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Time for attempting: 90 minutes (09:30 am to 11:00 am)

Marks: 75
Questions: 75

Instructions:
(a) Each question carries 1 mark.

_____ pyramid gives the best overall picture of functional aspects of ecosystem. *

- ☒ Energy
- ☐ Bio-mass
- ☐ Number
- ☐ None of these



The major source of SO₂ and NO_x in the atmosphere is / are *

- ☐ Vehicles and automobiles.
- ☐ Oil refineries and petrochemical industries.
- ☒ Burning of fossil fuels to generate electricity.
- ☐ All of them

Which of the following component is NOT involved in Air Conditioner? *

- ☐ Condenser
- ☐ Expansion Device
- ☐ Compressor
- ☒ Turbine

Suspended solids in air, less than 1µm in diameter, normally released from chemical or metallurgical processes are known as _____. *

- ☐ Mist
- ☐ Smoke
- ☒ Fumes
- ☐ Dust



Solar Cells are made of *

- ☐ Aluminium
- ☒ Silicon
- ☐ Germanium
- ☐ Silver

Which of the following is NOT a component of Solar Water Heater? *

- ☐ Water storage tank
- ☐ Reflector
- ☒ Gas Holder
- ☐ Evacuated tube

In BOD, it is assumed that oxidation is usually _____ complete after 5 days. *

- ☒ 70%
- ☐ 50%
- ☐ 99%
- ☐ 20%



In acoustics, as the distance is halved, the sound pressure (in dB) of a spherical wavefront radiating from a point source _____.*

- ☐ Decreases by 50%
- ☐ Decreases by 25%
- ☒ Increases by 100%
- ☐ Increases by 200%

Which of the following is water purification technology ? *

- ☒ All of these
- ☐ Sedimentation filtration
- ☐ Ion exchange
- ☐ Activated carbon towers

R/P ratio is called as *

- ☐ Recovered to Produce ratio
- ☐ Reuse to Produce ratio
- ☒ Reserves to Production ratio
- ☐ None of these



The primary energy consumption of India is _____ *

- ☐ 1/20 of the world
- ☒ 1/29 of the world
- ☐ 1/16 of the world
- ☐ 1/7 of the world

Noise level at a busy traffic intersection of a city was recorded as 78.1 dB.
Convert the same into Pa. *

- ☐ 160.705 Pa
- ☒ 0.1607 Pa
- ☐ 0.001607 Pa
- ☐ 160705.22 Pa

_____ does not play a significant role in Phosphorus cycle. *

- ☐ Hydrosphere
- ☐ Lithosphere
- ☒ Atmosphere
- ☐ None of these



NO_x is the most commonly emitted air pollutant from _____. *

- ☒ Coal based power station
- ☐ Gas based power station
- ☐ Lignite based power station
- ☐ None of these

_____ the food chain, more will be the available energy *

- ☒ Shorter
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Longer
- ☐ Average

As per the Supreme Court judgment, _____ emission standards for motor vehicles are discontinued from April 1, 2020 in India. *

- ☒ Bharat Stage IV
- ☐ Bharat Stage V
- ☐ Bharat Stage VII
- ☐ Bharat Stage VI



_____ is an example of non-renewable energy. *

- ☐ Sunlight
- ☐ Geo-thermal
- ☐ Wind
- ☒ None of these

_____ is a cradle-to-grave or cradle-to-cradle analysis technique to assess environmental impacts associated with all the stages of a product's life. *

- ☒ Life cycle assessment
- ☐ EIA
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Environmental Audit

Air quality standard for SO₂ is 80 µg/m³. Convert this into ppm at 1 atmospheric pressure and 25°C. (Molecular weight of SO₂ is - 64 g/mol) *

- ☐ 30.56 ppm
- ☐ 3.056 ppm
- ☐ 0.3056 ppm
- ☒ 0.03056 ppm



In waste water treatment, reverse osmosis and electro-dialysis are examples of *

- ☐ Pre-treatment
- ☐ Secondary Treatment
- ☒ Tertiary Treatment
- ☐ Primary Treatment

1 tonne of oil equivalent is _____. *

- ☐ 11.63GJ
- ☐ 42MWhr
- ☒ 11.63MWhr
- ☐ 210GJ

From most to least favored, what is the order of waste management hierarchy ? *

- ☐ Prevention-Reuse-Disposal-Recycle
- ☐ Prevention-Disposal -Reuse-Recycle
- ☒ Prevention-Reuse-Recycle-Disposal
- ☐ Prevention- Recycle-Reuse- Disposal



_____ is an international treaty to limit and reduce greenhouse gases (GHG) emissions by industrialized countries and economies. *

- ☐ Rio Declaration
- ☐ The Montreal Protocol
- ☐ The Paris Agreement
- ☒ The Kyoto Protocol

Sewage discharge in cities and towns is an example of _____ water pollution. *

- ☐ Area source
- ☐ Non-point source
- ☒ Point source
- ☐ None of these

The process of nutrient enrichment in surface water bodies, due to waste water is known as _____. *

- ☐ Biodiversity
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Bio-magnification
- ☒ Eutrophication



How should be the ignition temperature of an ideal fuel? *

- ☐ Low
- ☐ Very low
- ☒ Moderate
- ☐ Very high

Why are plastics difficult to recycle? *

- ☐ Because it is very adhesive in its nature
- ☒ Because of different types of polymer resins
- ☐ Because of the different sizes of plastic
- ☐ Because it is a very hard material

The sampling and analysis of various environmental components of industry is carried out atleast _____ in one year. *

- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Once
- ☐ Thrice
- ☒ Twice



Which gas / compound has got the maximum global warming potential (GWP)? *

- ☒ Sulphur Hexa Fluoride
- ☐ Carbon Di-oxide
- ☐ Nitrous Oxide
- ☐ Hydro Fluoro Carbons

One of the advantages of solid fuel is *

- ☐ Ash formation
- ☒ Ease of transport
- ☐ Requirement of excess air
- ☐ Low calorific value

_____ frequency is inaudible to human ears. *

- ☐ B. >20,000 Hz
- ☐ A. <20Hz
- ☐ D. None of these
- ☒ Both (A) & (B)



Energy is defined as the _____. *

- ☐ Lifting the body
- ☐ Displacement of a body with force
- ☒ Capacity to do work
- ☐ None of these

With reference to EIA Rules-2006, which sequence is correct ? *

- ☐ Screening-Scoping-Appraisal-Public Consultation
- ☐ Scoping-Screening-Appraisal-Public Consultation
- ☐ Scoping-Screening-Public Consultation--Appraisal
- ☒ Screening-Scoping-Public Consultation-Appraisal

In which sphere, ozone layer depletion is found? *

- ☐ None of these
- ☒ Stratosphere
- ☐ Ionosphere
- ☐ Lithosphere



The ozone layer absorbs what range of wavelengths of the sun's radiation? *

- ☒ 200 nm – 315 nm
- ☐ 450 nm – 570 nm
- ☐ 0.80 nm – 1.50 nm
- ☐ 600 nm – 750 nm

The main constituent of Biogas is _____ *

- ☐ O₂
- ☐ CO
- ☐ H₂S
- ☒ CH₄

Which waste will decompose in less than six months if left outside? *

- ☐ cigarette butts
- ☐ plastic or glass bottles
- ☒ food, leaves, grass clippings
- ☐ aluminum or steel cans



Which of the following is not a greenhouse gas? *

- ☐ Water vapor
- ☐ Carbon dioxide
- ☐ Methane
- ☒ Ethane

Ozone depletion potential is given with reference to _____ *

- ☐ A. CO
- ☐ B. CO₂
- ☐ C. Both (A) & (B)
- ☒ D. CFC

Permissible norms for night time noise for silence zones is _____ dB. *

- ☐ 65
- ☒ 40
- ☐ 55
- ☐ 45



COP is *

- ☐ Output/ Input
- ☐ Work input/ Heat Supplied
- ☒ Desired Effect/Work Input
- ☐ Work Done/Heat Supplied

Choose the incorrect statement regarding wind power. *

- ☐ It is expected to harness wind power to minimum in open space.
- ☐ Wind hitting the blades of a windmill causes them to rotate. The rotation thus achieved can be utilised further.
- ☐ One possible method of utilising the energy of rotational motion of the blades of a windmill is to run the turbine of an electric generator.
- ☒ The potential energy content of wind blowing at high altitudes is the source of wind power.

Fossil fuels like coal, oil and natural gas are *

- ☒ Commercial energy sources
- ☐ Non-conventional energy sources
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Non-commercial energy sources



In biotic components of an ecosystem structure, producers are also known as

_____.*

- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Heterotrophs
- ☐ Saprotrophs
- ☒ Autotrophs

Resettlement and rehabilitation (R&R) of persons is very significant for which type(s) of project(s) ? *

- ☐ A. Highways & Expressways
- ☐ D. None of these
- ☐ B. Dams
- ☒ C. Both (A) and (B)

From the water pollution perspective, _____ is a heavy metal. *

- ☒ All of these
- ☐ Lead
- ☐ Arsenic
- ☐ Cadmium



The sum of all emissions of carbon dioxide which were induced by an entity's activities in a given timeframe is called _____ *

- ☐ Carbon sinks
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Carbon Intensity
- ☒ Carbon Footprint

Pollution Under Control (PUC) certificate for automobiles is issued under _____ *

- ☐ Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act-1981
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Environment Protection Act-1986
- ☒ Indian Motor Vehicles Rules-1989

_____ is the driving push for energy storage. *

- ☒ All of these
- ☐ Grid modernization
- ☐ Cost and performance improvement
- ☐ Global movement towards renewable



The most recent agreement for dealing with greenhouse gas emissions mitigation, adaptation and finance is _____ . *

- ☐ The Kyoto Protocol
- ☐ The Montreal Protocol
- ☒ The Paris Agreement
- ☐ Rio Declaration

Scoping in EIA is done to _____ *

- ☐ D. None of these
- ☐ B. Finalize the terms of reference (TORs)
- ☒ C. Both (A) & (B)
- ☐ A. Identify the key and significant environmental

Which of this is an example of secondary air pollutant? *

- ☐ Dust
- ☒ SO₃
- ☐ Hydrocarbons
- ☐ SO₂



4 ml of waste water is diluted to 300 ml distilled water in standard BOD bottle. After 5 days, the dissolved oxygen content had dropped to 1.1 mg/L and BOD5 value obtained was 118.5 mg/L. Determine the initial DO value. *

- ☐ 0.48 mg/L
- ☒ 2.68 mg/L
- ☐ 4.68 mg/L
- ☐ 5.23 mg/L

_____ is the main constituent of ATP & ADP and is very essential for the growth of plants. *

- ☐ Sulphur
- ☐ Nitrogen
- ☒ Phosphorus
- ☐ Carbon

Lowest temperature at which fuel can be heated so that vapour gives off sparks is known as _____.

- ☐ Ignition temperature
- ☒ Flash point
- ☐ Adiabatic temperature
- ☐ Pour point



The pH of natural rain is found to be in the range of _____. *

- ☒ 5 to 7
- ☐ 7 to 9
- ☐ 3 to 5
- ☐ Neutral - 7

_____ is the programme which initially focusses on the energy efficiency improvement in unauthorized sectors like domestic and agriculture? *

- ☐ Designated consumers
- ☒ Standards and Labelling
- ☐ None of them
- ☐ Energy conservation building codes

Watt is a unit of _____. *

- ☒ Sound power
- ☐ Sound pressure level
- ☐ Sound pressure
- ☐ None of these



Acid rain is harmful to terrestrial vegetation, mostly because it leaches nutrients such as _____ and allows them to exit the ecosystem by runoff. *

- ☒ Potassium
- ☐ Phosphorus
- ☐ Cadmium
- ☐ Chromium

Advantages of liquid fuel in comparison to solid fuel is/are _____. *

- ☒ All of these
- ☐ High calorific value
- ☐ Requires less space for storage
- ☐ Easy handling and transportation

The Act which has been enacted to provide for efficient use of energy and its conservation and for matters connected therewith is? *

- ☐ Energy Conservation Act 2007
- ☐ Indian Electricity Act 2003
- ☒ Energy Conservation Act 2001
- ☐ Indian Electricity Act 2010



Primary batteries are based on *

- ☐ Anaerobic reaction
- ☒ Electrochemical reaction
- ☐ Isothermal reaction
- ☐ Water gas shift reaction

NITI stands for *

- ☐ National Institution for Transformed India
- ☒ National Institution for Transforming India
- ☐ New India Transformed Initiative
- ☐ None of these

Which fuel is used widely in steam power plants? *

- ☐ Gas
- ☐ Petroleum
- ☒ Coal
- ☐ Oil



_____ is an essential element for living organisms for synthesizing amino-acids, vitamins etc. *

- ☐ Carbon
- ☒ Nitrogen
- ☐ Phosphorus
- ☐ Sulphur

_____ is the nodal agency of Central Government responsible for the implementation of EIA Notification. *

- ☒ MoEF&CC
- ☐ CPCB
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ SPCB

Which of the following is NOT used in Solar Water Heating System? *

- ☐ Pressure Relief valve
- ☒ None of these
- ☐ PV Panel
- ☐ Collector



Measurement of BOD (Biological Oxygen Demand) is primarily used for _____ *

- ☐ None of them
- ☐ Determine level of DO
- ☒ Estimating the quantity of organic matter in waste water
- ☐ Estimating the types of microbes

BEE stands for *

- ☒ Bureau of Energy Efficiency
- ☐ Bureau of Efficient Energy
- ☐ None of these
- ☐ Bureau of Energy and Environment

In a food chain, if the amount of energy at the tertiary consumers level is 5 kJ, what will be the energy available at the producer level? *

- ☒ 5000 kJ
- ☐ 50 kJ
- ☐ 5 kJ
- ☐ 500 kJ



Which among them is main pollutant in soil? *

- ☐ Nitrogen and phosphorous
- ☐ All of them
- ☒ Heavy metals and metalloids
- ☐ Pesticides

What is the benefit of conducting EIA? *

- ☐ Identifies feasible alternatives
- ☐ Predicts significant adverse impacts
- ☐ Screens out environmentally-unsound projects
- ☒ All of them

Fuels are classified as primary and secondary fuel based on the _____ *

- ☒ Occurrence
- ☐ State
- ☐ Capacity to burn
- ☐ Availability



Which of the following is an example of secondary fuel? *

- ☐ Wood
- ☐ Lignite coal
- ☐ Natural gas
- ☒ Gasoline

The SI unit of energy is _____ *

- ☐ Kilogram/meter
- ☐ Calorie
- ☐ Kilogram
- ☒ Joule

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