Mid-West University

Examinations Management Office

Final Examinations-2082

Bachelor level/Science/VII Semester

Time: 3 hrs.

Subject: Environmental Management (BOT473)

Full Marks: 60

Pass Marks: 30

Candidates are required to give their answers as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Section A

Answer the Following Questions (Attempt ALL)

 $[4 \times 8 = 32]$

- 1. What is soil degradation? Explain the causes, environmental and socioeconomic impacts and mitigation measures of soil degradation.
- 2. Define ecological restoration. Emphasize on ecological restoration practices in context of Nepal giving suitable examples.

OR

Highlight major threats to biodiversity in Nepal. What are the in - situ strategies of biodiversity conservation in Nepal. Explain in detail.

- 3. Describe the policies and process of EIA in Nepal.
- 4. Write short notes on:
 - a. IPR and patent rights
- b. Sustainable agriculture

Section B

Answer the Following Questions (Attempt ALL)

 $[7 \times 3 = 21]$

- 5. What do you mean by watershed management? Discuss its significances.
- 6. Define GIS. Write down the application and components of GIS in resource management.
- 7. Discuss about the alternative energy resources and their prospect in Nepal.
- 8. Write explanatory note on ecotourism in Nepal.

OR

Highlight on the principle and approaches of sustainable forest management.

- 9. Describe different methods of ex-situ conservation.
- 10. How solid wastes could be well managed? Discuss.
- 11. Discuss the value of biodiversity.

Section C

Answer in Very Short (Attempt ANY SEVEN)

[7×1=7]

- 12. Define food security.
- 13. Define term paedogenesis.

- 14. Give two example of species richness.
- 15. What is the role of Ramsar Convention?
- 16. What is biochar and how it is made?
- 17. What are the characteristics features of Invasive species? Give two examples.
- 18. How the toxic wastes are managed?
- 19. What do you mean by access-based sharing?
- 20. Give the definition of biodiversity hotspots.

The End