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M.Sc. Botany (MSCBOT)

Plant Ecology

3rd Semester Examination June, 2024

Time: 2:00 Hrs. Max. Marks: 70

Note:— This paper is of Seventy (70) marks divided into Two (02) Sections 'A' and 'B'. Attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given therein. Candidates should limit their answers to the questions on the given answer sheet. No additional (B) answer sheet will be issued.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions) $2 \times 19 = 38$

Note: Section 'A' contains Five (05) Long-answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each.

Learners are required to answer any two (02) questions only.

- 1. Write detailed note on ecological factors of ecosystem.
- 2. Define community ecology. Give a detailed note on its structure and development.
- 3. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - (a) Noise pollution
 - (b) Ecological pyramid
 - (c) Ozone layer
 - (d) Biotic component
- 4. What do you understand by pollution. Give a detailed note on water pollution its causes, effects and control meatures.
- 5. Define biogeochemical cycles. Give a detailed note on Nitrogen Cycle.

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions) $4 \times 8 = 32$

- **Note**: Section 'B' contains Eight (08) Short-answer type questions of Eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer any *four* (04) questions only.
- 1. Food chain.
- 2. Explain ecological niche.

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- 3. Comment on loss of biodiversity.
- 4. Difference between Hazardeos and Non-Hazardeous Waste.
- 5. Comment on ecological adaptation.
- 6. Homeostasis.
- 7. Define hydrosphere.
- 8. Global warming.
