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## B.COM. CBCS (SEMESTER-III) REGULAR EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023 ECONOMICS OF RESOURCES

**Duration: 2 Hours** 

INSTRUCTIONS: 1) All questions are compulsory. 2) Figures to the right indicate marks.	
<ul> <li>Q.1) Answer <u>any four</u> from the following:</li> <li>(1) Explain in brief the meaning of Environmental Economics.</li> <li>(2) Write a note on trade – off between Economic Output &amp; Environmental Conserved (3) Concept of External cost &amp; External benefits with examples.</li> <li>(4) Carbon Credits and its features.</li> <li>(5) Meaning of Resources &amp; its classification.</li> <li>(6) Meaning &amp; definition of Sustainable Development.</li> </ul>	$(4 \times 4 = 16)$ vation.
<ul> <li>Q.2) Answer <u>any four</u> from the following in not more than 100 words.</li> <li>(a) Explain the meaning of Energy &amp; Energy Security.</li> <li>(b) What is Energy Audit.? Point out its importance.</li> <li>(c) National Water Policy &amp; its features.</li> <li>(d) Features of Human Resource Development.</li> <li>(e) Education as a merit good and the role of government.</li> <li>(f) Advantages of Health Insurance.</li> </ul>	(16)
Q.3.a) Describe the scope of Environmental Economics.  OR	(12)
Q.3.b) Discuss the relevance of Environmental Economics for business.	(12)
Q.4.a) Explain the meaning & features of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA).	(6)
b) Describe the process of Environmental Impact Assessment.	(6)
<b>OR</b> Q.4.c) Discuss the major conclusions of optimist and pessimist model of Resource use.	(12)

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Q.5.a) Describe any three factors which shows the relations between	
Energy & Economic Growth.	(6)
b) Explain <b>any three measures</b> which can reduce the demand – supply	` '
gap w.r.t. energy.	(6)
OR	
Q.5.c) Explain the importance of Water as a resource. (Any three points)	(6)
d) Describe any three challenges w.r.t. Water Sector in India.	(6)
Q.6.a) Elaborate the link between Education and Economic Growth & Development.  OR	(12)
Q.6.b) Explain the link between Health and Economic Growth. (Any three points)	(6)
c) Describe any three determinants / indicators of Health	(6)