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BOTANY (Ecology) Paper–II

Time: Three Hours] [Maximum Marks: 40

Note: Attempt five questions in all, selecting *two* question from each unit. Question number 1 is compulsory.

Compulsory Question

- **1.** Briefly write about :
 - (a) Topographic factors.
 - (b) Xerophytes.
 - (c) Soil profiles.
 - (d) Ecological natality.
 - (e) Green-house-effect.
 - (f) Dominance in a community.
 - (g) Trophic levels.
 - (h) Detritus food-chain.

(1x8=8)

UNIT-I

2. What are environmental factors? Explain the role of temperature as a climatic factor. (8)

3.	Write notes on:
	(a) Physico-chemical properties of soil.
	(b) Population growth curves. (4+4)
4.	Explain ecological adaptations in xerophytes and halophytes. (8)
5.	What are different types of species interactions? Giving
	suitable examples write about any <i>three</i> of them. (8)
UNIT-II	
6.	What is ecological succession? Explain different stages in a
	typical hydrosere. (8)
7.	Write notes on :
	(a) Nitrogen cycle.
	(b) Effects and control of global warming. (4+4)
8.	What are the causes, impacts and control measures of water pollution? (8)
9.	Write short notes on:
	(a) Ecological pyramids.
	(b) Major forest types of India. (4+4)