



1st Semester Examination (CCFUP: NEP)

GEOGRAPHY

Paper: MJ 1-T (Single Core Major)

(Geotectonics and Geomorphology)

Full Marks: 40 Time: Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.

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Answer any *five* questions: $2 \times 5 = 10$

- 1. What is isostasy?
- 2. What is Weichert-Gutenberg Discontinuity?
- 3. What is the line of compensation?
- 4. What are piedmont alluvial plains?
- 5. What do you mean by Nappe?
- 6. What do you mean by solifluction?
- 7. What is line of suture?
- 8. What is chelation?

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Answer any four questions:

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 9. Discuss the evidences supporting the theory of continental drift proposed by Alfred Wegener.
- 10. Discuss the Earth's interior structure considering the seismological evidence.
- 11. Discuss the major depositional landforms in a glaciated region.
- 12. Discuss the development of the river network in an uniclinal structure.
- 13. Discuss the stages of the formation at inversion of relief on folded structure.
- 14. 'Landscape is a function of structure, process and stage' — discuss the statement. What is isomasy?

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Answer any *one* question : $10 \times 1 = 10$

- 15. How do different types of plate boundaries contribute to the formation of various landforms?
- 16. Discuss the Dynamic Equilibrium theory of landscape development after J. T. Hack.