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M.Sc. I Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(Fundamentals of Environmental Science)

Paper - H.C.T. 1.1

(New)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer all Sections.
- 2) Section A is Compulsory.

SECTION-A

1. Answer any TEN of the following.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- a) Lithosphere
- b) Tundra biome
- c) Environmental ethics-
- d) Greenhouse gases
- e) Man made hazards
- f) Perception of risk
- g) Energy resources
- h) Sustainability
- i) Biodiversity conservation
- j) Population explosion
- k) Evolution
- l) Types of biomes.

SECTION-B

Answer any SIX of the following.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

- 2. Discuss the effect of water substances on atmosphere.
- 3. Write a note on temperate grass land biome.

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- 4. Give an account of historical route and scope of environmental science.
- 5. Explain human-ecosystem interaction.
- 6. Write briefly about thermodynamics of atmosphere.
- 7. Explain about resources and environmental problems.
- 8. Explain the effect of population explosion on the quality of life.
- 9. Describe the marine biome.

SECTION-C

Answer any THREE of the following.

 $(3\times10=30)$

- 10. Write an essay on hydrosphere.
- 11. Discuss environmental movement in India with respect to Their dam.
- 12. Discuss the moral and ethical issues in environmental science.
- 13. Outline the evolution of ecosystem.
- 14. Out line the geographical classification of India.

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M.Sc. I Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(Environmental Geosciences)

Paper - HCT-1.2

(New)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer all Sections.
- 2) Section A is Compulsory.

SECTION-A

1. Answer any TEN of the following.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- a) Mineral
- b) Convergent Plate Boundary
- c) Magma
- d) Weathering
- e) Oxbow lake
- f) El-Nino
- g) Humus
- h) Land use
- i) Conservation
- j) Trace element
- k) Fossil fuel
- 1) Acid mine drainage

SECTION-B

Answer short notes on any SIX of the following.

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- 2. Geological time scale
- 3. Wegner's concept plate tectonics

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- 4. Environmental hazards caused due to earthquake
- 5. Cold and hot ocean currents and their effect on climate
- 6. Soil Profile
- 7. Geochemical cycle
- 8. Impact of climate change on water resource management
- 9. Indian climate monitoring system.

SECTION-C

Answer any THREE of the following.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 10. Write an essay on internal structure of the Earth.
- 11. Define weathering and describe different types of weathering.
- 12. Write an essay on identification & characteristics of Bio and agroclimatic regions of India.
- 13. Explain the application of meteorology to air pollution study.
- 14. Describe water resources conservation methods.

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M.Sc. I Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(Climate Change and Current Issues)

Paper - S.C.T. 1.2

(New)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer all Sections.
- 2) Section A is Compulsory.

SECTION-A

1. Answer any TEN of the following.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- a) Energy balance
- b) Climatology
- c) Thiessen Polygon
- d) Radar and satellite
- e) Topography
- f) CCCR
- g) GWP-
- h) Green house effect
- i) Radiative forcing-
- j) ENSO
- k) Global warming
- 1) Land use changes

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| | Answer any SIX of the following. | (6×5=30 |
| 2. | Discuss the current issues in the field of climate change. | |
| 3. | Explain the remedial measures of greenhouse gases | |
| 4. | Give an account on elementary ideas about weather system. | |
| 5. | Discuss the expression and measurement of humidity. | |
| 6. | Explain the impact of climate change on water resources. | |
| 7. | Write a note on reflective and black carbon- | |
| 8. | What is El nino? Explain. | |
| 9. | Describe the different climatic seasons of India. | |
| | SECTION-C | |
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| 10. | Discuss the elementary ideas about weather system? Write a note on climatic of | |
| 11. | Explain the process, measurement and recording of precipitation. | |
| 12. | Describe climate scenarios of India. Explain climates of vegetative surface. | |
| 13. | Describe preliminary concept of climate changes. Explain forces effecting wind measurement. | d and wind |
| 14. | Explain the key impacts of climate change on environment. | |
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M.Sc. I Semester (CBCS) Degree Examination ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

(Environmental Biology)

Paper - HCT 1.3

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer all Sections.
- 2) Section A is Compulsory.

SECTION-A

1. Write brief note on any TEN of the following.

(10×2=20)

- a) Homeostasis
- b) Food web
- c) Commensalism
- d) Bioms
- e) Ane mochory
- f) Soil erosion
- g) Flagship species
- h) IUCN
- i) Endemic species
- j) Natality
- k) Mutualism
- 1) Red data book

SECTION-B

Write short note on any SIX of the following.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

- 2. Soil conservation
- 3. Protected Areas Network in India.
- **4.** CBD
- 5. Ecological dominance
- 6. Terrestrial ecosystem
- 7. Effect of temperature on Plants and animals
- 8. Lindeman model.
- 9. RAMSAR sites

SECTION-C

Answer any THREE of the following.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 10. Explain structure and functions of Marine ecosystem.
- 11. Explain biomass and productivity is aquatic communities.
- 12. Write the salient features of heliophytco and sciophytco.
- 13. Explain role of local communities in wildlife management.
- 14. Describe the strategies for population control.