M. Sc. DEGREE I SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY DECEMBER 2003

ENV2101 ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

I. Write very brief notes on ANY SIX of the following: $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Ecotone.

2. Allelopathy.

3. Ammonification.

4. Entrophy.

5. Sympatric speciation.

6. Niche.

7. Biome.

8. Acid rain.

II. Write short notes on ANY SIX of the following:-

1. Urban microclimate.

2. Population growth curves.

3. Nutrient cycling.

4. Greenhouse gasés.

Defensive mutualism.

6. Energy cycle.

7. Pyramid of numbers.

8. Gene pool.

1. Water cycle.

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2. Plant responses to temperature.

Write short essays on ANY TWO of the following:-

3. Circadian rhythms.

4. Eutrophication.

(Turn Over)

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$

Wetland ecosystem.

Biodiversity.

Effect of pollution on vegetation.



 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$