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Instructions regarding Internal Assessment preparation and submission:

- i. All answers should be **hand written**;
- ii. Internal assessment should be arranged as follows:
 - a. Cover page (to be downloaded from website);
 - b. Copy of ID card;
 - c. Question paper
 - d. Contents
 - e. Answer of any *one* question for each of Courses C.C. 2.1 2.5



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C.C. 2.1: Wetland, marine, hill ecology and environmental forestry	
Q1. Answer any one from the following:	$(1\times10=10)$
a. Explain India's leading urban environmental challenges with suitable examples.b. How do corals acquire their food for survival? Discuss about the threats to coral reef c. What are the components of a forest ecosystem? Discuss the different forest types of	
C.C. 2.2: Environmental Pollutions II	
Q2. Answer any <i>one</i> from the following:	$(1\times10=10)$
a. Discuss the different auditory and non-auditory effects of noise pollution. Write prevention of noise pollution.b. Briefly categorize the wastes generated from various industries.c. Explain how population explosion affects different environmental issues.	a brief note on [5+5] [10] [10]
C.C. 2.3: Environmental Geology and Remote Sensing	
Q3. Answer any <i>one</i> from the following:	$(1\times10=10)$
a. Discuss the evolution of life and landforms across the Geological Time Scale.b. Describe the erosional features produced by glaciers.c. Write a short note on: (i) Wind; (ii) Climate related calamities	[10] [10] [5+5]
C.C. 2.4: Practical in Environmental Studies	
Q4. Answer any one from the following:	$(1\times10=10)$
a. Write a short note on: (i) Titrimetric analysis; (ii) Gravimetric analysisb. Explain the Minimum Inhibitory Concentration (MIC) method.c. Enlist the guidelines that should be followed during air quality monitoring. Write National Air Monitoring Programme.	[5+5] [10] a brief note on [5+5]
C.C. 2.5: Environmental Economics and Statistics	
Q5. Answer any <i>one</i> from the following:	$(1\times10=10)$
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- b. Briefly discuss the travel cost analysis of environmental valuation. What are its limitation and advantages? [4+6]
- c. Enlist the significances of cost benefit analysis. What are its future prospects? State the methodological steps involved in CBA. [3+3+4]