

**B.A./B.Sc./B.COM DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2018****SEMESTER –5: ECONOMICS (OPEN COURSE)****COURSE: 15U5OCECO1: FOUNDATIONS OF ENVIRONMENTALS ECONOMICS***(Common for Regular 2016 admission & Supplementary 2015 admission)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

**PART A***Answer **all** questions in one or two sentences.**Each question carries **1** mark.*

1. Environmental Economics
2. Global Warming
3. Externalities
4. Contingent valuation
5. Acid Rain
6. Environmental Accounting
7. Desertification
8. Ecological Pyramids
9. Kyoto Protocol
10. Biodiversity

(1 x 10 = 10)

**PART B***Answer **any eight** of the following in three or four sentences.**Each question carries **2** marks.*

11. Define Public goods. Give two examples of public goods.
12. Renewable and Non-Renewable resources.
13. Threats to bio-diversity
14. Positive and negative externalities
15. Impact of global warming
16. Organic waste
17. Decomposers
18. Food Webs
19. Endangered and endemic species
20. Socially optimum level of pollution

(2 x 8 = 16)

**PART C***Answer **any five** of the following in not more than one page.**Each question carries **5** marks.*

21. Discuss the Scope of Environmental Economics
22. What are the Causes of environmental degradation

23. Explain the Environmental policies adopted in India
24. Discuss the Interlinkage between economy and environment
25. Explain Tragedy of the Commons
26. What are the Consequences of climate change
27. Explain the different Types of biodiveristy and values of biodiversity. (5 x 5 = 25)

**PART D**

*Answer **any two** of the following in not exceeding four pages.*

*Each question carries **12** marks.*

28. Explain the Global environment problems.
29. What are the global initiatives adopted with respect to environmental protection?
30. Explain the structure and functions of ecosystem.
31. Elucidate the reasons for market failure. (12 x 2 = 24)

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