

DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN

Final Semester Examination, Third Semester, 2012 School of Social Science

MA Integrated Economics Course: EES –110: Environmental Studies

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

SECTION: A. (Short Answer Type Questions). Attempt any FIVE Questions.

(Marks: 5x2=10)

- 1. What is Ecology?
- 2. Define Food Web.
- 3. Enumerate Ecological Succession.
- 4. How can you conserve water?
- 5. What is Earth Summit?
- 6. Contour Farming.
- 7. Biofuels.
- 8. List the characteristics of an urban polluted area
- 9. List any two-Environmental-Acts (Legislations).

SECTION: B. (Short Answer Type Questions). Attempt any THREE Questions.

(Marks: 5x3=15)

- 1. What is the environmental impact of mineral extraction? Discuss the remedial measures.
- 2. Write a note on problems related to modern agriculture.
- 3. Comment upon ecological and commercial uses of forests.
- 4. Explain ecological pyramids, giving examples.
- 5. Discuss droughts and floods with respect to their occurrence and impact.

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7. Give an account of the functional attributes of ecosystem.

SECTION: C (Long Answer Type Questions). Attempt any TWO Questions.

(Marks: $12.5 \times 2=25$)

- 1. Discuss Food Resources. What are the World Food Problems?
- 2. Describe the energy flow in the ecosystem. Evaluate the characteristics, structure and function of the forest ecosystem.
- 3. What are the structural features and characteristics of ecosystem? Give the role of man in the system.
- 4. What is the role of Economics and Information Technology on human population and environment?