

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
SUSTAINABILITY SCIENCE (PGDSS)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2018**

**MSD-013 : SOCIO-CULTURAL SYSTEM**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

- Note :**
- (i) *Attempt any ten of the following questions.*
  - (ii) *Answer in about 500 words each.*
  - (iii) *Each questions carry equal marks.*

1. Explain the various forms of society based on the level of technology used. 10
2. 'The personality formation of an individual or members of a group is always influenced by culture and environment'. Elaborate the statement with suitable examples. 10
3. What is shifting cultivation ? What are its key technical features ? 3+7
4. Define the term environmentalism. Explain the role of NGOs in the institutionalization of environmental movement. 3+7
5. What is industrialization ? Briefly explain any two major impacts of industrialization. 2+4+4

6. What are the three major philosophical approach to understand the domination attitude of nature ? 10
  7. How do you define the term 'Resource conflict' ? Explain with a suitable example in post-independent India. 5+5
  8. What is Community Forest Management (CFM) ? What are its basic principles ? 5+5
  9. Is Indigenous knowledge a science ? Explain your understanding with suitable examples. 10
  10. Explain the concepts of Intergenerational equity and Intra-generational equity with suitable examples. 5+5
  11. When was the National Human Right Commission of India constituted ? What are its major functions ? 10
  12. What are the major issues and challenges to community participation ? 10
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