Programme Outcome: B.Sc. Geology

PO	Particulars
PO - 1	The syllabus is based on an integrated curriculum with an approach to provide learning
	through problem solving and hands on training techniques.
PO – 2	To provide adequate basic understanding of geology and its uses among students.
PO – 3	Program aims to develop intellectual ability and geological skills through an appropriate
	blending of theoretical subject education, practical exercises and field training.
PO – 4	To provide basic knowledge, training, skills and eligibility degree for various higher
	academic courses and Technical Assistant job position in research institutions.
PO – 5	To provide basic degree required to appear for job selections in various services as
	recruited by UPSC, State and Central Government organisations.
PO – 6	To train students to take up the technical assistant functions at various geological
	organisations like Survey of India, Oil and Natural Gas Commission, Geological Survey of
	India etc.
PO – 7	To motivate students to take up higher studies and ultimately research in different sub
	disciplines of the subject in India and abroad.
PO – 8	To develop appropriate skills in the students to make them competent to take up self
	employment in innovative geology related fields.
PO – 9	At the end of three years of B. Sc. Geology course students would gain through
	understanding in the fundamental concepts of geological sciences.

Programme Specific Outcome: B.Sc. Geology

B.Sc. I Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology	Physical and Structural Geology	The first semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to understand the scope and application of Geology and gives them the confidence to go to the next level of learning in the subject. It aims to provide adequate basic knowledge about origin and age of the earth, various diastrophic processes like earthquakes, volcanism etc, besides understanding the phenomena of folding, faulting, structural mapping and handling of basic geological field instruments.

B.Sc. II Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology	Crystallography	This semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to
CC (Core	& Mineralogy	understand the concepts of crystal characters, parameters,
Course)		symmetry and systems. They also get the knowledge of
		handling petrologic polarizing microscope and about basic
		physical and optical properties of certain common rock
		forming minerals.

B.Sc. III Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology CC	Petrology	This semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to
(Core Course)		understand origin, distribution, classification, textures and
		occurrences of igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks.
Geology Skill	Photo	This optional course for students of the semester aims to
Enhancement	Geology &	acquaint them with Remote Sensing and Geographic
Course (SEC)	Remote	Information System (GIS). It provides the basic understanding
	Sensing	of aerial photography and digital satellite imageries, associated
		interpretations, classifications, and their uses in geology and
		geomorphology.

B.Sc. IV Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology CC	Stratigraphy &	This semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to
(Core Course)	Palaeontology	appreciate the stratigraphic principles, distribution of rocks in geological time scale in the Indian Subcontinent and their correlation in global geology besides providing an understanding of classification, evolution and distribution of various invertebrate, vertebrate and plant fossils.
Geology Skill	Geomorphology	This optional course for students of the semester aims to
Enhancement	& Geotectonics	equip them with the knowledge of topography in relation
Course (SEC)		to drainage and structures, lithology mapping, dynamic
		earth systems, continental drift, sea floor spreading and
		plate tectonics.

B.Sc. V Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology DSE	Economic	This semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to
(Discipline	Geology &	understand origin, occurrence, formation process and
Specific	Hydrology	distribution in the Indian Subcontinent of various economic
Elective)		minerals. It also provides knowledge of ground water
		distribution, its parameters and exploration techniques.
Geology Skill	Environmental	This optional course for students of the semester aims to
Enhancement	Geology	equip them with the understanding of biosphere and its
Course (SEC)		relationships with other spheres, energy budget, geological
		hazards and resource management.

B.Sc. VI Semester

Paper	Subject	Outcome
Geology DSE	Elements of	This semester of B.Sc. Geology enables the students to gain

(Discipline	Applied	knowledge about engineering properties of rocks and soils,
Specific	Geology	soil groups, geological considerations in construction of
Elective)		dams and tunnels, landslide causes and prevention, Plane
		Table/ Theodolite surveying and geological mapping,
		mineral exploration and mining.
Geology Skill	Geochemistry	This optional course for students of the semester aims to
Enhancement		provide them the understanding of bonds, colloids, periodic
Course (SEC)		table, cosmic abundance of elements, geochemical
		classification, distribution of major, minor and trace
		elements in various rock types and the basics of
		geochemical thermodynamics.

Course Outcome: B.Sc. Geology

B.Sc. I Semester Physical and Structural Geology

On completion of this unit student will be familiar with scope of
geology, earth and solar system: origin, size, shape, mass, density
and its atmosphere.
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with earth's
origin theories and its interior composition.
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with process of
weathering and erosion
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
earthquakes and seismic waves, Volcanoes, their types and
products.
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with contours,
topography, elementary idea of Bed, Dip & Strike, effect of
structures on outcrop, use of clinometer / brunton compass
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with types of
deformation, nomenclature and types of folds.
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with faults
nomenclature, geometrical and genetic classifications, normal,
thrust and dip faults.
On completion of this unit student will be familiar with definition,
kinds and significance of joints and unconformity.

B.Sc. I Semester Practical (LAB)

CO I: Physical Geology	On completion of this unit student will have the ability to identify basic geomorphologic, physical & topographic features on maps and ground, besides deriving information from Survey Of India Maps
CO II: Structural	On completion of this unit student will have the ability to use

Geology	clinometers/ brunton compass, recognize different faults and fold
	types, solve structural problems based on dip and strike, besides
	preparing cross sections from basic geologic maps.

B.Sc. II Semester Crystallography & Mineralogy

CO I: Crystal Characters	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with definition
	and other basic terms associated with crystal description.
CO II: Crystal	On completion of this unit student will develop familiarity with
Measurements	measurements of crystal axes, angles & interfacial angles.
CO III: Crystal	On completion of this unit student will be able to understand the
Notations	concept of crystal parameters and notation systems.
CO IV: Crystal	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with different
Symmetry	elements of crystal symmetry and will be able to describe the
	normal class of various crystal systems, mentioning nature of their
	crystal axes, symmetry and forms present.
CO V: Mineral	On completion of this unit student will familiarize themselves with
Introduction	concept of mineral, its definition & general characters.
CO VI: Mineral	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with common
Properties	physical properties displayed by minerals in hand specimens, their
	chemical composition and diagnostic physical properties of certain
	common rock forming minerals.
CO VII: Petrologic	On completion of this unit student will develop familiarity with
Microscope	parts and functioning of polarizing petrologic microscope, concept
	of ordinary and polarized light, various optical properties of
	minerals' thin sections studied under them and under crossed
	nicols.
CO VIII: Optical	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with optical
Properties of Minerals	properties of certain common rock forming minerals as studied
	under the petrologic microscope.

B.Sc. II Semester Crystallography & Mineralogy (LAB)

CO I: Crystallography	On completion of this unit student will have the ability of recognizing the symmetry elements of normal class of all crystal systems and will be able to draw certain simple and combination crystal forms, found in these classes of all crystal systems.
CO II: Mineralogy	On completion of this unit student will have the ability of recognizing and describing certain common minerals on the basis of their diagnostic physical properties, use of petrological polarizing microscope and study of optical properties of common rock forming minerals.
CO III: Field Training	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with elementary aspects of field geology, observations to be made there, collection of field samples and report preparation thereon.

CO I: Basics of Igneous	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with definition,
Petrology	composition, types and origin of magma, forms and textures of
	igneous rocks.
CO II: Crystallization of	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with reaction
Magma	principles, crystallization of uni-component and bi-component
	magma, mix crystals, Bowen's Reaction Series, and development
	of various igneous rocks through differentiation and assimilation.
CO III: Classification of	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Igneous Rocks	mineralogical and chemical classification of igneous rocks.
CO IV: Igneous	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with the study
Petrography	of petrography and writing description of igneous rocks.
CO V : Sedimentary	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with formation,
Rocks	classification, textures and structures of sedimentary rocks.
CO VI: Sedimentary	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Petrography	petrographic details of certain common and important siliciclastic
	and carbonate rocks.
CO VII: Metamorphic	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with process
Rocks	and products, types, factors, zones and grades of metamorphism,
	textures, structures and classification of metamorphic rocks.
CO VIII: Metamorphic	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Petrography	petrographic details of certain common and important
	metamorphic rocks.

B.Sc. III Semester Petrology (LAB)

CO I: Igneous Petrology	On completion of this unit student will develop the ability to identify certain igneous rocks in hand specimen as well as in thin sections, using the physical and optical properties of minerals present in them.
CO II: Sedimentary and Metamorphic	On completion of this unit student will develop the ability to identify certain Sedimentary and Metamorphic rocks in hand
Petrology	specimen as well as in thin sections, using the physical and optical properties of minerals present in them

B.Sc. III Semester Photo Geology and Remote Sensing (SEC)

CO I: Introduction to	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Photo Geology	elementary idea of Photo Geology, it's scope, uses and
	importance. Electromagnetic Spectrum, Types and geometry of
	aerial photographs, factors affecting aerial photographs and their
	scales; Types of camera, films and filters.
CO II: Introduction to	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Remote Sensing	fundamental concepts in remote sensing, it's applications in
	geomorphology and geology, remote sensing systems and sensors
	involved, electromagnetic signatures of rocks, minerals and soils.
CO III: Digital Image	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with various

Processing	types of national and foreign satellites, fundamental steps involved in digital image processing, elements of pattern recognization and classification.
CO IV: Geographical	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with basics of
Information System	GIS and it's components, products produced with GIS, tools for digital map analysis and integration of GIS with Remote Sensing.

B.Sc. IV Semester Stratigraphy and Paleontology

CO I: Basics of	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with definition,
Stratigraphy	principles of stratigraphy, geological time scale and stratigraphic
	classification. Physiographic divisions of India.
CO II: Stratigraphic	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Successions	Precambrian successions of Dharwar, Cuddapha, Vindhyan and
	Delhi Supergroups, Brief idea of Paleozoic succession of
	northwestern Himalayas, Triassic of Spiti, Mesozoic type
	succession of Kutch and Rajasthan, Cretaceous of Triuchirapalli.
COIII: Type Localities	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with type
	localities of Gondwana and Deccan Trap.
CO IV: Paleogene-	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with Paleogene-
Neogene	Neogene sequences of northwest Himalaya and Assam.
CO V: Understanding	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with fossils their
Fossils	characters and significance, taxonomical binomial nomenclature,
	modes and conducive conditions of fossilization.
CO VI: Shelly	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Invertebrate Texa	morphology and geological distribution of brachiopods,
	pelecypods (bivalves), and cephalopods.
CO VII: Higher	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Inverebrate Texa	morphology and geological distribution of trilobites and echinoids.
CO VIII: Vertebrate	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Paleontology and	evolutionary history of horses, morphology, distribution and
Paleobotany	significance of Gondwana flora.

B.Sc. IV Semester Geomorphology and Geotectonics (SEC)

CO I: Principles and Techniques	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with basic principles of geomorphology, geomorphological cycles, weathering and erosion, geomorphic mapping tools and techniques.
CO II: Physical Processes	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with Epigene/exogenic processes, degradation and aggradation, hypogene/endogenic processes, diastrophism and volcanism, extraterrestrial processes, geological work of wind, glacier, river, underground water and ocean.
CO III: Dynamic Earth	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with earth as a dynamic system, elementary idea of continental drift, sea floor

	spreading, application.		ridges,	paleomagnetism	and	its
CO IV: Plate Tectonics	On complet	tion of this u	nit stude	nt will be familiar	with	the
	concept of	plate tectonic	s, plate	margins, orogeny,	deep	sea
	trenches, isl	and arcs and vo	olcanic ard	cs.		

B.Sc. IV Semester Stratigraphy and Paleontology (LAB)

CO I: Paleontology	On completion of this unit student will be able to describe the morphological characters, taxonomic classification and age of selected invertebrate groups, viz., brachiopods, bivalves, cephalopods, trilobites and echinoids.
CO II: Stratigraphy	On completion of this unit student will be able to prepare lithostratigraphic maps of India showing distribution of important geological formations.
CO III: Field Training	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with geological field observations in sedimentary or petrologically important terrains of Himalayas and report preparation thereon.

B.Sc. V Semester Economic Geology and Hydrology

CO I: Ores	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with ore and ore deposits, ore minerals and gangue minerals, tenor of ores,
	metallic and non-metallic ore minerals, strategic, critical and essential minerals.
CO II: Ore Formation	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with processes
	of formation of ore deposits, magmatic, contact metasomatic and hydrothermal sedimentation process.
CO III: Metallic and Industrial	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with important metallic and non-metallic (industrial) minerals.
CO IV: Organic Fuels	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with distribution of coal and petroleum in India.
CO V: Introduction To	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with definition
Hydrology	and hydrological cycle.
CO VI: Hydrological	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with hydrologic
Parameters	parameters like precipitation, evaporation, transpiration and infiltration.
CO VII: Groundwater	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with origin of
	groundwater, it's vertical distribution and types of aquifers,
	porosity, permeability, specific yield and specific retention.
CO VIII: Groundwater	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with geological
Exploration and	and geophysical methods of groundwater exploration and ground
Provinces	water provinces of India.

B.Sc. V Semester Economic Geology and Hydrology (LAB)

CO I: Economic	On completion of this unit student will be able to study ore and
Geology	economic minerals in hand specimen, preparation of maps showing distribution of important metallic and non-metallic deposits and important coal and oil fields of India.
CO II: Hydrology	On completion of this unit student will be able to study hydro- geological models, estimation of porosity and permeability from the given data, preparation and interpretation of water table maps.

B.Sc. V Semester Environmental Geology (SEC)

CO I: Earth Materials	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with earth and
	its spheres, atmosphere, hydrosphere, lithosphere, biosphere and
	man and various earth materials.
CO II: Environment and	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with energy
Climate	budget, solar radiation, global environments: coastal, riverine,
	desertic, tropical, cold, polar; global warming and climate change.
CO III: Geological	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with important
Hazards	geological hazards: earthquakes, volcanoes, landslides,
	avalanches, floods and, draughts; hazard mitigation.
CO IV: Resource	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Management	Conventional and non-conventional energy resources and their
	management, water resources and watershed management, land
	use planning and land reclamation.

B.Sc. VI Semester Applied Geology

CO I: Engineering	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with basic
Properties of Rocks	engineering properties of rocks and soils.
CO II: Soils	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with various
	types of soils, conditions of their development and their distribution in India.
CO III: Dams	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with dams, their
	types, geological and environmental considerations in deciding the
	location, design/ type of dam and geological problems of
	reservoirs.
CO IV: Tunnels	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with basic
	concepts in tunneling, associated problems, tunnel supports,
	hazardous and favorable geological conditions for tunnel
	construction/site-selection, Role of water table and associated
60)/ - -	seepage problems in tunnels.
CO V: Landslides	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
	classification, causes and prevention of landslides.
CO VI: Mineral	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Exploration	elementary idea of geological and geophysical prospecting for
	mineral exploration.

CO VII: Mining	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
	elementary idea of mining.
CO VIII: Environmental	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with
Considerations	environmental considerations for mining.

B.Sc. VI Semester Applied Geology (LAB)

CO I: Mapping	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with surveying by Plane Table/ Theodolite and preparation of engineering geological maps.
CO II: Engineering Geology	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with soil profiles, engineering properties and identification of building stones, models of landslide, tunnel and dam.
CO III: Field Training	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with geological field observations in important engineering geology or geological hazard sites and report preparation thereon.

B.Sc. VI Semester Geochemistry (SEC)

CO I: Introduction	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with basics of
	crystal chemistry, chemical bonds, coordination number. Colloids,
	ion exchanges and Periodic Table.
CO II: Elemental	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with cosmic
Abundance	abundance of elements, composition of planets and meteorites,
	geochemical evolution of earth and geochemical cycle.
CO III: Elements'	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with Gold
Classification and	Schmidt's geochemical classification of elements and distribution
Distribution	of major, minor and trace elements in various categories of rocks.
CO IV: Thermo-	On completion of this unit student will be familiar with Basics of
dynamics and Isotope	geochemical thermodynamics, isomorphism and polymorphism
Geochemistry	and isotope geochemistry.