

**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE****GEOLOGY**

The Rock Cycle – Process and Products

2832/01

Candidates answer on the question paper

OCR Supplied Materials:

None

Other Materials Required:

- Electronic Calculator
- Ruler (cm/mm)

Wednesday 20 May 2009**Afternoon****Duration: 1 hour**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the boxes above.
- Use black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided, however additional paper may be used if necessary.

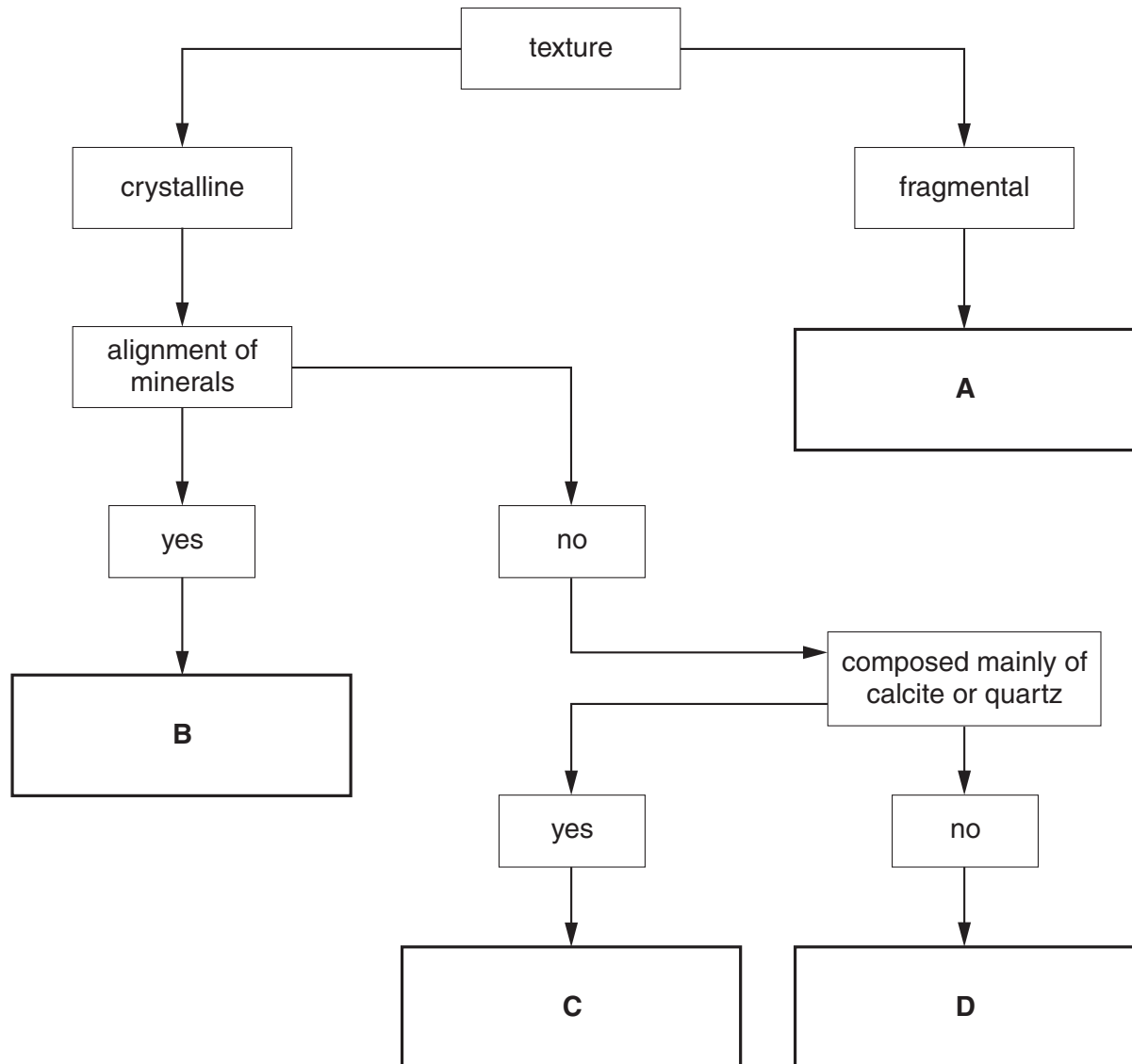
INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of written communication where this is indicated in the question.
- You may use an electronic calculator.
- You are advised to show all the steps in any calculations.
- This document consists of **12** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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Qu.	Max.	Mark
1	16	
2	17	
3	17	
4	10	
TOTAL	60	

Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 (a) Complete the flow diagram below by entering the names of the correct broad rock groups in boxes **A**, **B**, **C** and **D**.



[3]

(b) (i) Define the terms

fragmental

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crystalline

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(ii) Define the term *rock*.

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(iii) Explain the processes that cause minerals to be aligned in metamorphic rocks.

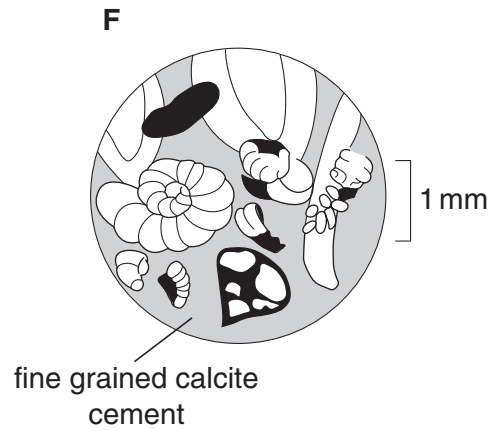
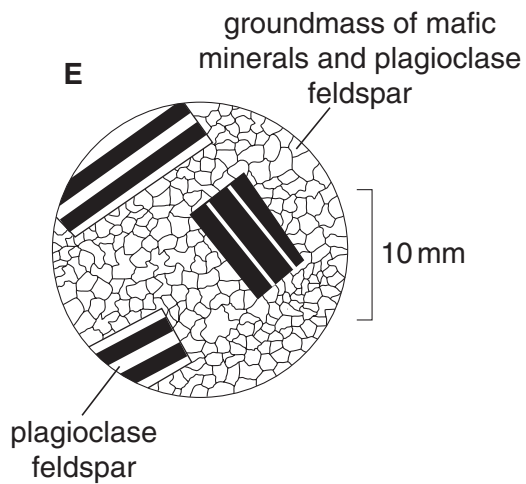
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(c) Below are thin section diagrams of two rocks.



(i) Circle the broad rock group to which each rock belongs.

E igneous metamorphic sedimentary

F igneous metamorphic sedimentary

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(ii) Give **two** reasons for your choice for **E**.

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(iii) Give **two** reasons for your choice for **F**.

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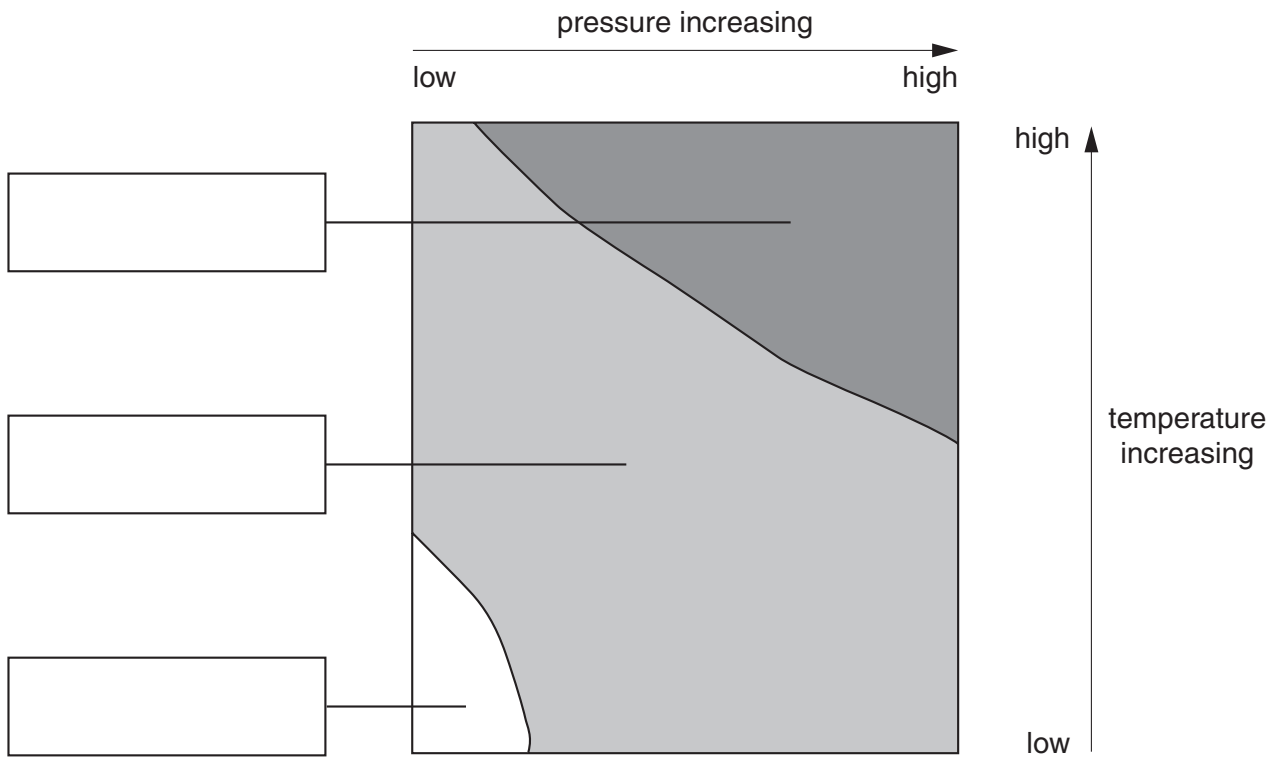
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- (d) The diagram below shows the temperature and pressure conditions under which the three broad rock groups form.

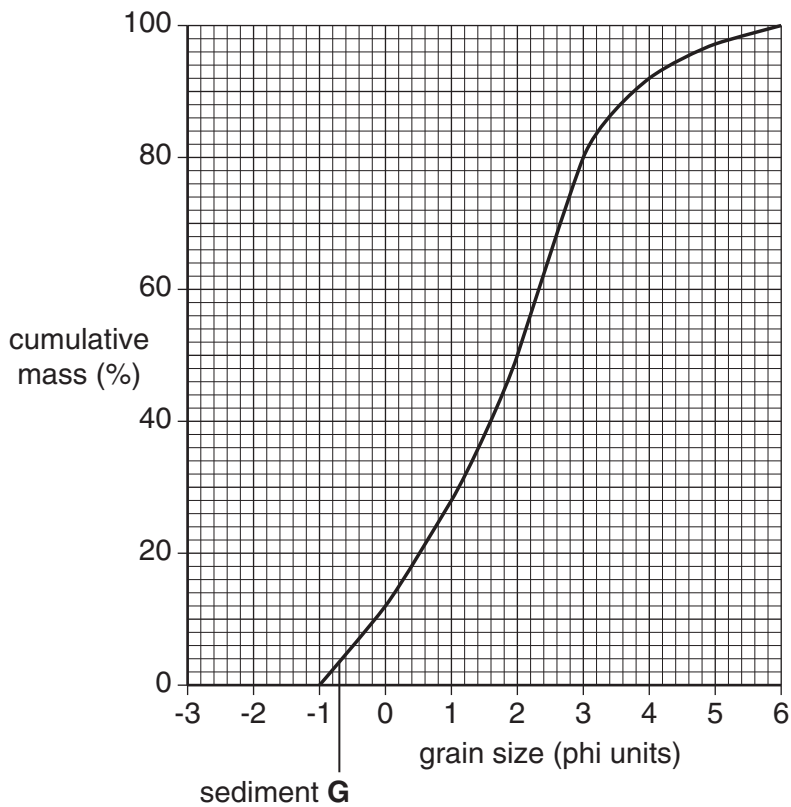
Label the position of the three broad rock groups on the diagram.



[2]

[Total: 16]

- 2 (a) The graph below shows the cumulative frequency curve for sediment **G**. The table shows the grain size distribution for sediment **H**.



grain size (phi ϕ)	mass (%)	cumulative mass (%)
0	0	
1	2	
2	14	
3	78	
4	6	
5	0	
6	0	

sediment **H**

- (i) Using the data
- complete the table to show the cumulative mass % for sediment **H**.
 - plot the data on the graph
 - draw the cumulative frequency curve.

[3]

- (ii) Define the term *sorting*.

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- (iii) Using the cumulative frequency curves and the information below, calculate the coefficient of sorting for sediments **G** and **H**. Show your working.

$$\text{coefficient of sorting} = \frac{\phi_{84} - \phi_{16}}{2}$$

(Where ϕ_{84} is the grain size of the cumulative mass of 84% of the sample and ϕ_{16} is the grain size of the cumulative mass of 16% of the sample.)

coefficient of sorting **G** = coefficient of sorting **H** = [3]

coefficient of sorting	description
<0.50	well sorted
0.50 – 1.00	moderately sorted
>1.00	poorly sorted

- (iv) Describe the difference in sorting between sediment **G** and sediment **H**.

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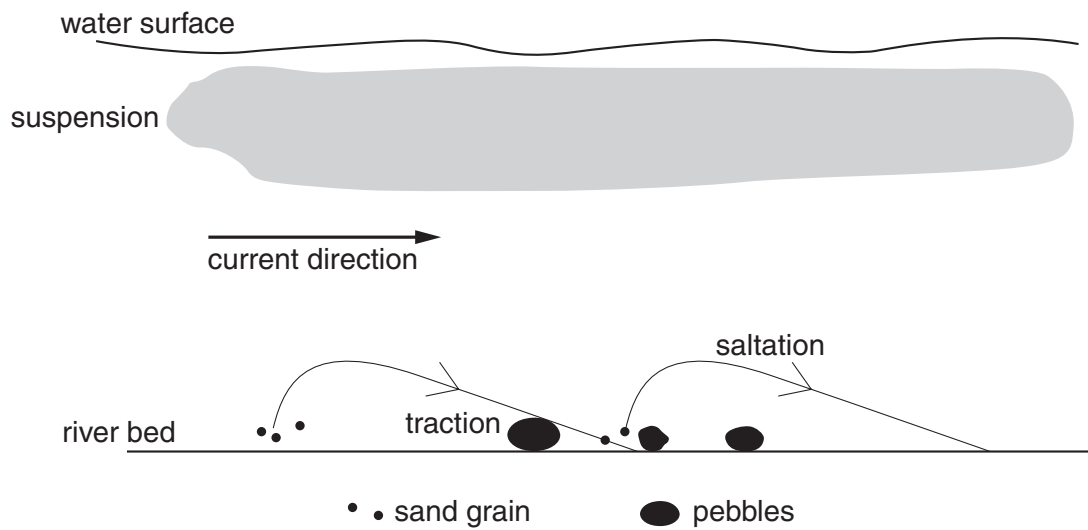
- (v) Identify possible environments in which sediments **G** and **H** were formed.

G

H

[2]

(b) The diagram below shows different types of sediment transport.



(i) Define the term *suspension*.

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(ii) Explain why the same grain can be transported by suspension and by saltation at different times.

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(iii) Describe and explain **one** difference between grains transported by ice and by wind.

difference

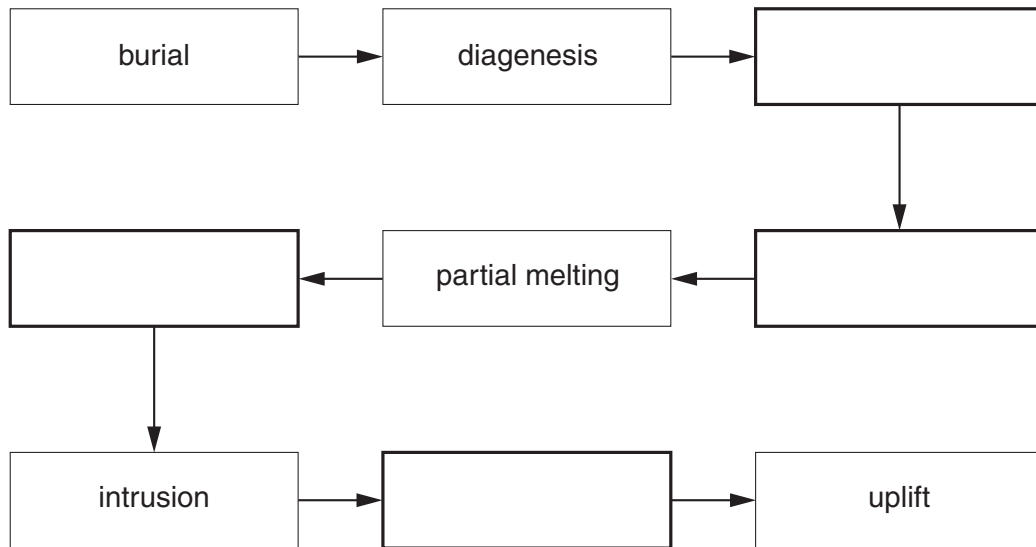
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reason

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[Total: 17]

- 3 The diagram below shows a sequence of processes that operate in the rock cycle.



- (a) (i) Complete the sequence by entering the name of the correct process in each box above. Choose from the list below.

crystallisation

magma accumulation

metamorphism

recrystallisation

transport

[4]

- (ii) Describe the process of compaction.

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- (iii) Describe the process of cementation.

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- (b) (i) Describe **one** similarity **and one** difference between weathering and erosion.

similarity

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difference

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- (ii) With the aid of labelled diagrams, describe how frost shattering occurs.

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- (iii) Name the climatic zone in which chemical weathering is most significant.

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- (iv) Describe **one** chemical weathering process.

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[Total: 17]

- 4** In this question, two marks are available for the quality of written communication. You may use diagrams to illustrate your answer.

Describe how you would distinguish a sill from a lava flow.

[illegible]

[8]

[Total: 10]

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