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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024
2022 ADMISSIONS REGULAR
SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)
EC5B07B18 - Environmental Economics

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

1. What is Geo thermal energy?
2. What are the biotic components of an ecosystem?
3. Differentiate between vulnerable and rare species.
4. What is meant by resettlement?
5. What are endangered and extinct species?
6. What are the three categories in the biotic group?
7. What is an ecosystem?
8. What is non-tradable goods?
9. What are the different types of pollution.
10. Define pollution.
11. What are human rights?
12. What are the major committee reports for the conservation of Western Ghats?

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

13. What are the different types of ecological pyramids?
14. Discuss the types of food chains with examples.
15. Comment on the endemic species of India.
16. Briefly discuss the threats to biodiversity.
17. Explain the meaning and definition of environmental economics.
18. Briefly explain the negative aspects of development on environment.
19. Explain travel cost method of environmental valuation.
20. Write a short note on The Declaration on the Protection of Women and Children in Emergency and Armed Conflict.
21. Describe the issue of over-exploitation of groundwater resources.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

22. Discuss the problem of solid waste management.
23. Explain the significance of international summits for the protection of nature.
24. Evaluate different techniques of valuing the Environment.
25. Explain the role of the UN in promoting human rights.