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Program Name: B.Sc.(Hons.) Geology Course Name: Earth System Science Course Code: PEGS 1001 Nos. of page(s): 02 Semester: I Time : 3 hrs Max. Marks : 100

Instructions: All Questions are compulsory. In section B, Question No. 6 has internal choice to attempt anyone. Similarly, In section C, Question No.10 has internal choice to attempt anyone.

	SECTION A (5Qx4M=20Marks)		
S. No.		Marks	CO
Q.1	List the four major branches of earth science.	[4 Marks]	CO1
Q.2	Distinguish between meteorites and asteroids.	[4 Marks]	CO1
Q.3	List the layers of atmosphere from bottom to topmost layer.	[4 Marks]	CO2
Q.4	Discuss the first layer of troposphere and its significance.	[4 Marks]	CO2
Q.5	Explain the Big Bang theory for the origin of the universe.	[4 Marks]	CO1
	SECTION B		
	(4Qx10M= 40 Marks)		
Q.6	Describe the Nebular hypothesis for the origin of the earth proposed by Kant. OR, Describe the Planetesimal hypothesis for the origin of the earth proposed by Chamberlin & Moulton.	[10 Marks]	CO1
Q.7	Describing the layers of soil profile giving the characteristics of each layer.	[10 Marks]	CO2
Q.8	With suitable diagram, describe the evolution of rift valley.	[10 Marks]	CO3
Q.9	Explain five stratigraphic principles in detail. Supplement your answer with suitable diagrams.	[10 Marks]	CO4

	SECTION C (2Qx20M= 40 Marks)		
Q.10	With suitable diagrams, illustrate the plate boundaries outlining the important features that are resulted in each of these boundaries. OR, With suitable diagram, illustrate the concept of sea floor spreading highlighting the causes of sea floor spreading.	[20 Marks]	CO3
Q.11	 (a) In the figure 11A, Fault J is younger or older than layer A and Give reason for your answer Figure 11 A (b) In figure 11B, Is the layer E older or Younger than layer B ? Also 	[10+10=20 Marks]	CO4
	mention that which principle of stratigraphy you have followed for your answer? B C C C C C C C C C C C C C		