PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

MA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025

(Fourth Semester)

Branch - ECONOMICS

ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

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Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	СО			
. 1	1	Which of the following is a conventional source of energy? a) Sun b) Wind c) Dried dung d) Tides	K1	CO1			
	2	The interrelationship between environment and economic development is called a) Environmental economics b) econoly c) Economics d) Geologial science	K2	CO1			
2	3	The environmental segments are in the order of a) Lithosphere, hydrosphere, biosphere, atmosphere b) biosphere, Lithosphere, hydrosphere, atmosphere c) Lithosphere, biosphere, atmosphere, d) Hydrosphere, Lithosphere, biosphere, atmosphere	K1	CO1			
	4	If one individual is better off, without one being worse off, the social welfare is a) Increased b) Decreased c)Neutral d) No change	K2	CO1			
3.	5	APPIKO movement is placed in a) Orissa b) Mid Himalayan Jungles c) Karnataka d) Tamil nadu	K1	CO1			
	6	The problem of the second best is a) welfare economics b) Public economics c) development economics d) managerial economics	K2	CO1			
4	7	The Soil erosion caused by shifting cultivation is called as a) Jhumming b) Bhuming c) warming d) None of these	K1	·CO1			
	8	An Urbanization is due to a) Population growth b) Search of employment c) Search of education d) All of these	K2	CO1			
5	9	Write the true statement about the global warming. a) Led to rise the sea level b) Led to increase population c) Led to large scale deforestation d) Led to huge amount of waste generation	K1	CO1			
	10	An Over use of resources leads to a) Tragedy of commons b) Property rights c) resource efficiency d) alternative search of resources	K2	CO1			

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SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

 $(5 \times 7 = 35)$

Module No.	Question No.	 	K	СО
1	11.a.	Bring out the relationship between environmental economics and economics.	Level	
	(OR)		K2	CO1
	11.b.	Write a note on market failure.	1	
	12.a.	Analyse the causes for urbanization.		<u> </u>
2	(OR)			CO5
	12.b.	Explain in detail about the compensation principle.	K3	CO3
	13.a.	What are the features of common property resources.		
3	(OR)		- K4	CO2
	13.b.	Examine the problems of second best.		
	14.a.	Discuss the Hedonic pricing method.		
4	(OR)		K4	CO2
	14.b.	Write a note on Green national accounting.		
	15.a.	Examine the obstacles of sustainable economic development.		
5	(OR)		K3	CO5
	15.b.	Enumerate the impact of climate change on environment.		

SECTION -C (30 Marks) Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

 $(3\times10=30)$

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	СО
1	16	Analyze the Environmental Kuznets curve.	K4	CO2
2	17	Enumerate the impact of urbanization in developing countries.	K4	CO2
3	18	Describe the environmental quality as public good.	K4	CO2
4	19	Discuss in detail about the Cost Benefit analysis.	K4	CO5
5	20	Explore the environmental issues in developing and developed countries.	K4	CO5