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BSS 505

III Semester M.Sc. Examination, December 2018 (Choice Based Credit System) BIOSCIENCES Ecotoxicology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

1. Write short notes on **any four** of the following (**not** exceeding **2** pages **each**) :

(4×4=16)

- a) Neurotoxicity
- b) Bioassay
- c) Asbestos
- d) Haze
- e) Dioxins
- f) Carbamates.

Write explanatory notes on **any five** of the following (**not** exceeding **3** pages **each**) : (5×6=30)

- 2. Endocrine disruptors.
- 3. Role of glutathione in detoxification.
- 4. Pollutants and acid rain.
- 5. Toxicities of tobacco.
- 6. Impact of lead on environment and metabolism.
- 7. Biomagnification with a case study.
- 8. Ecotoxicology of fungicides.

Answer **any two** of the following (not exceeding **8** pages **each**) : (2×12=24)

- 9. Write an essay on toxic risk assessment focussing on methods, monitoring and surveillance.
- 10. Give an account on toxicity of petroleum and petroleum products.
- 11. Explain poisoning and treatment of organophosphates.