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General Course
3A15 COM/BBA/BBA(T)
DISASTER MANAGEMENT**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Wt. : 30

PART – A

This part consist of **two** bunches of questions carrying **equal** weightage of **one**.
Each bunch consists of **four** objective type questions.

I. Answer **all** questions.

- 1) India has been traditionally vulnerable to natural disasters mainly on account of _____
 - a) increasing population
 - b) Unique geo-climatic conditions
 - c) Land utilisation
 - d) Topography
- 2) The Bhopal gas tragedy was in the year _____
 - a) 1994
 - b) 1984
 - c) 2006
 - d) 2000
- 3) The following is not a natural disaster.
 - a) Landslides
 - b) Lightning
 - c) Earthquake
 - d) Gas leakage
- 4) The Gujarat earthquake occurred in _____
 - a) 2001
 - b) 2000
 - c) 2003
 - d) 2008 (W = 1)

II. 5) The Disaster Management Act was passed in the year _____

- a) 2003
 - b) 2008
 - c) 2009
 - d) 2005
- 6) The following state have enacted to Disaster Management Act
- a) Gujarat
 - b) Kerala
 - c) Madhya Pradesh
 - d) Jammu and Kashmir

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7) The following is not a Disaster Mitigation Institution

- a) Seismological observatory
- b) National standard committee
- c) Meteorological observatory
- d) Volcanology institute

8) I.M.S. means

- a) Incident Management System
- b) Industrial Management System
- c) Information for Management System
- d) None of these

(W = 1)

PART – B

Answer **any eight** questions in **one** or **two** sentences **each**. **Each** question carries a weightage of **one**.

- 9. Define disaster.
- 10. What is chemical hazards ?
- 11. What is cold wave ?
- 12. What do you mean by planetary hazards ?
- 13. What is landslides ?
- 14. What do you mean by man induced hazards ?
- 15. What is Biological hazards ?
- 16. Give the meaning of population explosion.
- 17. State the function of Meteorological observatory.
- 18. State the use of hydrology laboratory. (W = 8×1=8)



PART – C

Answer **any six** questions. Answer not to exceed **one** page. **Each** question carries a weightage of **two**.

19. List the functions of National Emergency Management Authority.
20. Examine the steps to be taken for mitigating the impact of earthquakes.
21. Explain different approaches to the management of environmental hazards and disasters.
22. Write a note on medical preparedness and mass casualty management.
23. Examine the role of media in disaster management.
24. What are the components of community preparedness plan ?
25. Write a note on industrial disasters.
26. Write a note on tsunami which hit the Indian coasts a few years ago. (W = 6×2=12)

PART – D

Answer **any two**. **Each** question carries a weightage of **four**. Answer not to exceed **four** pages.

27. Discuss the pre-disaster stage preparedness.
 28. Explain the various Disaster Mitigation Institutions.
 29. Examine the impact of natural disaster on the environment and development. (W = 2×4=8)
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