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1.

Which one of the following minerals has highest susceptibility to weathering?

- (a) Olivine
- (b) Pyroxene
- (c) Muscovite
- (d) Quartz

2.

The ridge like deposits of silt and clay along the borders of the flooded rivers after a flood are known as:

- (a) Placer deposit
- (b) Natural levées
- (c) Scree
- (d) Cuesta

3.

Which one of the following is NOT a sink hole?

- (a) Uvala
- (b) Polje
- (c) Solution pan
- (d) Lapies

4.

Which one of the following is NOT related to glaciers?

- (a) Doline
- (b) Firn
- (c) Cirque
- (d) Drumlins

5.

A graph showing percentage of Earth's surface area as a function of elevation or depth relative to sea level is called:

- (a) Hypsometric curve
- (b) Stress curve
- (c) Strain curve
- (d) Creep curve

The process of sinking to maintain isostatic equilibrium during cooling of the lithosphere is called:

- (a) Gravitational subsidence
- (b) Thermal subsidence
- (c) Continental rise
- (d) Extensional collapse

7.

Regions where continental lithosphere is currently undergoing extension or underwent extension in the past are termed as:

- (a) Rifts
- (b) Subduction
- (c) Obduction
- (d) Trench

8.

Which one of the following margins represents plate boundaries?

- (a) Active continental margins
- (b) Passive continental margins
- (c) Active ocean margins
- (d) Passive ocean margins

9.

Which one of the following backarcs is commonly called "Mariana-type backarcs"?

- (a) Extensional backarcs
- (b) Compressional backarcs
- (c) Twisting backarcs
- (d) Couple backarcs

10.

Which one of the following is an ore mineral of silver?

- (a) Arsenopyrite
- (b) Argentite
- (c) Cassiterite
- (d) Cerussite

11.

Which one of the following is a chromium-bearing garnet?

- (a) Grossular
- (b) Uvarovite
- (c) Spessartine
- (d) Pyrope

Which one of the following minerals shows piezoelectric property?

- (a) Garnet
- (b) Apatite
- (c) Quartz
- (d) Orthoclase feldspar

13.

In isometric system, a six faced solid in which each face cuts one axis and is parallel to the other two axes is known as:

- (a) Hexahedron
- (b) Octahedron
- (c) Rhombic dodecahedron
- (d) Tetrahexahedron

14.

An open form comprising two horizontal faces in normal class of Tetragonal system is termed as:

- (a) Pyramid
- (b) Dome
- (c) Basal Pinacoid
- (d) Prism

15.

Which one of the following is the correct composition of Troctolite?

- (a) Olivine + Plagioclase
- (b) Olivine + Clinopyroxene
- (c) Clinopyroxene + Plagioclase
- (d) Clinopyroxene + Orthopyroxene

16.

The degrees of freedom at peritectic point in binary peritectic system will be:

- (a) Three
- (b) Two
- (c) One
- (d) Zero

Which of the following are the examples of layered mafic intrusion?

- 1. Bushveld igneous complex
- 2. Still water complex
- 3. Skaergard intrusion

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

18.

Mineralogical composition of pulaskite rock is:

- (a) Olivine + augite + calc. plagioclase
- (b) Antiperthite + aegirine + nepheline
- (c) Nepheline + plagioclase + quartz
- (d) Hypersthene + diopside + augite

19.

Which one of the following is a diagenetic process?

- (a) Metamorphism
- (b) Dissolution
- (c) Deposition of sediments
- (d) Palingenesis

20.

Which one of the following is a unidirectional paleocurrent indicator?

- (a) Grove casts
- (b) Symmetrical ripples
- (c) Channel and scour margins
- (d) Cross-bedding

21.

Which of the following are the lithologies of deltaic deposits?

- (a) Siltstone, greywacke and claystone
- (b) Conglomerate, sandstone and mudstone
- (c) Shale, clay and limestone
- (d) Limestone, dolomite and shale

22.

Which one of the following is NOT a clastic rock?

- (a) Sandstone
- (b) Shale
- (c) Limestone
- (d) Conglomerate

A geothermometer is based on which one of the following type of reactions?

- (a) Net transfer reaction
- (b) Ion exchange reaction
- (c) Oxidation reaction
- (d) Dehydration reaction

24.

What will be the AKF values of $Fe_3 Al_2 Si_3 O_{12}$?

- (a) F = 75; A = 0; K = 25
- (b) F = 75; A = 25; K = 0
- (c) A = 75; F = 25; K = 0
- (d) K = 75; F = 25; A = 0

25.

Which one of the following minerals is formed during ultrahigh pressure metamorphism?

- (a) Quartz
- (b) Tridymite
- (c) Coesite
- (d) Labradorite

26.

Which one of the following rocks is the protolith for marble?

- (a) Arenaceous rocks
- (b) Argellaceous rocks
- (c) Mafic rocks
- (d) Calcareous rocks

27.

The smaller folds, which occur on the limbs or hinge of the larger folds, are known as:

- (a) Parasitic folds
- (b) Kink folds
- (c) En echelon folds
- (d) Radial folds

28.

A set of new planar surfaces produced in a rock as a result of deformation is called:

- (a) Foliation
- (b) Bedding plane
- (c) Lineation
- (d) Deformation surface

If the dip of a plane is measured in a vertical plane perpendicular to the strike, it is called:

- (a) True dip
- (b) Apparent dip
- (c) True slope
- (d) Apparent slope

30.

A fault that strikes parallel to the strike of axial plane of the regional fold is known as:

- (a) Longitudinal fault
- (b) Transverse fault
- (c) Dip slip fault
- (d) Diagonal slip fault

31.

A major anticline that is composed of many smaller folds is called:

- (a) Anticlinorium
- (b) Synclinorium
- (c) Antiformal syncline
- (d) Synformal anticline

32.

Which one of the following is the fundamental unit of biostratigraphy?

- (a) Barren zone
- (b) Abundance zone
- (c) Biozone
- (d) Overlap zone

33.

Which one of the following groups contains Sirbu Shale Formation?

- (a) Semri Group
- (b) Kaimur Group
- (c) Rewah Group
- (d) Bhander Group

34.

Gulcheru quartzites belong to which one of the following groups?

- (a) Papaghani Group
- (b) Cheyair Group
- (c) Nallamalai Group
- (d) Kistna Group

Which one of the following ages is assigned to Syringothyris Limestone?

- (a) Ordovician
- (b) Lower Silurian
- (c) Lower Carboniferous
- (d) Lower Permian

36.

Which one of the following formations is correlated to Raniganj Formation in Son and Mahanadi valleys?

- (a) Talchir Formation
- (b) Karharbari Formation
- (c) Himgir Formation
- (d) Maleri Formation

37.

Consider the following statements regarding Gastropods:

- 1. They are typically benthic, though pelagic forms do occur
- 2. Forms with a siphonal canal are generally carnivorous
- 3. Forms in which the shell has an entire aperture are often herbivorous
- 4. Fresh water gastropods for the most part have thin shells with a thick periostracum

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 4 only
- (b) 1 and 4 only
- (c) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- (d) 2, 3 and 4 only

38.

Ammonoids belong to which one of the following geological ranges?

- (a) Cambrian–Jurassic
- (b) Ordovician-Triassic
- (c) Silurian–Jurassic
- (d) Devonian-Cretaceous

39.

The entire skeleton of a solitary or of a colonial coral is known as:

- (a) Corallum
- (b) Corallite
- (c) Columella
- (d) Coenenchyme

The triangular gap along the hinge line of the pedicle valve of brachiopods, through which the pedicle emerges, is known as:

- (a) Deltidium
- (b) Delthyrium
- (c) Brachidium
- (d) Brachiophore

41.

The moulting of the exoskeleton in arthropods is known as:

- (a) Ecdysis
- (b) Metamorphosis
- (c) Integument
- (d) Exuvia

42.

Which one of the following is a phosphatic microfossil?

- (a) Foraminifera
- (b) Radiolaria
- (c) Cocolithophore
- (d) Conodonts

43.

Which one of the following is NOT a seed fern?

- (a) Pecopteris
- (b) Neuropteris
- (c) Alethopteris
- (d) Glossopteris

44.

The capability of the sensor to discriminate the smallest object on the ground of different sizes, usually specified in linear dimension, is known as:

- (a) Spatial resolution
- (b) Spectral resolution
- (c) Radiometric resolution
- (d) Temporal resolution

45.

Which one of the following is NOT a spatial data?

- (a) Location of the city
- (b) Location of the river
- (c) Temperature of the city
- (d) Location of the hill

Which one of the following is NOT related to topology?

- (a) Adjacency
- (b) Containment
- (c) Connectivity
- (d) Attribute data

47.

Which one of the following non-spatial scales would you select for recording of snow-depth in GIS database?

- (a) Nominal scale
- (b) Ratio scale
- (c) Ordinal scale
- (d) Interval scale

48.

What is the spatial resolution of LISS III camera of IRS 1C?

- (a) 72.0 m
- (b) 36.0 m
- (c) 23.5 m
- (d) 6.0 m

49.

Consider the following statements regarding conservative ions:

- 1. Conservative ions are those that will undergo association and dissociation reactions over the normal range of pH of natural water
- 2. Conservative ions are those whose concentrations are not affected by changes in pH, temperature or pressure, assuming no precipitation or dissolution

3. Na⁺, K⁺, Ca²⁺, Mg²⁺, Cl⁻, SO₄²⁻ and NO₃⁻ are not the conservative ions of natural water Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3
- (c) 2 only
- (d) 1 and 3

50.

The majority of Earth's Fe and Ni are found in:

- (a) Lower crust
- (b) Upper crust
- (c) Upper mantle
- (d) Inner core

Consider the following statements regarding continental crust and oceanic crust:

- 1. Continental crust is less dense and thicker than oceanic crust
- 2. Continental crust is poor in Iron and Magnesium
- 3. Continental crust is rich in Iron and Magnesium
- 4. Continental crust is more dense and thinner than oceanic crust

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2
- (c) 2 and 4
- (d) 1 and 3

52.

Mercury is the path finder element for:

- (a) Copper deposits
- (b) Lead-Zinc-Silver deposits
- (c) Chromite deposits
- (d) Uranium deposits

53.

Gossan is used to identify a buried:

- (a) Sulphide deposit of epigenetic origin
- (b) Auriferous vein
- (c) Copper porphyry deposit
- (d) Multimineral Zinc-Silver deposit

54.

Radon-222 gas is used in prospecting for:

- (a) Uranium
- (b) Thorium
- (c) Silver
- (d) Antimony

55.

The most important hydrochemical indicator of petroleum is:

- (a) Napthenates
- (b) Ethanol
- (c) Humic acids
- (d) Brines

Which one of the following is NOT a manganese mineral?

- (a) Pyrolusite
- (b) Sitaparite
- (c) Vredenburgite
- (d) Smithsonite

57.

Which one of the following deposits does NOT occur in Archaean greenstone belts?

- (a) Gold
- (b) Platinum
- (c) Aluminum
- (d) Chromite

58.

Which one of the following deposits is formed at oceanic ridges?

- (a) Sulphide
- (b) Carbonate
- (c) Oxide
- (d) Phosphate

59.

The Khetri belt of Rajasthan is famous for:

- (a) Gold
- (b) Iron
- (c) Copper
- (d) Coal

60.

Which type of tin mineralization occurs in Tosham hills of Haryana?

- (a) Cassiterite-Sulphide type
- (b) Cassiterite-Quartz and disseminated type
- (c) Greisen type
- (d) Pegmatite type

61.

Which one of the following ore deposits having ferruginous character occurs in Kalahandi area of Odisha?

- (a) Bauxite
- (b) Copper
- (c) Galena
- (d) Diamond

The method, which involves the forceful injection of slurry of water and cement into the fractured rocks of the site, is known as:

- (a) Back filling
- (b) Lining
- (c) Cement stabilization
- (d) Grouting

63.

The walls constructed on both sides of the crest of a dam are known as:

- (a) Retaining walls
- (b) Key walls
- (c) Safety walls
- (d) Parapet walls

64.

Rutting is a phenomenon associated with:

- (a) Bridges
- (b) Pavements
- (c) Dams
- (d) Tunnels

65.

Which one of the following rock types has highest compressive strength?

- (a) Diorite
- (b) Marble
- (c) Sandstone
- (d) Basalt

66.

Which one of the following tests is used to know the durability of a building stone?

- (a) Jack test
- (b) Smith's test
- (c) Los Angeles' test
- (d) Dorry test

67.

Which one of the following arrangements made in a dam near the top to let off excess water of the reservoir to the downstream side?

- (a) Diversion tunnel
- (b) Sluice
- (c) Cut-off wall
- (d) Spillway

Which one of the following rock types at the reservoir site is most suitable for its foundation?

- (a) Schists
- (b) Laterites
- (c) Marbles
- (d) Quartzites

69.

Which type of the land cover will provide the highest degree of recharge in a watershed?

- (a) Pasture of grazing land
- (b) Forest with thin carpet of litter
- (c) Forest with thick carpet of litter
- (d) Cropland

70.

Which one of the following is the correct order of abundance of different elements in weight percentage in bulk Earth?

- (a) O>Si>Fe>S>Ca>Al>Mg>Ni
- (b) Fe>O>Si>Mg>S>Ni>Ca>Al
- (c) Fe>Si>O>Mg>Ni>S>Ca>Al
- (d) Si>Fe>O>Ni>S>Ca>Al>Mg

71.

Which one of the following minerals is called fool's gold?

- (a) Hematite
- (b) Magnetite
- (c) Pyrite
- (d) Halite

72.

The ability of rocks or sediments to contain water is determined by its:

- (a) Permeability
- (b) Porosity
- (c) Viscosity
- (d) Transmissivity

73.

A geological formation that holds enough water and transmits it rapidly enough to be useful as a source of ground water is known as:

- (a) Aquifer
- (b) Aquitard
- (c) Aquifuse
- (d) Aquiclude

Which seismic wave is responsible for maximum shaking during an earthquake?

- (a) P wave
- (b) S wave
- (c) Rayleigh wave
- (d) Love wave

75.

Shallow foundations are sensitive to the vertical displacement component, especially if the structure is:

- (a) Heavy and water table is shallow
- (b) Light and water table is shallow
- (c) Heavy and water table is deep
- (d) Light and water table is deep

76.

Bhuj earthquake of 2001 belonged to which one of the following categories?

- (a) Deep focus
- (b) Shallow focus
- (c) Intermediate focus
- (d) In between deep and intermediate focus

77.

The calcareous and siliceous oozes are:

- (a) Neritic deposits
- (b) Littoral deposits
- (c) Pelagic deposits
- (d) Terrigenous deposits

78.

Which type of clay is found in the deepest parts of the ocean and is also abundant near the volcanoes?

- (a) Black clay
- (b) Brown clay
- (c) Red clay
- (d) Green clay

Ocean tides are generated due to:

- 1. Gravitational attraction of the Moon
- 2. Gravitational attraction of the Sun
- 3. Declination of the Moon and the Sun
- 4. Gravitational force of the Earth

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1, 2 and 4
- (b) 2, 3 and 4
- (c) 1, 2 and 3
- (d) 1, 3 and 4

80.

Which one of the following satellites can be used for monitoring changes in ground water storage?

- (a) LANDSAT TM
- (b) IRS LISS III
- (c) QuickBird
- (d) GRACE

81.

How much water the ice caps and glaciers contribute in terms of percentage at or near the Earth's surface?

- (a) 2.05 %
- (b) 3.05 %
- (c) 1.78%
- (d) 1.23 %

82.

What type of well can be constructed for small domestic water supplies in clayey-sandy soil region?

- (a) Deep and small diameter well
- (b) Shallow and large diameter well
- (c) Shallow and small diameter well
- (d) Deep and medium diameter well

83.

What is the nature of water table contour map in the region of groundwater recharge?

- (a) Convex water table contours
- (b) Concave water table contours
- (c) Closely packed water table contours
- (d) Sparsely packed water table contours

Clay lenses, occurring in alluvial formations which can produce water table conditions in the unsaturated zone of the main unconfined aquifer are known as:

- (a) Perched Aquifer
- (b) Leaky Aquifer
- (c) Unconfined Aquifer
- (d) Composite Aquifer

85.

What is the name of the wide belt (5–15 Km) along the northern margin of Indo-Gangetic-Brahmaputra plain, where major artesian aquifers give rise to free flow in wells?

- (a) Foredeep basin
- (b) Tarai belt
- (c) Bhabar belt
- (d) Siwalik belt

86.

Which mineral provides highest swelling property to the soil?

- (a) Kaolinite
- (b) Montmorillonite
- (c) Ilmenite
- (d) Quartz

87.

What happens to soil quality if there is high sodium ion concentration in irrigation water?

- (a) Increase in permeability of soil
- (b) Decrease in permeability of soil
- (c) Compaction of the soil
- (d) Change in grain size of soil

88.

If the concentration of Ca^{2+} in water is 130 mg/L, what will be the concentration of Ca^{2+} in meq/L?

[Atomic weight of Ca = 40.08]

- (a) 6.48 meq/L
- (b) 6.80 meq/L
- (c) 13.00 meq/L
- (d) 3.24 meq/L

Which one of the following is the correct order of cation exchangeability for common ion in groundwater?

 $\begin{array}{ll} (a) \ K^{+} > Mg^{2+} > Ca^{2+} > Na^{+} \\ (b) \ Ca^{2+} > Mg^{2+} > K^{+} > Na^{+} \\ (c) \ Na^{+} > K^{+} > Ca^{2+} > Mg^{2+} \\ (d) \ Ca^{2+} > K^{+} > Mg^{2+} > Na^{+} \end{array}$

90.

According to Indian Standard, what is the maximum permissible limit of F^- (Fluoride) in groundwater for drinking purpose?

- (a) 1.0 mg/L
- (b) 1.3 mg/L
- (c) 1.5 mg/L
- (d) 2.5 mg/L

91.

Which one of the following will exhibit the maximum diurnal fluctuation in groundwater table due to evapotranspiration?

- (a) Bare soil
- (b) Shallow rooted vegetation
- (c) Deep rooted vegetation
- (d) Exposed bed rock within soil

92.

Which one of the following is the characteristic of piezometric surface of flowing well?

- (a) Piezometric surface lies above the ground surface
- (b) Piezometric surface lies below the ground surface
- (c) Piezometric surface lies below the confined aquifer
- (d) Piezometric surface lies below the mean sea level

93.

In which type of unconsolidated sediments, the capillary rise of ground water is the highest?

(a) Fine gravel

- (b) Medium sand
- (c) Coarse sand
- (d) Silt

94.

A soil sample has d_{60} and d_{10} values of 1.9 mm and 0.2 mm respectively. The uniformity coefficient of the soil will be:

- (a) 9.5
- (b) 0.1
- (c) 0.38
- (d) 0.15

Which one of the following particles contributes to the greatest amount of surface area in unconsolidated formations?

- (a) Gravel
- (b) Coarse sand
- (c) Silt
- (d) Clay

96.

In Intermediate Vadose zone, water moves:

- (a) under the influence of gravity
- (b) under the influence of groundwater head difference
- (c) under the influence of atmospheric pressure
- (d) under the influence of osmotic pressure

97.

Which one of the following formations shows the maximum anisotropism and heterogeneity in terms of its hydrogeological properties?

- (a) Crystalline rock formation
- (b) Alluvial formation
- (c) Lacustrine formation
- (d) Eolian formation

98.

A saturated but poorly permeable stratum that impedes groundwater movement and does not yield water freely to the wells is known as:

- (a) Aquifuge
- (b) Aquiclude
- (c) Aquitard
- (d) Aquifer

99.

What type of information can be provided by Radar imagery of a region?

- (a) Color of the soil
- (b) Presence of moisture at shallow depth
- (c) Void ratio of the soil
- (d) Texture of the soil

100.

The recharge of the groundwater can be improved by stream channel through:

- (a) Proper lining at the bottom of channel
- (b) Narrowing of the channel
- (c) Construction of low check dam and dikes across the stream at wide stretch of a channel
- (d) Channel bank development

The combination of specific yield and specific retention is known as:

- (a) Transmissivity
- (b) Storativity
- (c) Porosity
- (d) Hydraulic conductivity

102.

The topographic area that collects and discharges surface stream flow through one outlet or mouth is generally referred to as:

- 1. Catchments
- 2. Drainage basins
- 3. Watersheds

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

103.

Which of the following groundwater management models is used for water allocation plans involving economic management objectives subject to institutional policies as constraints in addition to hydraulic management constraints?

- (a) Embedding approach
- (b) Groundwater policy evaluation
- (c) Groundwater policy evaluation and allocation models
- (d) Optimal allocation approach

104.

Which of the following statements about juvenile water is/are correct?

- 1. It is surface water that was trapped by soil
- 2. It is subsurface water that was derived from the interior of the Earth
- 3. It is surface water that was trapped by rock formation
- 4. It is subsurface water that was trapped by soil and rock formation

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2
- (d) 3 and 4

Which one of the following methods is NOT used for measurement of evapotranspiration?

- (a) Priestley-Taylor method
- (b) Blaney-Criddle method
- (c) Theissen method
- (d) Adjusted Pan method

106.

The incidence of infantile "Methemoglobinemia" is caused due to intake of water having high concentration of:

- (a) Boron
- (b) Fluoride
- (c) Nitrate
- (d) Manganese

107.

The ratio of transmissivity to the coefficient of storage (T/S) of an aquifer is termed as:

- (a) Leakage factor
- (b) Hydraulic resistance
- (c) Hydraulic diffusivity
- (d) Boulton delay index

108.

Geysers and fumeroles are manifestations of hydrothermal phenomena and are nearly always found in:

- (a) regions of seismic activity
- (b) regions of volcanicity
- (c) regions of landslides
- (d) regions of plate collisions

109.

Consider the following statements regarding hydrologic properties of sedimentary rocks:

- 1. It depends largely on the size, shape and arrangement of the grains
- 2. It depends largely on the degree to which the rock particles are sorted
- 3. It depends largely on hydraulic resistance

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 3
- (d) 1 and 2 only

In mining operations, production shafts are used for carrying:

- (a) Cables
- (b) Minerals
- (c) Men
- (d) Equipment

111.

In a working Mine, stope is used for:

- (a) removing the Ore
- (b) storing the Ore
- (c) looking down to explore the Mine
- (d) movement inside a Mine

112.

Rocker is used in which type of mining?

- (a) Manual mining
- (b) Underground mining
- (c) Lead-Zinc mining
- (d) Block caving mining

113.

Lower Gondwana coal seams belong to which one of the following ages?

- (a) Permo-Triassic
- (b) Late Carboniferous-Permian
- (c) Triassic-Jurassic
- (d) Ordovician-Silurian

114.

The organic compounds in sediments, rocks and crude oil whose carbon structures can be traced back to a living organism are called as:

- (a) Biomarkers
- (b) Fossil markers
- (c) Trace markers
- (d) Index markers

115.

Which one of the following physical properties is NOT related to mineral asbestos?

- (a) Readily separable into fine filaments
- (b) High tensile strength
- (c) Enough flexibility
- (d) High degree of combustibility

The clay used in petroleum refining is:

- (a) Kaolin
- (b) Ball clay
- (c) Flint clay
- (d) Fuller's earth

117.

In the electrical resistivity method, if a material of resistance *R* has a cross-sectional area *A* and length *L*, then its resistivity (ρ) can be expressed as:

(a)
$$\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{RA}{L}$$

(b) $\rho = \frac{RA}{L}$
(c) $\rho = \frac{L}{RA}$
(d) $\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{L}{RA}$

118.

The method of prospecting which is based on anomaly in chemical constituents of natural water is termed as:

- (a) Hydrological prospecting
- (b) Mineralogical prospecting
- (c) Chemical prospecting
- (d) Hydrogeochemical prospecting

119.

In which one of the following geophysical methods, the potential electrodes are located at onethird points between the current electrodes?

- (a) Schlumberger arrangement
- (b) Wenner arrangement
- (c) Gravity method
- (d) Magnetic method

120.

Consider the following statements about well logging:

- 1. Clayey formations display lower resistivities than permeable alluvial aquifers
- 2. Clay minerals do not conduct electrical current through their matrix
- 3. In porous formations, water content and quality factors control their resistivity value

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3
- (b) 1 only
- (c) 1 and 2
- (d) 3 only