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PG CBCS MA/M.Sc. Semester-II Examination, 2022

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

PAPER: GEO 201

(ENVIRONMENTAL APPROACHES AND APPLICATION)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

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Write the answer for each unit in separate sheet

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UNIT: 201.1

ENVIRONMENATAL ETHICS AND REGULATION

Marks: 20

GROUP-A

1. Answer any <u>one</u> question:

a) Critically evaluate the Gaia hypotheses in the present context.

b) Illustrate the procedure of conducting EIA with reference to any developmental projects.

GROUP-B

2. Answer any two questions:

a) What are the objectives of environmental education?

b) Distinguish ecocentrism from anthropocentrism.

c) Elucidate the principles of environmental stewardship.

d) Highlight the recommendations of the sixth assessment report of IPCC to combat climate change.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any two questions:

a) Define landscape ecology.

b) Define Leopold's land ethics.

c) What is eco-feminism?

d) Mention four goals of ethno-ecology.

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UNIT: 201.2

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Marks: 20 <u>GROUP-A</u>

1. Answer any <u>one</u> question:

a) Discuss the treatment procedures of sludge with proper illustrations.

b) Briefly discuss the controlling technologies of air pollution.

GROUP-B

2. Answer any two questions:

a) Write the techniques of Ambient Air Monitoring.

b) What are the techniques for primary treatments of waste water?

c) Illustrate the spatial distribution of arsenic pollution in West Bengal.

d) Assess the impact of noise pollution on human health.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any two questions:

a) What is activated sludge?

b) Define Phytoremediation.

c) Define primary and secondary pollutants with examples.

d) Mention the principle of reverse osmosis method.

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