

B.A. I SEMESTER END EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2018
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

Duration: 02 Hours

Marks: 80

INSTRUCTIONS :

1] All questions are Compulsory.

2] Answer the sub- questions in QI and QII in 100 words each

3] Draw sketch and diagrams wherever applicable.

- Q.I Answer any Four of the following: 4 X 4 = 16**
i.Oil spills
ii.HIV
iii.Role of 'Women's commission'
iv.Western Ghats
v.Rainwater harvesting
vi. Disaster managemnt
- Q.II Answer any Four of the following: 4 X 4 = 16**
i.Tidal and wave energy
ii. Sources of noise pollution
iii.Biomagnification
iv. Wildlife protection act of 1972
v.Human rights
vi. Population explosion
- Q.III A Elaborate on the different aquatic eco-systems 6**
OR
- Q.III A Explain the different levels of biodiversity 6**
Q.III B Assess the different effects of air pollution 6
- Q.IV A Discuss the in-situ conservation strategies of bio diversity. 6**
OR
- Q.IV A Elaborate on rainwater harvesting. 6**
Q.IV B Explain the different reasons for water pollution. 6
- Q.V A Discuss in detail the management of solid wastes. 6**
OR
- Q.V A Describe the different geographic factors affecting spatial distribution of population. 6**
Q.V B Analyze the mining scenario in Goa. 6
- Q.VI A Explain the different greenhouse gases. 6**
OR
- Q.VI A Elaborate on the different reasons for biodiversity degradation. 6**
Q.VI. B Explain the different environment protection acts. 6