2025/06

BA LLB
SIXTH SEMESTER
DISASTER MANAGEMENT
BLB – 601
[USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

SET B

Duration: 3 hrs. **Full Marks: 70**

(Objective)

Time: 30 min. **Marks: 20**

Choose the correct answer from the following: ***1×20=20***

1. In risk assessment , vulnerability refers to:
   a. The probability of a disaster occurring
   b. The ability of a community to resist and recover from a disaster
   c. The severity of a disaster's impact
   d. The time taken for a disaster to occur

2. What is a key role of educational institutions in disaster management?
   a. Providing shelter only after a disaster
   b. Conducting rescue operations in affected zones
   c. Creating awareness and training students in disaster preparedness
   d. Funding infrastructure development in disaster-prone areas

3. Which of the following best explains the primary cause of earthquakes?
   a. Sudden changes in atmospheric pressure
   b. Movement of tectonic plates along fault lines
   c. Heavy rainfall and flooding
   d. Volcanic ash accumulation

4. Which of the following is a key strategy for risk reduction in disaster management?
   a. Reacting after the disaster has occurred
   b. Ignoring minor hazards to save resources
   c. Identifying vulnerabilities and strengthening community preparedness
   d. Focusing solely on rebuilding infrastructure

5. What is the primary objective of logistics management in disaster response?
   a. To ensure long-term economic development in affected regions
   b. To reduce the number of emergency personnel required
   c. To deliver the right resources to the right place at the right time
   d. To focus only on transportation of injured victims

6. Who among the following is the first to respond when a disaster strikes?
   a. N.G.O
   b. Local administration
   c. Affected community members
   d. Private organizations

7. What is the primary cause of industrial disaster?
   a. Natural Calamities
   b. Climate change
   c. Human negligence and technical failure
   d. Wildlife activities

8. Structural mitigation measures for disaster risk reduction include-
   a. Land-use planning
   b. Early warning systems
   c. Construction of flood barriers and earthquake -resistant buildings
   d. Public awareness campaigns

9. One key goal of post-disaster remedial measures is to-
   I. Rescue the survivors trapped under debris.
   II. Provide first aid service to the trapped survivors.
   III. Handover, recovery and dispose of the deceased bodies.
   IV. Listen to all sources of information.
   a. I, II and IV
   b. II, III and IV
   c. I, III and IV
   d. I, II and III

10. Which of the following is the primary role of the government in disaster preparedness?
   a. Developing policies, frameworks, and coordinating disaster management efforts
   b. Providing only post-disaster financial aid
   c. Relying on international support for all disaster-related activities
   d. Conducting media coverage of disasters

11. Why is understanding victims' psychology important in disaster management?
   a. To collect accurate data for government reports
   b. To minimize the need for physical aid distribution
   c. To provide emotional support and reduce trauma-related complications
   d. To prioritize infrastructure rebuilding over human support

12. Which of the following is the primary goal of IEC activities in disaster preparedness?
   a. Conducting rescue operation
   b. Raising awareness and educating communities about disaster,risks and safety measures
   c. Providing financial assistance to victims
   d. Conducting damage assessment

13. A major economic effect of a disaster is-
   a. Immediate growth in employment
   b. Loss of livelihoods and business activity
   c. Decline in inflation
   d. Increase in foreign investment

14. Which of the following best describes the primary goals of education and awareness programs in disaster management?
   a. To train only emergency response personnel
   b. To ensure rapid infrastructure development after disasters
   c. To reduce disaster risks by informing and preparing communities
   d. To focus solely on post disaster medical treatment

15. Which of the following best defines "rehabilitation" in disaster management?
   a. Buildingnew infrastructure from search
   b. Providing immediate relief like food and water
   c. Restoring basic services and livelihoods after a disaster
   d. Preventing future disasters

16. Which of the following helps in managing trauma in disaster affected populations ?

a. Suppressing emotional expression
b. Encouraging isolation
c. Providing psychological first aid and counseling
d. Ignoring emotional distress to focus on physical injuries.

17. What is the primary purpose of damage assessment after a disaster?

a. To assign blame for the disaster
b. To estimate the cost of media coverage
c. To evaluate the impact and plan recovery measures
d. To increase the disaster frequency awareness

18. Which of the following is the correct order of the disaster management cycle?

a. Mitigation-Preparedness-Response-Recovery
b. Preparedness-Response-Recovery-Mitigation
c. Response-Recovery-Mitigation-Preparedness
d. Recovery-Response-Mitigation-Preparedness

19. Which of the following actions is typically performed during the response phase ?

a. Developing disaster resistant infrastructure
b. Conducting post disaster economic assessments
c. Providing emergency medical care and food supplies
d. Designing evacuation plan

20. Which international framework guides disaster risk reduction efforts world wide ?

a. Kyoto Protocol
b. Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction
c. Paris Agreement
d. Montreal Protocol

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Descriptive

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min. Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Explain the phases of the Disaster Management Cycle. Discuss how each phase contributes to reducing the impact of disaster. 5+5=10

2. Define disaster management. Differentiate between hazard and disaster. Discuss man induced hazard disaster. 2+4+4 =10

3. Describe the role of disaster preparedness in disaster management. Identify the key elements of an effective disaster preparedness plan. 5+5=10

4. What is the role of search and rescue (SAR) teams in disaster response? How can logistic management improve the efficiency of disaster response ? 5+5=10

5. Define "reconstruction and rehabilitation" in the context of post disaster development .Why is the creation of long-term livelihood options important in disaster recovery and development? 5+5=10

6. Describe the hierarchical structure of disaster response planning from central to the district level. 10

7. Discuss the nature and scope of man made disasters in India and world. 10

8. "How can disaster management teams effectively address the psychological needs of victims to promote emotional resilience and recovery during and after a crisis ?" Explain. 10

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