

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2008 – 2009 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/MC/EE34

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2010
BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

Answer All questions in 50 words

(10 x 3 = 30)

1. Define public good.
2. What do you mean by property rights?
3. Explain the Coase Theorem.
4. Define natural resources.
5. What is economic incentive?
6. Define pollution.
7. What do you understand by renewable energy?
8. Explain the word 'Scarcity'.
9. Define 'hotelling rule'.
10. What do you mean by ecology?

SECTION-B

Answer any FIVE questions in 300 words each.

(5 x 6 = 30)

11. Explain the objectives of environmental economics.
12. Discuss the importance of Tragedy of Commons.
13. What are the features of Sustainable Development?
14. Examine the causes of pollution.
15. Analyse the Travel Cost Model.
16. State the types of natural resources.
17. Explain the Bio-Physical limits to growth.

SECTION-C

Answer any TWO questions in 1200 words each.

(2 x 20 = 40)

18. Analyse the effectiveness of Contingent Valuation Method.
19. Examine the impact of pollution and its regulations.
20. Discuss the Hartwick – Solow approach on sustainable development.
21. Bring out the importance of renewable and non-renewable energy resources.
