

NPTEL COURSE: Environment Impact Assessment (EIA)

WEEK-3 ASSIGNMENT- 3

Each question carries equal marks-2

Total Nos. of Questions-10

Total Marks-20

1. Match the following Global Environmental Timeline.

Group-I		Group-II	
P	1974	I	The United Nation Conference on the Law of Sea, New York
Q	1973	II	The United Nations Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora
R	1978	III	The United Nation Conference on Human Settlements, Vancouver Canada
S	1976	IV	The Amoco Cadiz spill oil off the coast of Brittany

- a) P-II, Q-IV, R-I, S-III
- b) P-III, Q-IV, R-I, S-II
- c) P-II, Q-I, R-IV, S-III
- d) P-IV, Q-III, R-II, S-I

Correct Answer : c) P-II, Q-I, R-IV, S-III

2. Match the following Global Environmental Timeline.

Group-I		Group-II	
P	1981	I	The convention on long range transboundary air pollution is adopted
Q	1984	II	“World Conservation Strategy” -By the International Union for Conservation of Nature publishes section on – “Towards Sustainable Development”
R	1979	III	Global strategy for Health for All by year 2000, by World Health Assembly of World Health Organization
S	1980	IV	Bhopal Gas Strategy

- a) P-II, Q-I, R-IV, S-III
- b) P-I, Q-III, R-II, S-IV
- c) P-III, Q-IV, R-I, S-II
- d) P-IV, Q-II, R-III, S-I

Correct Answer: c) P-III, Q-IV, R-I, S-II

3. State True or False: In 2003, United Nations General Assembly endorsed the United Nations decade of education for sustainable development

- a) True
- b) False

Correct Answer: a) True

4. State True or False: In 2005, Millennium Ecosystem Assessments MEA was released.

- a) True
- b) False

Correct Answer: a) True

5. The Foundation for the Effective EIA System are:

- I. Clear basis in law and regulation
- II. Clear basis of Objectives and Statement
- III. Mandatory compliance and enforcement
- IV. Comprehensive scope of application to proposals with potentially significant impact

Answer

- a) I, II, III only
- b) II, III, IV only
- c) IV, III, I only
- d) I, II, III, IV

Correct Answer: d) I, II, III, IV

6. Match the stages in the EIA notification 2006, Environmental Clearance (EC) Process for New Projects:

Group-I		Group-II	
P	Stage-2	I	Screening (only for category “B” projects and activities)
Q	Stage-1	II	Scoping
R	Stage-4	III	Public Consultations
S	Stage-3	IV	Appraisal

- a) P-III, Q-IV, R-I, S-II
- b) P-I, Q-III, R-II, S-IV
- c) P-II, Q-I, R-IV, S-III
- d) P-IV, Q-II, R-III, S-I

Correct Answer c) P-II, Q-I, R-IV, S-III

7. National Ambient Air Quality Standard /Guidelines for the number of common Pollutants differ with respect to:

- I. Pollutant target
- II. Concentration level
- III. Averaging time
- IV. Measurement Protocols

Answers

- a) I, III, IV only
- b) II, I, IV only
- c) IV, I, III only
- d) I, II, III, IV

Correct Answer: d) I, II, III, IV

8. Types of Policy Instruments are:

- I. Regulations and regulatory Policy standard
- II. Market-based Instruments
- III. Research and Development
- IV. Treaties and Agreements

Answers

- a) I, II, III only
- b) II, IV, I only
- c) III, IV, I only
- d) I, II, III, IV

Correct Answer: d) I, II, III, IV

9. What does UNEP in the context of EIA stand for?

- a) United National, Environmental Program
- b) United Nations, Ecological Program
- c) United Nations Environment Program
- d) United Nations, Ecology Program

Correct Answer: c) United Nations Environment Program

10. CPCB Stands for

- a) Central Processing Control Band
- b) Central Pollution and Coastal Branch
- c) Centre of Pollution and Control Board
- d) Central Pollution Control Board

Correct Answer: d) Central Pollution Control Board