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## **2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**

## **REGULAR**

**COURSE CODE: APB 1202** 

**COURSE TITLE: SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION** 

DATE: STREAM:

TIME: 2 HOURS EXAM SESSION:

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Answer ALL questions in section A and ANY other 2 Questions in section B.
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on question paper.
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.



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# **SECTION A: (30 Marks)**

# Answer ALL questions from this Section.

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	a) Soil erodibility	(2 Marks)
	b) Erosivity	(2 Marks)
	c) Carbon sequestration	(2 Marks)
	d) Crop water use efficiency	(2 Marks)
2.	Why is soil tolerance important?	(3 Marks)
3.	Differentiate between soil conservation and erosion control.	(4 Marks)
4.	Explain how tillage operations affect soil structure.	(5 Marks)
5.	. Discuss the role of forests in carbon sequestration. (5 Ma	
6.	Give FIVE advantages of early planting in crop production.	(5 Marks)

# **SECTION B [40 MARKS]**

# Answer ANY TWO questions from this Section.

- 7. Discuss various soil conservation practices that can be used in areas with restricted soil infiltration. (20 Marks)
- 8. Discuss the major global effects of deforestation. (20 Marks)
- 9. Discuss various practices that can be used to address climate change under the following approaches;

a)	Mitigation	(10 Marks)
b)	Adaptation	(10 Marks)