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## THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021

## (CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

## CC19U GEO3 B05 - CRYSTALLOGRAPHY AND MINERALOGY

(Geology - Core Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.00 Hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

Credit : 3

Part A (Short answer questions)

#### Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Crystal.
- 2. Crystallographic axis.
- 3. Type Mineral.
- 4. Symmetry elements of Pyritohedral class.
- 5. Ditetragonal pyramids.
- 6. Symmetry elements of Tetrarapezohedral class of Tetragonal system.
- 7. Rhombohedron.
- 8. Symmetry elements of Monoclinic system.
- 9. Staurolite law.
- 10. Phyllosilicates.
- 11. Polytypism.
- 12. Specific gravity.

(Ceiling: 20 Marks)

#### Part B (Short essay questions - Paragraph)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Normal Class of cubic system.
- 14. Tripyramidal class of Tetragonal system.
- 15. Spheniodal Class.
- 16. Normal class of Orthorhombic system.
- 17. Scope and aim of mineralogy.
- 18. Characteristics of a crystal lattice.
- 19. Isomorphism.

(Ceiling: 30 Marks)

# Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any *one* question. The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Describe the symmetry elements and forms present in the normal class of the hexagonal system.
- 21. Write an essay on various physical properties of minerals.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

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