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# B. Tech. / IMBA Examination 2022-23

(Even Semester)

### **ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**

Time: Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks: 60

Note: Attempt all questions.

#### SECTION-A

1. Attempt all parts of the following:

 $8 \times 1 = 8$ 

- (a) Write the main objectives of environmental education.
- (b) Who gave the term ecology?
- (c) What are water-borne diseases? Give examples.
- (d) What is eutrophication?
- (e) Define carrying capacity of the system.

- (f) What is BOD?
- (g) What is the unit to measure thickness of ozone layer?
  - (h) Name the main green house gases.

#### SECTION-B

- 2. Attempt any two parts of the following:  $2\times6=12$ 
  - (a) What do you understand by conventional and non-conventional energy sources? Explain working of a solar cell and give its applications.
  - (b) What is global warming? Discuss causes, effects and control measures of global warming.
  - (c) What is the population growth rate? Discuss logistic growth curve and equation of population.
  - (d) What is an NGO? Discuss the role of NGO's in environment protection.

## SECTION-C

**Note:** Attempt all questions. Attempt any two parts  $5 \times 8 = 40$  from each question.

- 3. (a) Differentiate between the food-chain and food-web with suitable examples.
  - (b) Define sustainable development. What are the measures to achieve it?
  - (c) Write short notes on the following:
    - (i) Biomagnification
    - (ii) Dental and skeletal fluorosis
- 4. (a) What is rain water harvesting? Discuss various methods of rain water harvesting and its benefits.
  - (b) Briefly describe the sources, effects and control of noise pollution.
  - (c) What is solid waste management? Discuss various methods of solid waste disposal.
- (a) Define water pollution. Discuss adverse effects and control of water pollution.
  - (b) What is acid rain? Discuss the causes and effects of acid rain. How has it damaged the Taj-Mahal?

- (c) What is the ozone hole? State the causes of ozone hole formation. Discuss its effects on human beings.
- 6. (a) What is ecosystem? Discuss different components of ecosystem. What are the role of producer, consumers and decomposers in an ecosystem?
  - (b) What is biodiversity? Discuss the methods of biodiversity conservation.
  - (c) Write about the following acts:
    - (i) The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
    - (ii) The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

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