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EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA

FIRST YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN AGRICULTURE - 2012/2013

AC 1101: INTRODUCTORY SOIL SCIENCE (2:20/30)

JAN/FEB-2015

Time: One hour

Answer All Questions

This paper should be answered in English

Q1) a. Name four types of mechanical weathering and describe about two.

b. Briefly explain the techniques available to survey large extent of land.

Q2) a. Describe how rain fall and temperature affect soil formation.

b. Describe in detail how a well developed soil profile is formed.

c. List out the 12 major soil orders of Soil Taxonomy and give the properties of any two.