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## Ph.D. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

# FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

## **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

#### Instructions :

- 1) Answer any ten questions each from Section A and B.
- 2) Each question carries **5** marks.
- 3) No additional Answer sheets will be provided.
- 4) Candidates should clearly indicate the section, Question number in the answer booklet.

# Section – A

### **Research Methodology**

- I. Answer any ten questions. All Questions carry equal marks.
- 1. Explain different types of literature review for research work.
- 2. What is research plan? Define different components of the research.
- 3. What is Titrimetric analysis? Explain its application.
- 4. Write a note on working principles of spectrophotometer.
- 5. Explain Correlation coefficient matrix for environmental analysis.
- 6. What is plagiarism? Explain the role on research field.
- 7. What is chromatography? Explain its technique and applications.
- 8. Essay on Intellectual property rights and its importance.
- 9. Write a note on HPLC and its importance in environmental samples.

- 10. What is quality control analysis? Explain with water quality test.
- 11. Write a note on Flame Photometer and its working principle.
- 12. What is report writing? Include the importance of foot note and reference quote.
- 13. Explain different types of hypothesis to work out research problem.
- 14. Write a short note on data collection and its different types.
- 15. What is chemical analysis? List out important techniques in short forms.

(10 × 5 = 50 Marks)

## Section – B

## **Environmental Sciences**

- II. Answer any ten questions. All Questions carry equal marks.
- 16. Explain the importance of Environmental Impact Assessment.
- 17. Whether climate change and environment is interlinked? Explain.
- 18. What kind of disaster management action plan adopted during flooding?
- 19. What is Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD)? Explain its importance.
- 20. Explain the importance of landfill on biomedical waste.
- 21. Write a note on renewable energy sources for sustainable development.
- 22. What is ecosystem? explain its various structures.
- 23. Explain the formation and migration of fossil fuels with past time scale.
- 24. Short note on atmosphere and its major composition.
- 25. How does carbon cycle help environmental sustainability?
- 26. What is waste? Write various types of waste in the environment.
- 27. Explain the meaning of environmental conservation with few example.
- 28. What is global warming? Whether it is natural or man-made phenomena?
- 29. Explain various simple methods of bioventing in organic materials.
- 30. What is environmental assay value in microbial work assessment?

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