

2019

B.Sc.

2nd Semester Examination

**GEOLOGY (Honours)**

**Paper - C4T**

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates are required to give their answers  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

**Group - A**

Answer any *five* questions of the following : 5×2

1. Define angular shear and shear strain. 2
2. What is striping lineation ? 2
3. Define ductile zone. 2
4. Differentiate between M-domain and QF-domain. 2
5. What are kink bands ? 2

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6. Define principal stress ellipsoid. 2
7. What is non-plane cylindrical folds ? 2
8. Define stress slip fault. 2

**Group - B**

Answer any *four* questions of the following : 4×5

9. Name and describe any two primary sedimentary structures that are important to a structural geologist.  
2½×2
10. Write down the effect of presence of a fluid phase on stress strain curve. 5
11. Discuss the various modes of fractures. What is the relation of joints and stylolites with principal stresses ?  
3+2
12. Differentiate between any *two* of the following :  
2½×2=5
- (a) Active folding vs passive folding
- (b) Schistosity vs Gneissosity
- (c) Cleavage fanning vs Cleavage refraction
13. Write down the significance of axial planar cleavage in structural analyses. 5

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14. Write about different types of three-dimensional strain ellipsoids with neat sketches. 5

**Group - C**

Answer any *one* questions of the following : 1×10

15. (i) What parameter are used in Ramsay's classification of folds ?
- (ii) Draw  $t'\alpha$  vs  $\alpha$  and  $T'\alpha$  vs  $\alpha$  graphs for the five categories of folds and describe each of them. 3+7
16. (i) Give a brief account on different types of unconformity surfaces. How would you distinguish an unconformity surface from a fault in field ?
- (ii) How does stretching lineation relate to fold axis ? 3+3+4
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