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# M.Sc. 3rd Semester Examination, 2023 REMOTE SENSING AND GIS

PAPER - RSG-301.1&301.2

Full Marks: 50

Time: 2 hours

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Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

**PAPER - RSG-301.1** 

(Application of Geo-Informatics)

GROUP - A

Answer any two questions from the following: 2 × 2

1. Differentiate between DSM and DTM?

- 2. Explain how remote sensing is used to detect and monitor surface water bodies.
- 3. Define seismicity and its relevance in understanding earthquake activity.
- 4. What are the key factors that influence the intensity of ground shaking during an earthquake?

#### GROUP - B

Answer any two questions from the following: 2 × 4

- 5. How can GIS play a pivotal role in developing smart cities?
- 6. What factors are considered in the hydraulic design of canals for efficient water conveyance?
- 7. How does GNSS help in quantifying Plate Motion in Himalayas by exploring it's role in identifying active fault systems?

8. Explore the vital role of real-time monitoring through geo-informatics in advancing early warning systems for natural disasters and how these systems enhance prompt evacuation and mitigation measures.

## GROUP - C

Answer any one question from the following:  $8 \times 1$ 

- 9. Discuss the application of remote sensing techniques in crop inventory with a detail flow chart of methodology. Mention the importance of infra red region in mapping vegetation cover.
- 10. Explain the significance of remote sensing in hydro-geomorphological studies, particularly in the context of identifying and characterizing ground water potential zones. Discuss the advantages of using satellite imagery and other remote sensing tools for comprehensive assessments.

#### **PAPER** - **RSG-301.2**

(Spatial Decision Support System)

### GROUP - A

Answer any two questions from the following:  $2 \times 2$ 

- 1. What do you mean by constraints in decision making?
- 2. Differentiate between DSS and SDSS.
- 3. Mention the limitation of rating method.
- 4. What are the three phases of decision making?

#### GROUP - B

Answer any two questions from the following: 2 × 4

5. Write a brief note on defining set of evaluation criteria.

- 6. Critically discuss about the types of decision problems in GIS.
- 7. Which techniques would you follow for standardization of criteria maps?
- 8. Mention the advantages and disadvantages of pairwise comparison method.

#### GROUP - C

Answer any one questions from the following:

9. What do you mean by AHP? Mention the procedure of site suitability analysis with a suitable example and chart.

3+5

10. Analyze the role of GIS in SDSS. Briefly mention the elements and structure of MCDA.

3+5

[Internal Assessment - 10 Marks]

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(Application of Geo-Informatics)

Full Marks: 20

## GROUP-A

Answer any two of the following questions:

2 × 2

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# GROUP-B

Answer any two of the following questions:

4 × 2

5. What factors are considered in the hydraulic design of canals for efficient water conveyance?

- 6. How Does GNSS help in quantifying plate Motion in Himalayas by exploring it's role in identifying active fault systems?
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### GROUP-C

Answer any one of the following question:  $8 \times 1$ 

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5+3

10. Explain the significance of remote sensing in hydro-geomorphological studies particularly in the context of identifying and characterizing ground water potential zones. Discuss the advantages of using satellite imagery and other remote sensing tools for comprehensive assessments.

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# PAPER - RSG-301.2

(Spatial Data Science and SDSS)
Full Marks: 20

## GROUP-A

Answer any two of the following questions:

- 1. What do you mean by reinforcement learning?  $2 \times 2$
- 2. Mention the importance of training dataset in ML techniques?

- 3. What is big data in GIS?
- 4. What are the three phases of decision making?

# GROUP-B

- Answer any two of the following questions:
- 5. Briefly mention the application areas of spatial data science?
- 6. Critically discuss about the types of decision problems in GIS?
- 7. Which techniques would you follow for standardization of criteria maps?
- 8. What do you mean by GeoAI? Mention the potentialities of big data in addressing real world problems.

#### GROUP-C

Answer any one of the following question:  $8 \times 1$ 9. Critically explain the applications of supervised and unsupervised ML techniques.

10. Analyze the role of GIS in SDSS. Briefly mention the elements and structure of 3 + 5MCDA.

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]

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