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B.Tech.(CE) (2011 Onwards) (Sem.-3) ROCK MECHANICS & ENGINEERING

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INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students has to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students has to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1. Write briefly:

- a) What is mechanical weathering?
- b) Describe any three physical properties of Hematite.
- c) With neat sketch, show a plane having 30°S.
- d) Define focus.
- e) Which is the softest substance and what is its hardness?
- f) Differentiate between sample and specimen.
- g) What is Rock bolting?
- h) "Propagation velocity of longitudinal stress wave in rocks depends upon many factors". Enumerate any three factors.
- i) Distinguish between Horst and Graben.
- j) Show sketch of Gravity Dam.

SECTION-B

- 2. Explain the geological work of Glaciers.
- 3. What are plutonic, hypobyssal and volcanic igneous rocks?
- 4. How do topographical features control civil engineering projects such as tunnels, high ways and reservoirs?
- 5. Give an account of different types of folds found in nature.
- 6. Name types of grouting. Which one is most effective for a ground comprising fractured rocks containing enough sizeable voids?

SECTION-C

- 7. What are static and dynamic methods for evaluation of elastic constants of rocks? Discuss in brief.
- 8. a) What are objectives of Rock mass classification?
 - b) Explain why all cracks in the rock mass do not propagate always in their direction of crack initiation.
- 9. Write short notes:
 - a) Bore Hole Test
 - b) Importance of Engineering Geology.