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SEAL

1. Turbidity currents commonly deposit :
 - (A) Shale
 - (B) Limestone
 - (C) Arkose
 - (D) Graywacke
2. Which kind of information can be determined from sedimentary structures ?
 - (A) Topping direction
 - (B) Means of transport of sediment
 - (C) Depositional environment
 - (D) All of these
3. Which type of cross bedding is definite indicator of tidal environment ?
 - (A) Epsilon cross bedding
 - (B) Herringbone cross bedding
 - (C) Hummocky cross bedding
 - (D) Trough cross bedding
4. Allochems in limestone consists of :
 - (A) Micrite only
 - (B) Spar only
 - (C) Ooids only
 - (D) Bioclasts and ooids
5. Which of the following does not contain information about paleocurrents ?
 - (A) Planar cross bedding
 - (B) Parting lineation
 - (C) Asymmetric ripples
 - (D) Laminar bedding
6. The diameter of sand size is 1 mm. In Phi(Φ) grade, it is equivalent to :
 - (A) - 1
 - (B) 0
 - (C) 1
 - (D) 2
7. Breccia and conglomerate differ in :
 - (A) Size of the clasts
 - (B) Shape of the clasts
 - (C) Cementing materials
 - (D) Environment of deposition
8. Which of the following properties does not affects the permeability of the sandstone ?
 - (A) Pore size
 - (B) Sorting
 - (C) Tortuosity of the pores
 - (D) Mineralogy of the framework grains

9. A salt dome is characterised by :
- (A) Low velocity and low density
 - (B) Low velocity and high density
 - (C) High velocity and high density
 - (D) High velocity and low density
10. Rift valleys are bounded by :
- (A) Normal faults
 - (B) Reverse faults
 - (C) Strike slip faults
 - (D) Transform faults
11. Which of the following sedimentary rocks indicate long distance transportation of the sediments ?
- (A) Quartz sandstone
 - (B) Breccia
 - (C) Arkose (sandstone with lots of feldspar particles)
 - (D) None of these
12. _____ is well-sorted sandstone containing upto 75% quartz, with rock fragments in excess of feldspar.
- (A) Arkose
 - (B) Lithic arenite
 - (C) Quartz arenite
 - (D) Feldspathic arenite
13. Mud-supported limestone containing greater than 10% allochems is called _____.
- (A) Packstone
 - (B) Wackestone
 - (C) Grainstone
 - (D) Mudstone
14. A vertical sequence of rocks that changes from sandstone at the base through shale to limestone at the top of the sequence indicates a :
- (A) Transgression
 - (B) Regression
 - (C) Lagoonal environment
 - (D) Braided river
15. Shale displays fissility because of the :
- (A) Recrystallization of minerals
 - (B) Parallel arrangement of clay minerals
 - (C) Shearing
 - (D) Presence of mica plates

16. Prior to compaction, deposits of sand in a quiet environment may have:
- (A) 20-30% volume open pore space
 - (B) 80-90% volume open pore space
 - (C) 40-50% volume open pore space
 - (D) 60-70% volume open pore space
17. Cubic packing of uniform size grains result in:
- (A) 48% porosity
 - (B) 26% porosity
 - (C) 32% porosity
 - (D) 65% porosity
18. Coral reefs are generally found in:
- (A) Polar regions
 - (B) Tropical regions
 - (C) Mid-latitude region
 - (D) Subtropical region
19. Amongst the following rock types, we can expect best porosity in:
- (A) Shaly siltstone
 - (B) Granular sandstone
 - (C) Medium grained sandstone
 - (D) Silty shale
20. In a rift basin, sandstones are likely to be:
- (A) Arkosic in composition
 - (B) Litharenitic in composition
 - (C) Quartz arenitic in composition
 - (D) Greywacke in composition
21. The Siwalik basin is classified as:
- (A) Back-arc Basin
 - (B) Fore-arc Basin
 - (C) Foreland Basin
 - (D) Intracratonic Basin
22. Guano is:
- (A) Calcereous deposits
 - (B) Phospatic deposits
 - (C) Ferruginous deposits
 - (D) Siliceous deposits

23. Which of the following method is used for detailed exploration oil and gas ?
- (A) Gravity method
 - (B) Seismic refraction method
 - (C) Magnetic method
 - (D) Seismic reflection method
24. Seismic survey is used in exploration most often to determine :
- (A) The presence or absence of ore minerals associated with petroleum
 - (B) The presence or absence of a petroleum deposit
 - (C) Whether there are rock structures that could trap petroleum
 - (D) Whether there have been changes in petroleum deposits over time
25. Reservoirs with grains that have the same size are called :
- (A) Well Sorted
 - (B) Poorly Sorted
 - (C) Half Sorted
 - (D) Fully Sorted
26. The distribution of grain sizes within a reservoir refers to :
- (A) Compaction
 - (B) Sorting
 - (C) Packing
 - (D) Cementation
27. Primary porosity is defined as :
- (A) Pore space created by dissolution or fracturing of rock
 - (B) Pore space that is interconnected
 - (C) Pore space that is isolated or not interconnected
 - (D) Pore space created during deposition of sediments
28. For seismic S-wave velocity (V), the rigidity modulus (μ) is proportional to :
- (A) \sqrt{V}
 - (B) V^2
 - (C) V^3
 - (D) V

29. Which of the following logging techniques is best suited to estimate the shaliness of hydrocarbon reservoirs ?
- (A) Resistivity
(B) Sonic
(C) Induction
(D) Gamma ray
30. Choose the correct combination of the ore and location of its deposits :
- (A) Uranium -- Jaduguda
(B) Lead -- Khètri
(C) Gold -- Panna
(D) Iron -- Malanghand
31. Which of the following variety of limestone is entirely composed of organic matter ?
- (A) Coquina
(B) Encrinites
(C) Spengenite
(D) Oolite
32. Which of the following structures is of Bombay High ?
- (A) Doubly-plunging anticline
(B) Doubly-plunging syncline
(C) Non-plunging anticline
(D) Non-plunging syncline
33. The polished and straited surface resulting due to friction along a fault plane is called as :
- (A) Slickenside
(B) Lamination
(C) Ventifact
(D) None of these
34. The resulting movement in a transcurrent fault is predominantly :
- (A) Vertical
(B) Horizontal
(C) Along the dip of fault
(D) Along the dip of bed

35. The isotope ^{14}C is produced in the earth atmosphere by the interaction of cosmic rays with :
- (A) ^{16}O resulting in release of α particles
- (B) ^{14}N absorbing the neutron and releasing the proton
- (C) ^{10}B resulting in the addition of two α particles
- (D) ^{13}C absorbing a neutron
36. Ratios of elemental abundances of the bulk earth are similar to that of :
- (A) Moon
- (B) Fe-Ni meteorites
- (C) Chondrites
- (D) Basaltic chondrites
37. The space lattice structure of minerals is determined by :
- (A) Chemical analysis
- (B) Scanning Electron Microscopy
- (C) X-ray diffraction
- (D) ICP-MS
38. Which of the following represents the correct order of abundance of elements in the earth's crust ?
- (A) $\text{Si} > \text{O} > \text{Fe} > \text{Al} > \text{Ca} > \text{Mg}$
- (B) $\text{O} > \text{Al} > \text{Fe} > \text{Mg} > \text{Ca} > \text{Si}$
- (C) $\text{O} > \text{Si} > \text{Fe} > \text{Mg} > \text{Ca} > \text{Al}$
- (D) $\text{O} > \text{Si} > \text{Al} > \text{Fe} > \text{Mg} > \text{Ca}$
39. Platinum Group Elements are :
- (A) Lithophile only
- (B) Chalcophile only
- (C) Siderophile only
- (D) Both chalcophile and siderophile
40. The wave length range of the microwave region of electromagnetic radiation is :
- (A) 0.4 to 0.7 μm
- (B) 1 mm to 1 m
- (C) 1.3 to 3 μm
- (D) 3 to 14 μm

41. GPS is used as :
- (A) Gravity Profiling System
 - (B) Gas Prospective System
 - (C) Ground Penetrating System
 - (D) Geographic Location System
42. An igneous rock comprising predominantly of quartz and K-feldspar can be classified as :
- (A) Gabbro
 - (B) Granite
 - (C) Peridotite
 - (D) Tonalite
43. The surface expression of the lithosphere descending into the asthenosphere is known as :
- (A) Island Arc
 - (B) Benioff Zone
 - (C) Canyon
 - (D) Trench
44. Which of the following formation is rich in lignite with its correct stratigraphic age ?
- (A) Palana Formation – Paleocene
 - (B) Disang Formation – Eocene
 - (C) Subhatu Formation – Eocene
 - (D) Kopili Formation – Oligocene
45. In India, bituminous coals are found at :
- (A) Palana
 - (B) Neyveli
 - (C) Jharia
 - (D) Kutch
46. Phosphorite deposits are found in which stratigraphic unit ?
- (A) Udaipur Group
 - (B) Sausar Group
 - (C) Nallamalai Group
 - (D) Kaimur Group
47. The disappearance of dinosaurs marks the end of which geological era ?
- (A) Precambrian
 - (B) Cambrian
 - (C) Mesozoic
 - (D) Cenozoic

48. The Earthquakes with deep foci (~700 km) are common in :
- (A) Mid-oceanic ridges
(B) Continental rifts
(C) Himalayan Mountain Belts
(D) Island Arc
49. "Ediacaran Fossils" have significance in determining the :
- (A) Archean / Proterozoic boundary
(B) Precambrian / Cambrian boundary
(C) Permian / Triassic boundary
(D) Cretaceous / Tertiary boundary
50. Ammonoids are abundantly present in which of the following rock sequence ?
- (A) Gondwana
(B) Cuddapah
(C) Jurassic of Kutch
(D) Siwalik
51. Conversion of remains of plants and animals into rocks is known as :
- (A) Transformation
(B) Petrification
(C) Alteration
(D) Lithification
52. The fossils which had short geological duration but wide geographical distribution are called as :
- (A) Type fossils
(B) Rare fossils
(C) Index fossils
(D) Typical fossils
53. Most faults in the Himalayas are :
- (A) Strike-slip
(B) Thrust
(C) Normal
(D) Transform
54. Which of the following minerals in Moh's scale of hardness is a silicate ?
- (A) Topaz
(B) Apatite
(C) Fluorite
(D) Corundum

55. Find the odd one out of the following :
- (A) Enstatite
 - (B) Hypersthene
 - (C) Anthophyllite
 - (D) Diopside
56. Tetrahedra structure of a silicate minerals develops Si : O ratio of 4 : 11. The silicate structure of the mineral is :
- (A) Nesosilicate
 - (B) Inosilicate
 - (C) Tectosilicate
 - (D) Sorosilicate
57. Find the odd one out of the following pairs :
- (A) Aragonite – Calcite
 - (B) Diamond – Graphite
 - (C) Quartz – Chalcedony
 - (D) Microcline – Labradorite
58. Mesozoic-Cenozoic boundary is placed at:
- (A) 75 Ma
 - (B) 65 Ma
 - (C) 45 Ma
 - (D) 110 Ma
59. A line on a map connecting points of equal elevation is called :
- (A) Map line
 - (B) Base line
 - (C) Contour line
 - (D) Isotherm
60. In which of the following regions, the thickness of the crust is maximum ?
- (A) Continental rifts
 - (B) Mid-oceanic ridges
 - (C) Orogenic belts
 - (D) Passive margins
61. Reverse faults are responsible for :
- (A) Lengthening of the strata
 - (B) Shortening of the strata
 - (C) Overturning of the strata
 - (D) Thinning of the strata
62. If the heave of a fault is zero, then the fault is :
- (A) High angle fault
 - (B) Low angle fault
 - (C) Horizontal fault
 - (D) Vertical fault

63. Taking a photograph of an object on a clear bright day is an example of :
- (A) Active remote sensing
 (B) Passive remote sensing
 (C) Microwave remote sensing
 (D) Thermal remote sensing
64. Which one of the following was the first Indian Remote Sensing Satellite ?
- (A) Rohini
 (B) IRS-1A
 (C) Bhaskara-1
 (D) Cartosat
65. Which one of the following methods is used for dating recent geological events ?
- (A) $^{235}\text{U} - ^{206}\text{Pb}$
 (B) ^{14}C
 (C) $^{40}\text{K} - ^{40}\text{Ar}$
 (D) $^{87}\text{Rb} - ^{87}\text{Sr}$
66. Which of the following is the ore of tungsten ?
- (A) Psilomelane
 (B) Azurite
 (C) Scheelite
 (D) Pyrite
67. The petroleum deposits of Digboi oil field occur in the rock formation of :
- (A) Miocene age
 (B) Oligocene age
 (C) Eocene age
 (D) Jurassic age
68. Fault line, railway line and roads are best represented in GIS by :
- (A) TIN models
 (B) Raster data models
 (C) Vector data models
 (D) Georelational data models
69. Geiger-Muller Counter is commonly used for the exploration of :
- (A) Uranium deposits
 (B) Bauxite deposits
 (C) Iron ore deposits
 (D) Copper ore deposits

70. How many silicate minerals in the Moh's scale of hardness ?
- (A) 7
 - (B) 5
 - (C) 3
 - (D) 4
71. Which one is the main constituent of gas form of petroleum ?
- (A) Propane
 - (B) Butane
 - (C) Methane
 - (D) Ethane
72. Which of the following mineral is most resistant to weathering ?
- (A) Muscovite
 - (B) Biotite
 - (C) Calcite
 - (D) Quartz
73. Twinning observed in plagioclase :
- (A) Carlsbad twinning
 - (B) Polysynthetic twinning
 - (C) Penetration twinning
 - (D) Cross-hatch twinning
74. Which mineral is used for the age determination of the Vindhyan Sandstone ?
- (A) Quartz
 - (B) Pyrite
 - (C) Glauconite
 - (D) Ilmenite
75. "Smith test" is used to determine the following properties of the building stone ?
- (A) Density
 - (B) Porosity
 - (C) Durability
 - (D) Permeability
76. Which of the following is a geostationary satellite ?
- (A) Landsat
 - (B) INSAT
 - (C) SPOT
 - (D) IRS
77. The graphite deposits of Odisha are associated with :
- (A) Granite
 - (B) Basic granulite
 - (C) Charnokite
 - (D) Khondalite

78. Manganese desposits of Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra belt are associated with rocks of :
- (A) Sakoli Group
 (B) Mahakoshal Group
 (C) Bababudan Group
 (D) Sausar Group
79. The volcanic equivalent of Diorite is :
- (A) Rhyolite
 (B) Andesite
 (C) Trachyte
 (D) Basalt
80. If the color of gossan is black, it indicates the presence of :
- (A) Copper
 (B) Iron
 (C) Manganese
 (D) Graphite
81. Heavy minerals are those which have specific gravity of more than :
- (A) 3.52
 (B) 2.87
 (C) 3.00
 (D) 3.87
82. The bauxite of East-coast bauxite deposit is formed from rock like :
- (A) Granite
 (B) Basalt
 (C) Khondalite
 (D) Charnokite
83. Which of the following formation contains asbestos deposits in Andhra Pradesh ?
- (A) Gulcheru
 (B) Vampalle
 (C) Cumbum
 (D) Bairenkonda
84. Maximum separation of the reflectance value of vegetation, soil and water is seen in :
- (A) Green band
 (B) Red band
 (C) Infrared band
 (D) Blue band
85. Bauxite is a :
- (A) Residual deposit
 (B) Chemical deposit
 (C) Transported deposit
 (D) Ferruginous deposit

86. Fuel ratio of a coal is defined by :
- (A) Organic sulphur / Organic phosphorous
 - (B) Moisture / Volatile matter
 - (C) Volatile matter / Ash content
 - (D) Fixed carbon / Volatile matter
87. Spatial resolution of the passive sensors depends on their :
- (A) GPS
 - (B) FOV
 - (C) IFOV
 - (D) Pixel
88. Which of the following data gives maximum vertical accuracy ?
- (A) RADAR
 - (B) LIDAR
 - (C) Thermal Image
 - (D) Microwave
89. Kimberlite indicates the possibility of the presence of:
- (A) Ruby
 - (B) Diamond
 - (C) Kyanite
 - (D) Sapphire
90. The primary source of energy that moves heat and water through the hydrosphere and atmosphere is :
- (A) Wind energy
 - (B) Solar energy
 - (C) Heat energy released from the earth
 - (D) None of these
91. What percentage of earth's water is fresh water ?
- (A) 50%
 - (B) 22%
 - (C) 3%
 - (D) 7%
92. Best grade chromite in India mined in which state ?
- (A) Rajasthan
 - (B) Bihar
 - (C) Odisha
 - (D) Jharkhand
93. The study of earthquakes is called :
- (A) Petrology
 - (B) Seismology
 - (C) Paleontology
 - (D) Petrography

94. The point of origin of earthquakes below the earth's surface is called :
- (A) Isocenter
 - (B) Focus
 - (C) Epicenter
 - (D) Isopoint
95. The magnitude of an earthquake is based on :
- (A) Time period
 - (B) Frequency
 - (C) Amplitude
 - (D) Intensity
96. Which one of the following is a trace fossil ?
- (A) Shells
 - (B) Bones
 - (C) Teeth
 - (D) Burrows
97. In IR band water body is marked by which of the following color ?
- (A) Dark color
 - (B) White color
 - (C) Red color
 - (D) Blue color
98. The average radius of the Earth is :
- (A) 5420
 - (B) 6370
 - (C) 9880
 - (D) 3340
99. Odham discontinuity marks the boundary between :
- (A) Crust and Upper Mantle
 - (B) Mantle and Outer core
 - (C) Outer core and inner core
 - (D) Upper mantle and lower mantle
100. The average thickness of the earth crust is :
- (A) 11 km
 - (B) 22 km
 - (C) 33 km
 - (D) 65 km
101. What is the average height of the GPS satellite from the earth surface ?
- (A) 36100 km
 - (B) 20200 km
 - (C) 40000 km
 - (D) 45000 km

102. The abbreviation DEM in remote sensing stands for :
- (A) Digital Electro Magnetism
 (B) Digital Elevation Model
 (C) Digitally Enhanced Measurement
 (D) Digital Exponential Magnitude
103. Name the first Indian Satellite :
- (A) Rohini
 (B) Bhaskar
 (C) INSAT-1
 (D) Aryabhata
104. The arrangement of terrain features which provide shape, size and textural attributes is called :
- (A) Temporal variation
 (B) Spectral variation
 (C) Altitude variation
 (D) Apatial variation
105. Uniconformity between igneous and sedimentary strata is called :
- (A) Angular unconformity
 (B) Disconformity
 (C) Non-conformity
 (D) Local unconformity
106. The age of Nautilus is :
- (A) Triassic to present
 (B) Cretaceous to present
 (C) Jurassic to present
 (D) Cambrian to present
107. The grade of an ore body, which can be economically mined, is named as :
- (A) Average grade
 (B) Cut-off grade
 (C) Absolute grade
 (D) Mill grade
108. Which rock has maximum specific yield ?
- (A) Khondalite
 (B) Limestone
 (C) Sandstone
 (D) Unconsolidated sand

109. Altimeter is used in aerial photography:

- (A) For recording temperature
- (B) For recording speed of aeroplane
- (C) For recording atmospheric pressure
- (D) For recording height from MSL

110. For stereoscopic study, the overlap of aerial photographs should be better, if overlap is:

- (A) 5%
- (B) 66%
- (C) 30%
- (D) 15%

111. The gem variety of olivine is:

- (A) Epidote
- (B) Ruby
- (C) Peridot
- (D) Zirconium

112. Lahar deposits are formed by:

- (A) Detrital sediments

- (B) Organic sediments
- (C) Chemical sediments
- (D) Volcaniclastic sediments

113. The eutectic intergrowth of orthoclase and quartz produce well known rock:

- (A) Perthite
- (B) Syenite
- (C) Graphic granite
- (D) Graphic rhyolite

114. What are the cleavage angles in Hornblende?

- (A) 60° and 86°
- (B) 56° and 124°
- (C) 56° and 154°
- (D) 87° and 93°

115. The drifting of continents began during:

- (A) Late Precambrian
- (B) Permo-carboniferous
- (C) Mesozoic
- (D) Devonian

116. Columnar joints in basalt are :

- (A) Shear joints
- (B) Tension joints
- (C) Dip joints
- (D) Strike joints

117. Presence of unconformity in a rock

sequence can be recognized by :

- (A) Angular relationship
- (B) Presence of conglomerate
- (C) Residual soil
- (D) All of these

118. The space based remote sensing

sensors operate from an altitude between :

- (A) 10-100 km
- (B) 100-300 km
- (C) 200-20000 km
- (D) 200-40000 km

119. Which one of the following is GIS

software ?

- (A) Arc GIS
- (B) Map Info
- (C) IDRISI
- (D) All of these

120. Indian satellite CARTOSAT-2

launched by ISRO in the year :

- (A) 2007
- (B) 2006
- (C) 2012
- (D) 2016

121. Wavelength of radio wave is :

- (A) > 20 cm
- (B) between 10-30 cm
- (C) > 30 cm
- (D) > 50 cm

122. The live planet is known as :

- (A) Venus
- (B) Pluto
- (C) Earth
- (D) Mars

123. In a 1 : 50,000 scale topographic

map a distance of 0.25 cm

represents :

- (A) 1250 m
- (B) 125 m
- (C) 250 m
- (D) 500 m

124. Coral reefs are generally found in the latitudinal extensions of :

- (A) 20° N 20° S
- (B) 30° N 30° S
- (C) 60° N 60° S
- (D) 50° N 50° S

125. The "Iddiki" dam in Kerala belongs to which type of dam ?

- (A) Gravity dam
- (B) Arch dam
- (C) Earthen dam
- (D) Butferes dam

126. Gold mine in India is located at :

- (A) Khetri
- (B) Kolar
- (C) Zawar
- (D) Juduguda

127. Which one of the following is a fertilizer mineral ?

- (A) Quartz
- (B) Feldspar
- (C) Gypsum
- (D) Mica

128. What percentage of the earth's atmosphere does O_2 comprise ?

- (A) 21%
- (B) 71%
- (C) 45%
- (D) 3%

129. Which gas makes the majority of our atmosphere ?

- (A) Oxygen
- (B) Carbon dioxide
- (C) Nitrogen
- (D) Ozone

130. Wave generated by underwater earthquakes is called :

- (A) El-nino
- (B) Tidal wave
- (C) Tsunami
- (D) Microwave

131. The "Seismic shadow zone angle" that exist from the epicenter is :

- (A) 48° to 92°
- (B) 105° to 143°
- (C) 145° to 165°
- (D) 165° to 178°

132. Seismic P-waves can travel through :
- (A) Crust only
 - (B) Mantle only
 - (C) Mantle and core
 - (D) Crust, mantle and core
133. The total number of Rare Earth Elements (REE) is :
- (A) 15
 - (B) 17
 - (C) 18
 - (D) 26
134. The core of the earth is made up of :
- (A) Nickel and iron
 - (B) Nickel and chromium
 - (C) Iron and calcium
 - (D) Silica and Iron
135. Lapsa Buru mineral deposit is famous for which mineral ?
- (A) Kyanite
 - (B) Actinolite
 - (C) Mica
 - (D) Uranium
136. Bilaspur Dam is constructed on which river ?
- (A) Chambal River
 - (B) Banas River
 - (C) Luni River
 - (D) Son River
137. An example of Embankment dam is :
- (A) Bilaspur Dam
 - (B) Hirakud Dam
 - (C) Sai Dam
 - (D) Mahi Dam
138. Monazite is produced most abundantly in :
- (A) Bihar
 - (B) Odisha
 - (C) Rajasthan
 - (D) Kerala
139. Goldschmidt's phase rule is expressed as :
- (A) $F = C + 2 - P$
 - (B) $F = C + P - 2$
 - (C) $F = C + 2$
 - (D) $F = C - P + 1$

140. The age of the Singhbhum Granite

is :

- (A) 2000-2400 Ma
- (B) 3000-3400 Ma
- (C) 1000-1400 Ma
- (D) 100-400 Ma

141. Which is the radiogenic isotope of Lead ?

- (A) Pb^{204}
- (B) Pb^{206}
- (C) Pb^{207}
- (D) Pb^{208}

142. Athgarh(Odisha) is known for :

- (A) Cretaceous fossils
- (B) Cambrian fossils
- (C) Carboniferous fossils
- (D) Jurassic fossils

143. The red color iron rich soil is known

as :

- (A) Loamy soil
- (B) Alluvial soil
- (C) Laterite
- (D) Lime soil

144. A static test concluded to know the

in-situ deformation of rocks, is known

as :

- (A) RQD
- (B) Jill test
- (C) Crushing test
- (D) Jack test

145. The property of a rock to transmit

fluids through it, is known as :

- (A) Porosity
- (B) Permeability
- (C) Transmittivity
- (D) Hydraulic conductivity

146. Which planet has highest density

among these ?

- (A) Mercury
- (B) Earth
- (C) Mars
- (D) Venus

147. Which one is high temperature

feldspar ?

- (A) Sanidine
- (B) Microcline
- (C) Orthoclase
- (D) Albite

148. Which one is a pyroclastic rock ?

- (A) Pitchstone
- (B) Ignimbrite
- (C) Rhyolite
- (D) Obsidian

149. Destructive plate boundary is also known as :

- (A) Conservative plate boundary
- (B) Diverging plate boundary

(C) Converging plate boundary

(D) Transform plate boundary

150. Major part of Odisha state comes under which seismic zone ?

(A) I

(B) III

(C) II

(D) IV



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