

**PALEOCURRENT ANALYSIS IN A PART OF BHAGIRATHI VALLEY
BETWEEN MANERI AND GANGNANI AREA DISTRICT UTTARKASHI,
GARHWAL HIMALAYA UTTARAKHAND**

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ABSTRACT

The Investigated area lies in lesser and central Himalayan part of Garhwal Himalaya in Uttarkashi District. Geologically the rocks of lesser Himalaya separated from central Himalaya. by main central thrust which passes near Sainj i.e 20 km from Uttarkashi along Uttarkashi Gangotri highway. The rocks of lesser Himalaya represented by Garhwal group comprises of quartzites, epidiorites and talc chlorite schist etc while central Himalaya represented by central crystalline comprises of schists, gneisses and various type of migmatites. Attempt here been made to study the drainage pattern and paleocurrent analysis. For this purpose help of toposheet (Geological survey of India) has been taken to analysis of drainage pattern. For paleocurrent analysis the pebble orientation direction along Bhagirathi valley measured , and for rose diagram the pebble orientation direction of various terraces measured at four places at Hinna, Maneri, Lata and Bhatwari and rose diagrams were prepared.

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