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B.Sc. Semester-III Examination, 2022-23 GEOLOGY [Honours]

Course ID: 32011 Course Code: SH/GEL/301/C-5(T)
Course Title: Igneous Petrology

Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes Full Marks: 25

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

- 1. Answer any **five** of the following questions: $1 \times 5 = 5$
 - a) Name the factors which control the rock melting in the crust and upper mantle.
 - b) Write the name of two igneous rock-forming minerals which indicate the undersaturation of a magma with respect to SiO₂.
 - c) Name an igneous rock which is produced only by assimilation.
 - d) Name the plutonic igneous rock composed of olivine and plagioclase.
 - e) Which rock usually shows the pillow structure?
 - f) Define a petrographic province.

- g) What is the volcanic equivalent of syenite?
- h) Name one igneous rock which generally contains zoned plagioclase.
- 2. Answer any **two** of the following questions: $5 \times 2 = 10$
 - a) Describe with sketches the primary structures used for determination of right side up of a stratigraphic sequence.
 - b) Compare between I- and S-type granite.
 - c) Briefly describe the reasons for the formation of porphyritic textures in igneous rocks.
 - d) How do you distinguish between sill and buried lava flow?
- 3. Answer any **one** of the following questions: $10 \times 1 = 10$
 - a) Write a brief note on the physical properties of magma.
 - b) Describe the principles of IUGS classification of plutonic igneous rocks with M < 90.