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3 Hours / 70 Marks

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- Instructions :**
- (1) All Questions are *compulsory*.
 - (2) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
 - (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
 - (4) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
 - (5) Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.
 - (6) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.
 - (7) Use of Steam tables, logarithmic, Mollier's chart is permitted.

Marks

1. Attempt any FIVE of the following :

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- (a) Define cone and chute.
- (b) Define sill and dyke.
- (c) Define hanging wall and footwall.
- (d) Define overhand and underhand stoping.
- (e) Define draw point.
- (f) Define crown pillar and sill pillar.
- (g) Define Borehole surveying.



- 2. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12**
- (a) Illustrate the factors which are to be considered while locating a shaft.
 - (b) Explain Breast stoping with a suitable layout showing the particulars.
 - (c) Compare shrinkage stoping with sublevel stoping.
 - (d) Explain in brief with neat sketches :
 - (i) Walling Scaffold
 - (ii) Sinking Rider
- 3. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12**
- (a) Define Level Interval and explain the factors considered while deciding level interval.
 - (b) Illustrate the classification of stoping methods as per the U.S. Bureau of Mines.
 - (c) Explain the sublevel caving method with its applicability condition, preparatory arrangements and cycle of operations with a suitable layout.
 - (d) Classify the different boring methods and illustrate the various purposes of boring.
- 4. Attempt any THREE of the following : 12**
- (a) Explain Alimak Raise Climber method of raise boring with a well-labelled diagram.
 - (b) Compare Overhand stoping with Underhand stoping method.
 - (c) Explain the working of cut and fill method of stoping with its applicability conditions, cycle of operations, preparatory arrangements with a suitable layout.
 - (d) Describe Temporary lining of shaft with a neat sketch.
 - (e) Classify the special methods of shaft sinking and explain forced drop shaft method.

5. Attempt any TWO of the following : 12

- (a) Explain the block caving method with its advantages & disadvantages.
- (b) Explain the following with well-labelled sketches :
 - (i) Shaft-centering arrangement
 - (ii) Arrangement for maintaining the verticality of shaft.
- (c) Enlist & explain the drill bits used for rotary boring.

6. Attempt any TWO of the following : 12

- (a) Justify the meaning of the term “Shrinkage” in shrinkage stoping. Explain the working of shrinkage stoping method and state its merits.
 - (b) Elaborate the working procedure for deepening and widening an idle shaft.
 - (c) Explain the working of the following with neat sketches :
 - (i) Single Tube Core Barrel
 - (ii) Double Tube Core Barrel
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