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FOURTH SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2018

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement) (CUCSS - PG)

CC15 PES4 E24 – ENVIRONMENTAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT

(Environmental Science) (2015 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 36 Weightage

Part A

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries *1* weightage.

- 1. Distinguish between hazard and disaster.
- 2. What is Environmental impact analysis?
- 3. Explain transboundary air pollution.
- 4. Distinguish between weather and climate.
- 5. What is a Heat island?
- 6. Define Hurricane.
- 7. Differentiate between El Nino and Na Nino
- 8. Identify the drivers of present climate change.
- 9. Explain IPCC
- 10. Define lithosphere.
- 11. Explain Nebular Hypothesis.
- 12. What are the different types of forest cover monitoring?
- 13. What is ENSO?
- 14. What is desertification?

(14x1= 14 weightage)

Part B

Answer any *seven* of the following questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 15. Give an account of flood damage assessment.
- 16. Assessment and prediction of vehicular pollution.
- 17. Causes and prediction of tsunami.
- 18. Management of coastal erosion.
- 19. Geological time scale.

- 20. Explain sustainable development.
- 21. Objectives and principles of forest protection.
- 22. Explain Sylvicultural systems.
- 23. Causes and types of eutrophication.
- 24. Explain the link between water and human health.

(7x2= 14 weightage)

Part C

Answer any *two* of the following questions. Each question carries *4* weightage.

- 25. Write an essay on the causes, perception, effects and management of earthquakes.
- 26. Enumerate the prominent environmental problems faced by India.
- 27. Explain the environmental threats faced by the forest ecosystem? How it is managed?
- 28. Write an essay on various aspects of urbanisation and its impact on environment.

(2x4=8 weightage)
