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**CS/B.TECH/(EE/CSE/ECE/EIE/EEE/ICE/BME/CT/TT/  
APM)/SEM-8/HU-801/2013  
2013**

**VALUES & ETHICS IN PROFESSION**

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words  
as far as practicable.*

**GROUP – A**

**( Multiple Choice Type Questions )**

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any *ten* of the following :

10 × 1 = 10

i) Bio-ethics is the field of

a) Normative ethics

b) Applied ethics

c) Metaethic

d) None of these.



- ii) The famous Silver Bridge Disaster is dated to
- a) December 15, 1967
  - b) December 27, 1884
  - c) August 26, 1927
  - d) August 26, 1976.
- iii) 'APCTT' stands for
- a) Asian and Pacific Centre for Transfer of Technology
  - b) American Planning Center for Transfer of Technology
  - c) American Planning Center for Technology Transfer
  - d) Asian and Pacific Centre for Technology Transfer.
- iv) The authors of Limits to Growth are
- a) Donella H. Meadows, Dennis L. Meadows, Jorgen Randers, William W. Behrens III
  - b) Aurelio Peccei and Alexander King
  - c) Aurelio Peccei and Alexander King, Dr. Ashok Khosla and Dr. Eberhard von Koerber
  - d) Dr. Ashok Khosla and Dr. Eberhard von Koerber.



- v) Roboethics deals with
- a) the behaviour of humans, how humans design, construct, use and treat robots and other artificially intelligent beings
  - b) with the behaviour of artificial moral agents (AMAs)
  - c) some cultural values and social conventions of Robots
  - d) Anthropomorphization of the machines.
- vi) The Environment Protection Act was introduced in
- a) 1986
  - b) 1989
  - c) 1996
  - d) 1990.
- vii) According to Indian Constitution, India is
- a) Capitalist, non-secular, sovereign country
  - b) Socialist, secular, sovereign, democratic, republic country
  - c) Non-socialist, non-republic, secular country
  - d) None of these.



viii) The first and foremost professional ethics is

- a) to strive for excellence
- b) to take due care to the environment
- c) to serve the needy and poor of the society
- d) none of these.

ix) Eco-friendly technologies include in production of chemical

- a) using CFC
- b) using petroleum fraction
- c) using natural gas
- d) none of these.

x) Which of the following should be treated as terminal value ?

- a) Obedience
- b) Peace and harmony
- c) Truthfulness
- d) None of these.



xi) Three ideals of human life are

- a) truth, beauty and good
- b) lie, ugly and bad
- c) lie, beauty and good
- d) truth, ugly and good.

xii) The major green house gases are

- a) carbon dioxide, methane etc.
- b) oxygen, nitrogen etc.
- c) water vapour, nitrogen dioxide, sulphur dioxide etc.
- d) none of these.

### **GROUP - B**

#### **( Short Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 5 = 15$

2. Discuss briefly about the importance of technology transfer in a developing economy ? Explain appropriate technology in such application ? 3 + 2
3. What is the importance of man machine interface ? State how a system can be improved and can be made an work efficient one. 2 + 3



4. Describe the nature of global energy crisis ? Explain trends in deterioration of oil and other energy materials ?

2 + 3

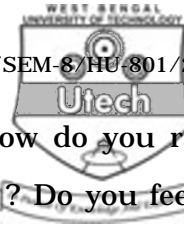
5. Describe the fundamental cannons of professional ethics ?  
How does cannons of ethics differ from code of ethics. 3 + 2
6. Discuss how our environment is contaminated with pollution and reduction of immunity due to chemicals and radiation effects.

### GROUP – C

#### ( Long Answer Type Questions )

Answer any *three* of the following. 3 × 15 = 45

7. a) What is the relationship between science, technology and ethics ? How are the economy and the prosperity of a nation influenced by its technological development ? 5 + 5
- b) Explain 'Bio-Ethics' and 'Information Ethics'. 5
8. a) What is 'Value Crisis' ? What has led to value crisis in the contemporary society ? 1 + 2
- b) What are the different types of value crisis ? Give a way out and to explain what is a 'good life'. 12



9. What do you mean by 'Whistle Blowing' ? How do you rate whistle blowing as an organizational practice ? Do you feel a need for legal protection of whistle blowers ? Briefly discuss a case where the whistle was not blown and the consequences of the same.  $2 + 5 + 3 + 5$
10. a) Critically judge E.F. Schumacher's Idea of 'Small is Beautiful'. Do you think Appropriate Technology will bring depletion to a lesser intensity. Give examples and explain how these can save some of the resources.
- b) How does IT and computers serve society ? What may happen if the technical experts do not abide by their code of ethics ?  $8 + 4 + 3$
11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following :  $3 \times 5$
- a) Intellectual Property Rights
  - b) Aesthetic values
  - c) Corporate Social Responsibility
  - d) Sustainable Development
  - e) Club of Rome.
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