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> **COMMON TO ALL BRANCHES** (2021 Scheme)

**Course Code:** 21GN300-B

Course Name: **Disaster Management** 

Max. Marks: 60

## **Duration: 3 Hours**

## PART A

## (Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks)

- Differentiate hazard and disaster with suitable examples. 1.
- 2. Discuss the general characteristics of cyclones in India.
- Enumerate the different stages in the disaster risk reduction process. 3.
- 4. Enlist the tsunami prone areas in India.
- Explain the reasons for community participation in disaster policy and 5. implementation.
- Enumerate the different techniques of risk assessment. 6.
- Enumerate the various non-structural mitigation measures. 7.
- 8. Identify six problem areas in disaster mitigation.

## PART B

## (Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 6 marks) **MODULE I**

9. Differentiate natural and man made disasters with suitable examples. (6)

## OR

10. Explain the different phases of disaster management. (6)

## **MODULE II**

11. Explain the causes and impacts of flood disaster. (6)

## OR

12. Summarise the possible land slide reduction methods. (6)

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## **MODULE III**

13. Explain how community can be called safer and resilient for disaster preparedness. (6)

## OR

14. Discuss the application of remote sensing data in disaster (6) management.

## **MODULE IV**

15. India is highly vulnerable to natural disasters. Justify the statement with facts and figures. (6)

### OR

16. Describe the early warning system for Tsunami in India. (6)
MODULE V
17. Explain the advantages of community based risk assessment. (6)
OR
18. Explain participatory risk assessment methods. (6)

## **MODULE VI**

19. Summarise the guiding principles of mitigation. (6)

### OR

20. Explain structural mitigation with suitable examples. (6)