

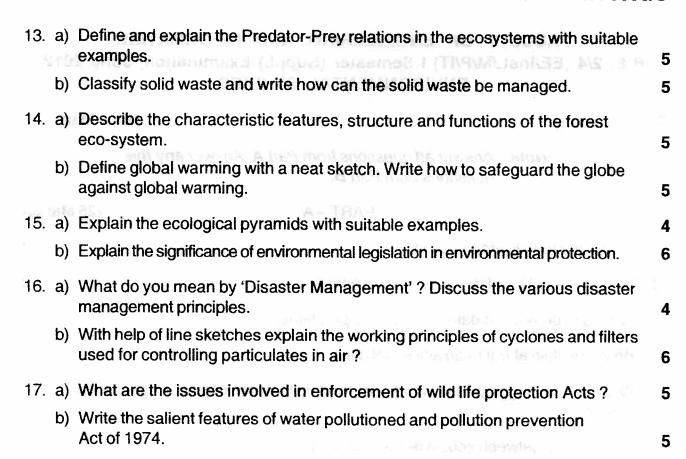


B.E. 2/4 (EE/Inst./M/P/IT) I Semester (Suppl.) Examination, June 2012 ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

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Note: Answer all questions from Part A. Answer any five questions from Part B.

	PART – A (25 Mari	(S)
4.	Define the term Eutrophication.	3
2.	State the merits and demerits of wind energy.	2
3.	Write a short note on dam benefits and problems.	3
4.	Briefly explain about radio active pollution.	2
5.	What is water logging? List conditions leading to water logging in agricultural soils?	3
6.	Differentiate between ecosystem and ecotone.	2
7.	What are the precautionary measures to be taken for the occurrence of a landslide?	2
8.	State the effect of modern agriculture and irrigation methods.	2
9.	What do you understand by "Environmental Ethics"? Discuss.	3
10.	State the importance of environmental impact assessment for approving a project.	3
	PART-B (50 Mar	ks)
11.	a) What are the major causes for conflicts over water? Write any one example.	5
	b) State any ten non-profitable organizations working in India for awareness and environmental conservation.	5
12.	a) Explain Ex-situ and In-situ conservation of biodiversity.	5
	b) State the salient features of "Hotspots" of biodiversity and enlist hotspots of Indian continent.	5



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