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Programme: B.E.

Branch: Common to all Branches

Course Code: 22ME1ETISE / 22ME2ETISE

Course: Introduction to Sustainable Engineering

Semester: I / II

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

Instructions: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.			UNIT - I	CO	PO	Marks
	1	a)	What is sustainable development?	CO1	PO1, PO7	05
		b)	List and briefly explain the 17 Sustainable Goals as per the 70 th UN general assembly held on 25 th September 2015 under the official agenda “transforming our world: 2030 towards sustainable development”	CO1	PO1, PO7	10
		c)	Explain the concepts of Factor 4 and Factor 10 goals for sustainable development	CO2	PO1, PO7	05
			OR			
	2	a)	What are the Guiding Principles for Sustainable Engineering	CO2	PO1, PO7	05
		b)	Explain the green and low carbon economy	CO1	PO1, PO7	05
		c)	Explain the concept of circular economy with example	CO1	PO1, PO7	10
			UNIT - II			
	3	a)	Explain environmental impact model IPAT equation developed by Ehrlich and Holdren in 1971 for sustainable development	CO3	PO7, PO9, PO10	10
		b)	Explain the basic elements of an Environmental Management System (EMS) with PDCA cycle	CO3	PO7, PO9, PO10	10
			UNIT - III			
	4	a)	Problem Statement: System A is a multi-output process, which produces 10 kg of product A and 5 kg of product B per minute. 1 kg of product A is worth 20 USD, 1 kg of B is worth 5 USD. The process emits 120 kg CO ₂ per hour. Product B can also be produced using another process, which produces 0.05 kg CO ₂ per kg of product B. Calculate the CO ₂ emissions for two different allocation procedures for product A. Determining the CO ₂ emissions of the system A from products A and B emissions allocated based on the MASS.	CO3	PO7, PO9, PO10	10

	b)	Discuss the need, goals, and Scope for life cycle assessment.	CO4	PO7, PO9, PO10	10
		UNIT - IV			
5	a)	What are the six GHG emissions it accounts for and what are their sources?	CO2	PO1, PO 7	05
	b)	What is the life cycle tree for a plastic water bottle? Includes the label and cap; excludes the water.	CO3	PO7, PO9, PO10	10
	c)	What is the difference between a carbon footprint and an LCA?	CO1	PO1, PO 7	05
		UNIT - V			
6	a)	Explain the Sustainable Process Design – Case Study – Chemical Process Design for Vinyl Chloride Monomer (VCM)	CO1	PO1, PO 7	10
	b)	Calculate carbon sequestration in plants involves estimating the amount of carbon dioxide (CO ₂) that is absorbed and stored by plants through the process of photosynthesis. Case Study: Calculating Carbon Sequestration in a Forested Area in a 10-acre forest. Suppose the total tree biomass in the 10-acre forest is 200 metric tons (200,000 kg).	CO3	PO7, PO9, PO10	10
		OR			
7	a)	Explain the case study of sustainable procurement criteria with benefits and challenges considered for office furniture procurements	CO2	PO1, PO 7	10
	b)	What is conventional engineering design process and what are the 4 Cs of design	CO1	PO1, PO 7	05
	c)	Explain the 7-strategy wheel for design for sustainability	CO2	PO1, PO 7	05
