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Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2 n.2020 Sustainability Concepts in Engineering

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

a. Define Sustainability. Discuss briefly the Socio-Environmental and Economic Sustainability concepts. (12 Marks)

b. Explain Water Act and discusS the impacts of act on Society.

(08 Marks)

OR

2 a. Explain the role of Technology in Sustainable development.

(12 Marks)

b. Discuss briefly the challenges for Sustainable development.

(08 Marks)

Module-2

a. What is meant by Carbon Sequestration? Explain he steps involved in carbon sequestration with a neat sketch. (12 'Marks)

b. Explain the concept of Climate Change as a Global Environmental Issue. Discuss its effects.

(08 Marks)

OR

4 a. Explain Environmental .Management Standards through ISO 14000.

(12 Marks)

b. What is the scope of Life. Cycle Analysis?

(08 Marks)

Module-3

5 a. What are Green buildings? Explain the Green Building Concepts and Sustainable Design adopted in India_ (10 Marks)

b. Discuss the two certification programme implemented in India for Green building.

(10 Marks)

OR

6 a. How Energy Efficiency can be achieved in a Sustainable building design? Explain.

(16 Marks)

.: Discuss any four Green material used in building construction.

(04 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a Write a short note on
 - (i) Geothermal Energy
 - (ii) Wind Energy
 - (iii) Solar Energy

(iv) Conventional and Non-conventional Energy_

(12 Marks)

b. What is fuel cell? How does it work? What are their advantages?

(08 Marks)



OR

8 a. What is Rain water Harvesting? Discuss various Techniques of Rain Water Harvesting.
(12 Marks)

b. Draw a line sketch showing the harvesting techniques in residential buildings. Discuss its advantages. (08 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Explain the role of Green Engineering in eradicating poverty. (10 Marks)
 - b. Write a short note on:
 - (i) Sustainable Urbanization
 - (ii) Industrial Ecology.

(10 Marks)

OR

a. What is Green Engineering? What are the principles of Green Engineering?
b. Discuss how Green Engineering concepts reduce pollution.
(08 Marks)

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