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III Semester M.Sc. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Regular) Examination, October 2024 (2023 Admission) BOTANY

MSBOT03 C11: Environmental Science

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

PART - A

Answer **any five** questions, **each** question carries **3** marks.

- 1. Write about El Nino and its impact.
- 2. Point out the importance of biodiversity register.
- 3. Identify the factors affecting population growth.
- 4. Can you explain the importance of environmental economics?
- 5. Differentiate bioremediation and phytoremediation with examples.
- 6. What are the objectives of environmental education? How can you enhance the awareness among people? (5×3=15)

PART - B

Answer any three questions, each question carries 6 marks.

- 7. How can you explain sustainable development and connect it with ecological foot prints?
- 8. Man animal conflict are very common now a days. Can you identify an example of such conflict and analyze the causes and solutions?
- 9. Explain gene ecology and synecology.

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- 10. 'Green audit is important in every institution'. How can you make a green audit report in your institution?
- 11. How can you explain the classification of communities?

 $(3 \times 6 = 18)$

PART - C

Answer any three questions, each question carries 9 marks.

- 12. 'Causes of atmospheric pollution are diverse'. Can you identify different factors which reduces the air quality and analyze the measures to improve air quality?
- 13. 'There are various methods for conservation of biodiversity'. Identify the types of conservation methods and analyze the importance of each.
- 14. Can you explain the characteristic features of different types of populations?
- 15. 'Water pollution affect the biological diversity in ocean ecosystem'. Identify the sources of marine pollution and suggest possible solutions.
- 16. Solid waste management is major issue in most of the municipalities. Identify the problems associated with waste disposal and point out the measures to solve the problems. (3×9=27)

