

School of Business

MBA
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Time : 3 Hours

Marks : 50

Sem IV - MSB21T2006 - The Sustainable Development Goals A Global Vision

Your answer should be specific to the question asked

Draw neat labeled diagrams wherever necessary

1. Illustrate the term "Social insecurity". K2 CO1 (2)
2. Explain preservation and public participation. K2 CO2 (2)
3. Examine the term Agenda 21. K4 CO3 (2)
4. List down the action plan for implementing sustainable development. K4 CO4 (2)
5. Examine operational guidelines for sustainable development. K4 CO5 (2)
6. List down the objectives of sustainable development. K4 CO1 (5)
7. Differentiate between the social, economic and environmental dimensions of sustainable development. K4 CO2 (5)
8. Empowerment of women, children, youth, indigenous people, non-governmental organizations, local authorities, business, and industry are part of which Agenda? Interpret the statement by giving a suitable example. K5 CO5 (6)
9. Increasing pollution level is a hurdle to sustainability. Do you agree with the statement? Justify your answer by giving an example. K5 CO3 (8)
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10. The last forty years have seen the definition of "sustainability" change to include three key facets: social, economic, and environmental sustainability. Despite the fact that the idea of sustainable development originally featured a strong social mandate, we contend that it is currently a notion in disorder, which seriously undermines its significance and usefulness. Fast economic growth has brought about great financial affluence, but it has also had a significant negative impact on the environment and has hastened the depletion of material resources. The neglected issue of social sustainability needs immediate attention if we are to guarantee a good standard of living for the nine billion people who will inhabit the planet in 2050 as predicted. Several localities experience extreme poverty as a result of a global split between and among societies. As a result, these communities are compelled to produce a variety of goods. Sustainability happens when official and informal systems, structures, connections, and processes actively support the potential of the present and future generations to build wholesome, livable communities. Communities that are socially sustainable offer a high standard of living and are democratic, diverse, connected, and equal. Understanding what people require from the places they live and work allows us to create socially viable communities that encourage wellbeing. Design for the social world and the physical world are combined to create social sustainability. In the last 40 years, the concept of "sustainability" has expanded to include three key facets: social, economic, and environmental sustainability. Nonetheless, the world's attention has primarily been on economic sustainability throughout this time. Social justice, community development, and human rights are all intimately tied to this idea. Communities that are socially sustainable are those in which residents can live in safety, health, and empowerment and have access to the opportunities and resources they require to prosper. Social sustainability ultimately entails building a society that benefits everyone and leaves no one behind. Social sustainability entails improving community response, ensuring that responses are customized to national settings at the local level, and fostering social inclusion, cohesiveness, and accountability (World Bank, Citation2013). Maintaining the existing quo or envisioning an ideal in which societies preserve themselves by nurture and caring is what social sustainability is all about.

Q 1. Going through the above case compare between Social, Economic and Environmental dimensions of sustainability.
11. Evaluate the statement "Action Plan for implementing sustainable development". Justify your answer by giving a suitable example. K6 CO5 (8)