## Aug/September 2022 B.Tech. (CSE(AIML)/CE/CE(DS)) (IV Semester) ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES (MC-03)

Time: 3 hours Max. Marks: 75

## PART A (1.5 marks each)

- **Q1** (a) What is Sustainable development?
  - (b) Give three causes of soil erosion.
  - (c) Define food chain and food web.
  - (d) Give one example each of endangered, extinct and endemic species.
  - (e) What are the impacts of ozone depletion on human beings.
  - (f) Name three renewable sources of energy?
  - (g) What is the need to study environmental issues
  - (h) Give three uses of forest.
  - (i) What are primary and secondary air pollutants?
  - (j) When is Environment Day celebrated?

## **PART B**

- **Q2** (a) Explain the multi-disciplinary nature of Environmental Studies? (8)
  - (b) How can you, as an individual, help in preventing environmental pollution. (7)
- **Q3** (a) What are the major threats to biodiversity? Explain the various methods of conservation of biodiversity. (10)
  - (b) Explain the different types of pyramids giving suitable examples? (5)
- **Q4** Write short notes on any three:

5×3=15

- (i) Ecological succession
- (ii) Hot spots of biodiversity
- (iii) Alternative sources of energy
- (iv) Solid waste Management
- (v) Waste water treatment

- **Q5** (a) Brieflly explain the adverse effects of noise on humans. (5)
  - (b) Give an account of different sources and effects of waste pollution. (10)
- **Q6** (a) How does improper disposal of solid wastes of society effects the human health. Explain few diseases caused by such actions of community. (8)
  - (b) Describe the environmental impacts of increasing population. (7)
- **Q7** Write short notes on any three:

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- (i) Effects of air pollution
- (ii) Acid rain
- (iii) Types and causes of floods
- (iv) Global Warming
- (v) Rain water harvesting



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