

- Q.25 What are different causes of water logging?
- Q.26 Describe the Watershed Management.
- Q.27 What are factors affecting the erosion by wind?
- Q.28 Describe the role of terracing to control erosion by water.
- Q.29 Suggest the reclamation of acid Soil.
- Q.30 Write a short note on Gully erosion.
- Q.31 How the soils act as a natural body. Explain?
- Q.32 Describe the need and importance of water harvesting.
- Q.33 What is ground water recharge. Explain its importance.
- Q.34 Describe in brief the different practices adopted to control erosion.
- Q.35 How will you determine the moisture content of soil on dry and wet bases.

SECTION-D

Note: Long answer questions. Attempt any two questions out of three Questions. (2x10=20)

- Q.36 Explain in detail the reclamation of Saline. Alkaline and Acid soils. And briefly describe their management.
- Q.37 Describe the permanent structures for control of erosion? Explain their types and adaptability.
- Q.38 Discuss the Need, importance and methods of water harvesting.

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SECTION-A

Note: Multiple type Questions. All Questions are compulsory. (10x1=10)

- Q.1 The relative proportion of sand, clay and silt determines
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|-------------------|-----------------|
| a) Soil structure | b) Soil texture |
| c) Soil mass | d) Soil volume |
- Q.2 The velocity of flow in open channel is determined by
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|--------------------|--------------------|
| a) Manning formula | b) Darcy's formula |
| c) Both A & B | d) None of these |
- Q.3 Which of the following is not a method for water conservation?
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|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| a) Rainwater harvesting | b) Improving irrigation efficiency |
| c) Avoiding water wastage | d) Groundwater extraction |
- Q.4 According to USDA soil classification, the size of the fine sand should be in between
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|---------------------|---------------|
| a) 0.001 – 0.0001mm | b) 0.01-0.1mm |
| c) 0.1-0.25mm | d) 0.25-0.5mm |

- Q.5 If there is a little slope in the field, the soil erosion can be prevented by
- Contour strip cropping
 - Contour terracing
 - Control framing
 - All of these
- Q.6 Contour bunding is done to check
- Raindrop erosion
 - Rill erosion
 - Sheet erosion
 - Gully erosion
- Q.7 The maximum moisture is available to plant at
- Field capacity
 - Hygroscopic coefficient
 - Wilting point
 - Saturation
- Q.8 Alkali soils are reclaimed by
- Leaching of soil
 - Using limestone
 - Using gypsum
 - Provision of drainage
- Q.9 Which soil has high water retaining capacity
- Sand
 - Silt
 - Clay
 - Loam
- Q.10 The mathematical formula of Darcy's Law is
- $Q=iA$
 - $Q=KlA^2$
 - $q=kiA$
 - None of these

SECTION-B

Note: Objective type questions. All questions are compulsory. (10x1=10)

- Q.11 Define Electrical conductivity.
- Q.12 Write the full form of U.S.D.A.
- Q.13 Define Soil structure.
- Q.14 Define Hygroscopic coefficient.
- Q.15 Write the formula of Void Ratio.
- Q.16 Define water logging.
- Q.17 What do you mean by Strip Cropping.
- Q.18 SAR stands for _____.
- Q.19 Define Rain drop erosion.
- Q.20 Define Drainage.

SECTION-C

Note: Short answer type Questions. Attempt any twelve questions out of fifteen Questions. (12x5=60)

- Q.21 Define Soil Texture. Write USDA classification of soil texture.
- Q.22 Write the factors responsible for the formation of acid soil.
- Q.23 How will you differentiate Rain drop erosion and sheet erosion?
- Q.24 Describe the gravimetric methods of soil moisture determination.