

M.A. 4th Semester Examination, 2022

PHILOSOPHY

Course ID: 40654

Course Code: MA/PHIL/404/EC(E)

Course Title: ENVIRONMENTAL ETHICS

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are requested to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group A

Answer any two of the following questions:

(12X2=24)

1) (a) Give a brief account of Anthropocentrism.

(b) Why is it regarded as a problem of misunderstanding by Tim Hayward?

Explain.

5+7=12

2) (a) Briefly explain the notion of 'Human chauvinism'.

(b) Explain, the notion of 'speciesism'.

4+8=12

3) (a) Give the names of two proponents of eco-feminist thinkers.

(b) Explain, critically, the theory of eco-feminism.

2+10=12

4) (a) What is Environmental Ethics?

(b) Explain the theory of eco-centrism.

(c) Discuss the main tenets of land ethics.

3+3+6=12

Group-B

Answer any four of the following questions:

(4X4=16)

1. 'Perspectival anthropocentrism'

2. Intrinsic value

3. Enlightened or broad anthropocentrism

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4. Moral agent
5. Deep ecology
6. Cultural Feminism
7. Nature and women
8. Second wave of feminism

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