# B. Sc. 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester (Honours) Examination, 2021-2022

### GEOLOGY

Course Id: 22012

# Course Title: Structural Geology

## Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes

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

- 1. Answer any five of the following questions:
  - a. What is a nondiastropic structure?
  - b. Define viscous deformation.
  - c. What is creep strain?
  - d. What is a cylindrical fold?
  - e. What is a synformal anticline?
  - f. What is overturned fold?
  - g. Define graben.
  - h. Define slickenside.

# i. Answer any two of the following questions:

- a. Write a short note on different types of strain ellipsoid.
- b. Classify folds based on the interlimb angle.
- c. Distinguish between the followings: (i) apparent dip and true dip, ii) pitch and plunge
- d. Write a short note on the variation of the orientation of principal axes of stress in the formation of normal, reverse, and strike-slip faults.
- 3. Answer any one of the following questions:
  - a. Briefly discuss the application of non-diastropic structures in sedimentary and igneous rocks to determine the right-side-up of a stratigraphic sequence.
  - b. Describe with sketches, the classification of folds based on the relative curvature of two successive folded surfaces and variation of thickness of folded layer from hinge to limb.

Full Marks: 25

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5X2 = 10

10X1 = 10

1X5 = 5

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