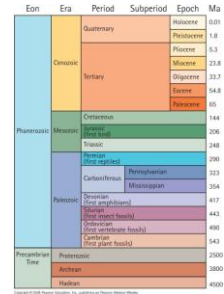


## Chapter 8

### TIMING THE GEOLOGIC RECORD

## Geologic Time Scale



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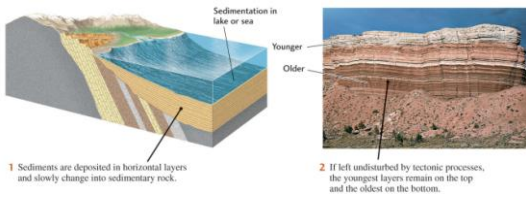
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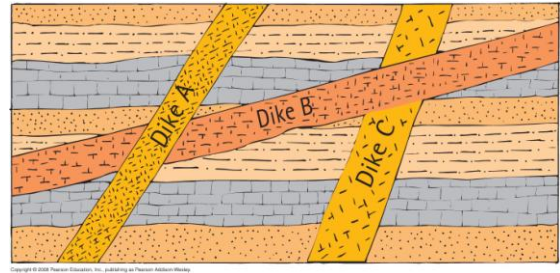
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## Superposition and Original Horizontality



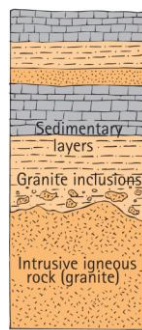
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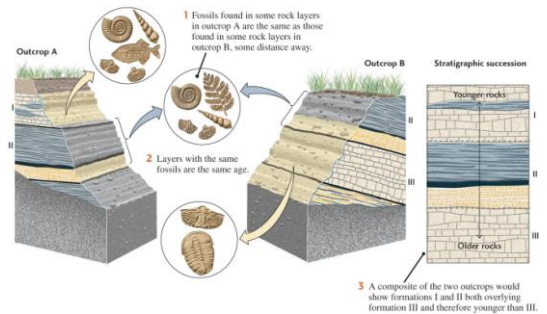
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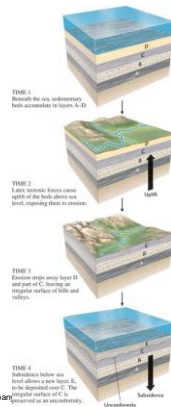
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## Fossil succession



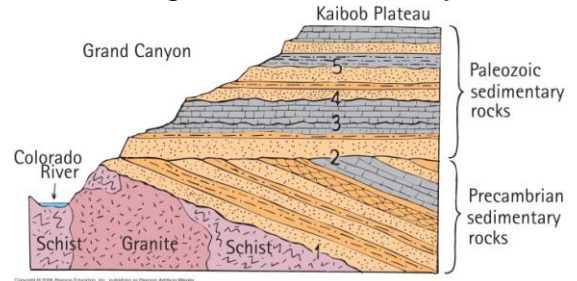
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## Unconformity



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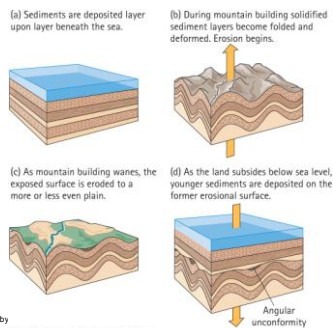
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## Making an angular unconformity



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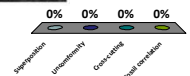
### Question:

What principle would be the best to apply to determine the relative order in which rock units A and B in the image below were formed?

1. Superposition
2. Unconformity
3. Cross-cutting
4. Fossil correlation



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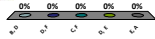


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**Question:**

Examine the image of rock layers below. An angular unconformity is present between layers \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_.

1. B, D
2. D, F
3. C, F
4. D, E
- ✓ 5. E, A



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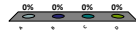


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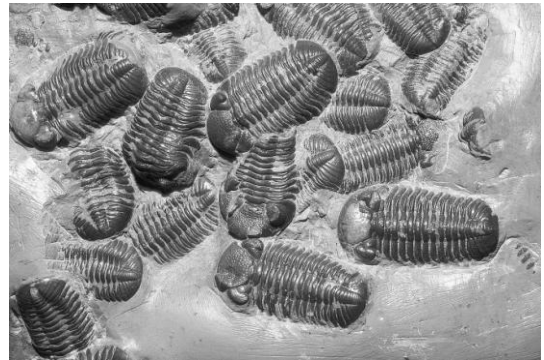
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Examine the image of rock layers below. Which letter represents the layer that was formed earliest?

- ✓ 1. A
2. B
3. C
4. D



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