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First Semester B.B.A. Degree Examination, January 2014
(Career Related First Degree Programme Under CBCSS)
Group 2 (b)
Foundation Course (2013 Admn.)
BM – 1121 : ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

I. Answer **all** questions in **one** word or **two** sentences. **Each** question carries **1** mark.

- 1) What is physical environment ?
- 2) What are natural resources ?
- 3) What is Malnourishment ?
- 4) Define Ecosystem.
- 5) What are Decomposers ?
- 6) In which year Disaster Management Act was passed ?
- 7) Define Pollution.
- 8) What is Earthquake ?
- 9) What is Ecomark ?
- 10) What is Biodiversity ?

(10×1=10 Marks)

SECTION – B

II. Answer **any 8** questions, **not** to exceed **one** paragraph. **Each** question carries **1** mark.

- 11) What are the components of environment ?
- 12) What is Ecological succession ?
- 13) What do you mean by water logging ?

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- 14) What is soil erosion ?
 - 15) What are man-induced disaster ?
 - 16) What is industrial ecology ?
 - 17) What is value education ?
 - 18) What is green house effect ?
 - 19) What is in-situ conservation ?
 - 20) What are the effects of population explosion ?
 - 21) Explain the activities of ICDS.
 - 22) How industrialisation cause adverse health effects ?
- (8×2=16 Marks)**

SECTION – C

III. Answer **any 6** questions, **not** to exceed **120** words. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

- 23) How air pollution can be controlled ?
 - 24) Explain the financial implication of solid wastes to business enterprises.
 - 25) What are Human Rights ?
 - 26) What are the categories of species under threat ?
 - 27) Discuss the impact of flood in disaster management.
 - 28) What are the effects of Deforestation ?
 - 29) What are the major sources of water pollution ?
 - 30) Explain Genetic diversity.
 - 31) Explain foodwebs.
- (6×4=24 Marks)**

SECTION – D

IV. Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

- 32) Discuss the effects of agriculture and overgrazing on the environment.
 - 33) What is a cyclone ? What are its features ? Explain the adverse effects of cyclone.
 - 34) Explain the various uses of biodiversity regarding direct and indirect values.
 - 35) Discuss the impact of environment on human beings.
- (2×15=30 Marks)**