



# Sanjay Ghodawat University, Kolhapur

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EXM/P/09/00

Year and Program B.Sc. II

School of Science

Physics

Course Code: PHS 204

Course Title: Weather Forecasting

Semester – Even (IV)

Day and Date: Tuesday  
28/05/2019

End Semester Examination

Time: 30 minute 2.30 - 3.00 PM

Max Marks:15

Seat No.:

PRN No.:

Student Sign:

Invigilator Sign:

Examiner Sign:

Marks Obtained:

(A)

## Instructions:

- 1) All Questions are compulsory.
- 2) Mark  $\checkmark$  to the correct option. Do not circle.
- 3) More than one options marked will not be considered for assessment.
- 4) Rough calculations on paper are not allowed.
- 5) Use non-programmable calculator is allowed

## Q.1 Sr. Choose the correct alternative.

No

Marks

Bloom's

CO

(15)

level

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| 1 | Three quarters of Earth's atmosphere lies within..... of the surface.<br>A) 11 Km      B) 50 Km      C) 5 Km      D) 100 Km  | 1 | L1 | 204.1 |
| 2 | An imaginary surface about 120 Km from surface is called the.....<br>A) Exosphere    B) Thermosphere    C) Karman line    D) Troposphere                           | 1 | L1 | 204.1 |
| 3 | Ozone, Co <sub>2</sub> & water vapor are three main atmospheric constituents which..... radiation<br>A) scatters      B) absorbs      C) reflects      D) refracts | 1 | L1 | 204.1 |
| 4 | In meteorology atmospheric pressure is reported in.....<br>A) Pascal      B) psi      C) N/m <sup>2</sup> D) hectopascal   | 1 | L1 | 204.1 |
| 5 | The increase in atmospheric temperature at stratosphere is due to ..... of radiation<br>A) absorption    B) scattering    C) reflection    D) refraction           | 1 | L1 | 204.1 |
| 6 | If the wind move from west to east they are called as.....<br>A) westerlies    B) westward    C) easterlies    D) eastward   | 1 | L1 | 204.2 |

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- 7 Hadley cell is a closed circulation loop which descends at ..... latitude 1 L1 204.2  
 A)  $30^{\circ}$  N/S B)  $60^{\circ}$  N/S C)  $90^{\circ}$  N/S D)  $0^{\circ}$  N/s
- 8 The polar cell is smallest & weakest cell which extends between..... N & S to the poles. 1 L1 204.2  
 A)  $0^{\circ}$  &  $30^{\circ}$  B)  $60^{\circ}$  &  $70^{\circ}$  C)  $30^{\circ}$  &  $60^{\circ}$  D)  $60^{\circ}$  &  $60^{\circ}$
- 9 A narrow band of strong wind in the troposphere is..... 1 L1 204.2  
 A) Air fronts B) Air masses C) jet streams D) tornadoes
- 10 A boundary between air masses with different properties is..... 1 L1 204.2  
 A) cyclone B) air masses C) clouds D) air fronts
- 11 Short range forecast is valid from..... 1 L1 204.3  
 A) few hours to 72 hours B) few hours to 12 hours  
 C) few hours to 6 hours D) few hours to 3 weeks.
- 12 Persistence method of forecasting depends upon.....weather 1 L1 204.3  
 A) past B) future C) current D) average
- 13 The weather forecasting is prediction of atmospheric condition at a given..... 1 L1 204.3  
 A) volume & pressure B) pressure & temperature  
 C) location & time D) velocity & time
- 14 ..... is an atmospheric parameter which is not measured by weather station at SGU. 1 L1 204.3  
 A) Rainfall B) Lightning C) Solar radiation D) Pressure
- 15 ..... data is used in determining upper tropospheric anomalies 1 L1 204.3  
 A) IR sounder B) Microwave sounder  
 C) Scatterometer D) Radar altimeter



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3.00 to 5.30 PM

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- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 4) Use of logarithmic table and calculator are allowed.

(B)

Q.2	Answer the following questions	Marks (25)	Bloom's level	CO
a)	What is air temperature? Describe requirements to measure air temperature:	10	L2	204.1
b)	Explain different types of scattering in the atmosphere.	5	L2	204.1
c)	State advantages of Aneroid barometer over simple barometer.	5	L1	204.1
d)	State and explain radiation laws in the atmosphere.	5	L2	204.1
OR				
d)	With neat diagram explain construction and working of any two barometers.	5	L2	204.1

Q.3	Answer the following questions	Marks (30)	Bloom's level	CO
a)	Explain forces to produce wind and thus global wind system with neat diagram.	10	L4	204.2
b)	What is cyclone and anticyclone? Explain types of cyclones and state characteristics of anticyclone.	10	L2	204.2
OR				
b)	What is weather and climate? How climate is classified according temperature & precipitation?	10	L2	204.2

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| c) | Describe causes of ozone depletion with chemical equations.   | 5 | L3 | 204.2 |
| d) | What is cloud? Explain formation of different types of clouds | 5 | L3 | 204.2 |

**Q.4**

**Answer the following questions (Any Five)**

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|----|---|----|----|-------|
| a) | What is weather forecasting? Explain how it is classified according to duration.              | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |
| b) | Describe types of forecasting methods   | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |
| c) | Explain the criteria to choose weather station.   | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |
| d) | Discuss the types of satellites used to forecast weather                                      | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |
| e) | Explain the need of measuring weather.  | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |
| f) | Explain weather maps. Draw a table showing different types weather symbol with usual meaning. | 06 | L3 | 204.3 |

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