BRITISH COLUMBIA EARTH SCIENCES 11 · UNIT D · 10 QUESTIONS

Geologic Time, Fossils and Resources — Practice Test

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1 **Ammonites are marine fossils with coiled shells that help date Mesozoic rock**

A layers

B volcanoes

C glaciers

D soils

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2 **A cast fossil forms when sediment fills a mould left by an**

A organism

B earthquake

C volcano

D river

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3 **Petrified wood forms when minerals replace the original plant material cell by**

A root

B cell

C leaf

D branch

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4 **The Paleozoic Era is known for the first widespread life in the seas and later life on**

- **A** land
- **B** ice caps
- **C** deserts only
- **D** the Moon

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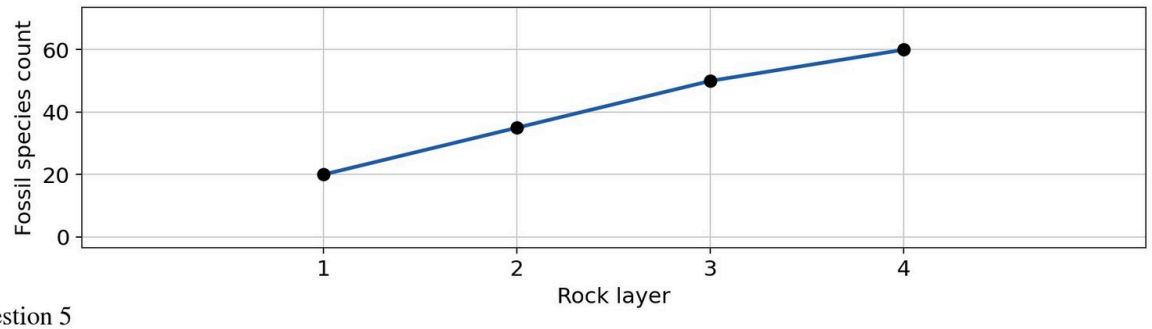
5 **The graph shows fossil species count in successive rock layers. The count in layer 4 is _____**



Question 5

The graph shows fossil species count in successive rock layers. The count in layer 4 is ____

ANSWER _____

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6 **Geothermal energy uses heat from inside Earth to generate electricity or heat**

- A volcanoes only
- B buildings
- C oceans
- D glaciers

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7 **Hydroelectric power generates electricity from flowing**

- A coal
- B water
- C sunlight
- D wind

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8 **Reducing, reusing, and recycling helps extend the life of finite**

A resources

B fossil records

C rock layers

D weather systems

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9 **Resource extraction should be planned with environmental protection so that ecosystems are not needlessly**

A ignored

B studied

C damaged

D flooded

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10 **The oldest rocks on Earth are dated at about 4 billion years, while Earth itself is about 4.6 billion years**

A thousand years old

B million years old

C old

D new

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ANSWER KEY

1.	A	**5.**	60	**9.**	C
2.	A	**6.**	B	**10.**	C
3.	B	**7.**	B		
4.	A	**8.**	A		

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