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THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS-UG)

Complementary Course

BTY 3C 11—ENVIRONMENTAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 40 Marks

Section A

Answer any one question out of two in about 1,500 words.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 1. Write an account on "role of microorganisms in biodegradation of various pollutants".
- 2. Give an elaborate note on Air pollution and its effects on human health.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$

Section B

Answer any three questions out of five in about 1,000 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 3. Write a short note on composting.
- 4. Give a brief account on Bioaugmentation.
- 5. Explain the microbial degradation of petroleum hydrocarbons.
- 6. What are the parameters that influencing the rate of Biodegradation?
- 7. State various effects of acid rain.

 $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Section C

Answer all five questions in about 500 words. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 8. Explain vermitechnology.
- 9. Define Biosparging.
- 10. List any five major Chlorinated Hydrocarbons.
- 11. Define xenobiotics.
- 12. List the various primary pollutants.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ marks})$

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