q3	Write the name of instruments used to measure the wind speed, wind direction, Humidity and rainfall?	4	CO2
Q4	Explain the importance of Weather prediction.	4	CO4
Q 5	What are the different categories of weather forecasting?	4	CO4
	SECTION B (40 marks)	1	
	Question 9 consist of an internal choice		
Q 6	Draw the structure of the atmosphere that represent the different layers of atmosphere and explain the significance of each layer.	10	CO1
Q 7	What do you mean by atmospheric pressure? What are different phenomenon/pattern form due to change in atmospheric Pressure?	10	CO1
Q 8	What do you mean by jet streams? Explain the different types of Jet Streams.	10	CO3

Q 9	Discuss in details about the phenomenon behind the colour of sky and clouds. OR Define mean Humidity, Relative humidity, Humidity mixing Ratio, Dew point temperature?	10	CO2
	SECTION-C (40 marks) (Q10 is compulsory. Attempt any set of Q11 & 12)		
Q 10	a) What do you mean by a weather map? Explain different types of Weather Maps.	10	CO4
	a) What are Satellites? Discuss in details about the Geo Stationary and Polar operational environmental Satellite	10	CO4
Q 11	a) What do you mean by Climate and Climate change? Discuss different types of Climate.b) Define Acid Rain? What causes the acid rain? What are the short and long term		
	effects of acid rains?	10	CO3
	Or		
Q 12	a) What do you mean by Air masses? How do air masses form? Explain their types.b) Explain the term thunderstorm. Write various type of thunderstorms based on their formation.	10	CO3