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ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES



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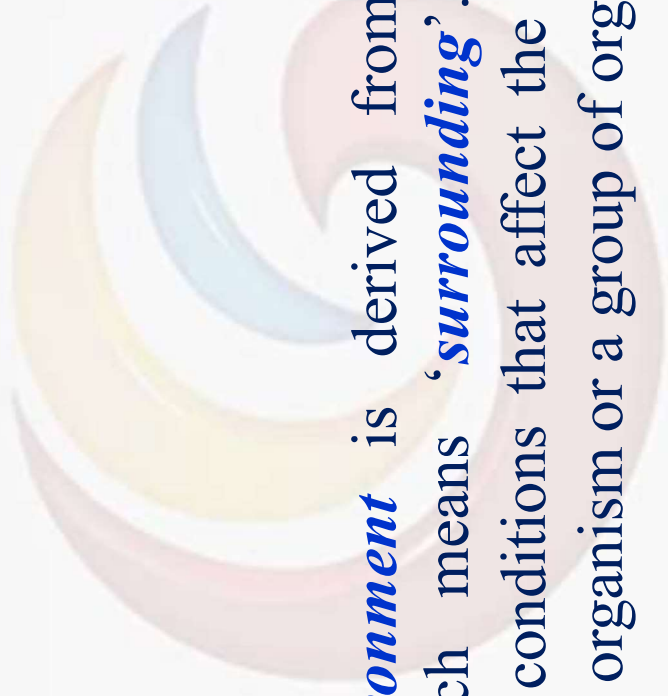
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Introduction”

- *Environmental Studies* is not restricted to the point of view of one particular discipline but *involves all disciplines* that may affect the environment in any possible way.
- It involves the study and understanding of the fact that even a single phenomenon can affect the environment in a variety of ways with varying degrees of complexity, and each of these effects can be understood from different perspectives rooted in different disciplines.

Definition

- The term *environment* is derived from a French word *environner* which means '*surrounding*'. It refers to an aggregate of all conditions that affect the existence, growth, and welfare of an organism or a group of organisms



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Environment is what surrounded us !!

- Environment is the sum total of all social, economical, biological, physical, and chemical factors which constitute the surroundings of humans, who are both creators and moulders of the environment.
- Environment is the external surroundings and conditions which directly or indirectly affects the living (biological) organisms such as we the human beings.

Natural Environment

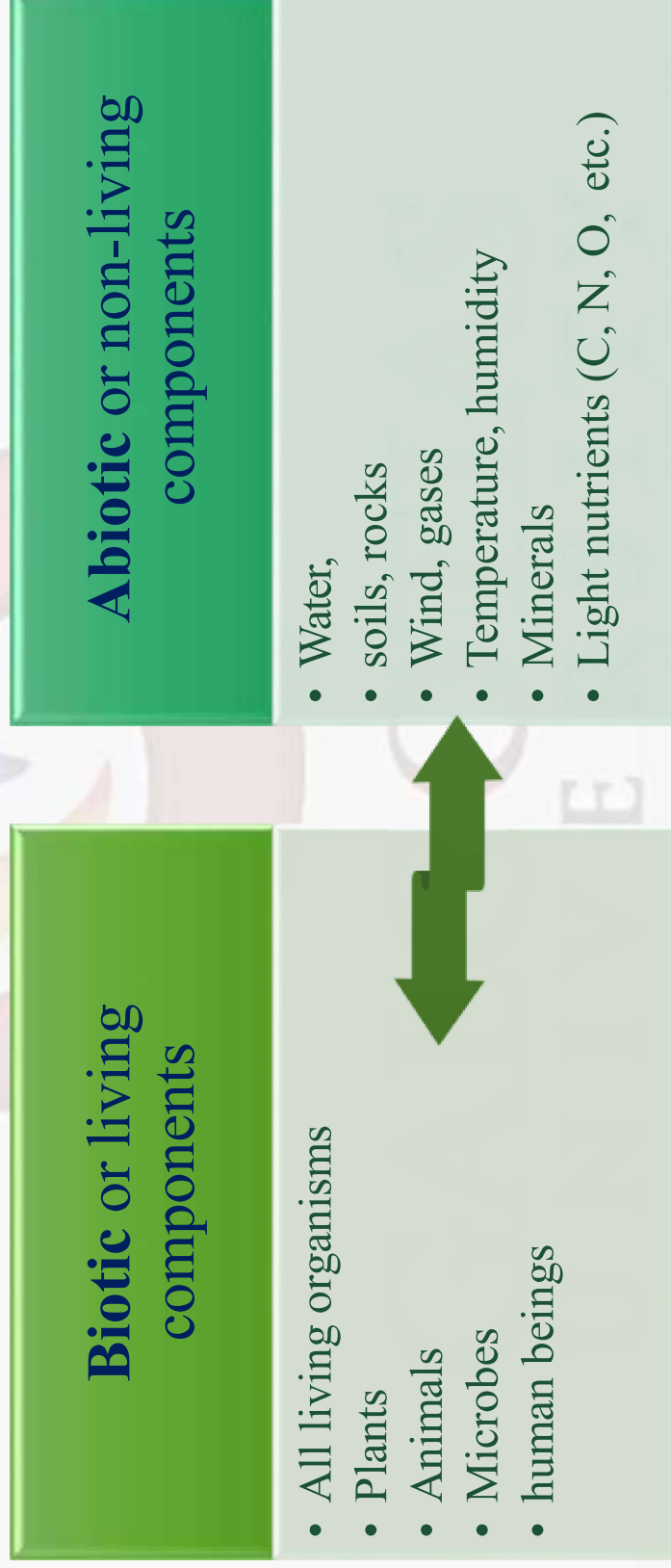
- Air
- Water
- Land
- Forest
- Wildlife

Man-made (Anthropogenic) Environment

- Agricultural fields
- Botanical gardens
- Fish ponds
- Honey bee farms

Components of Environment

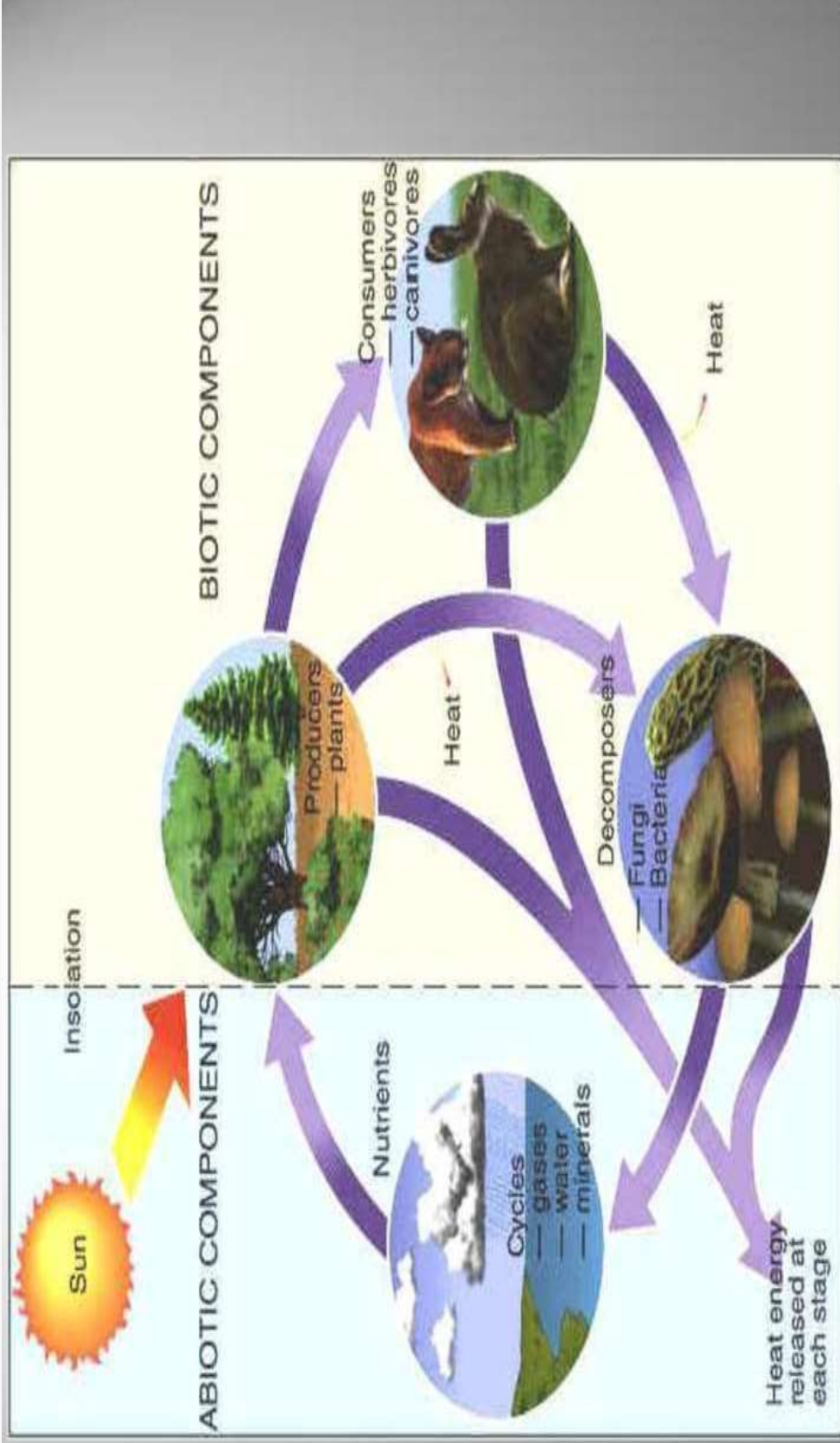
Natural and man made environment consists of –



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Segments of Environment

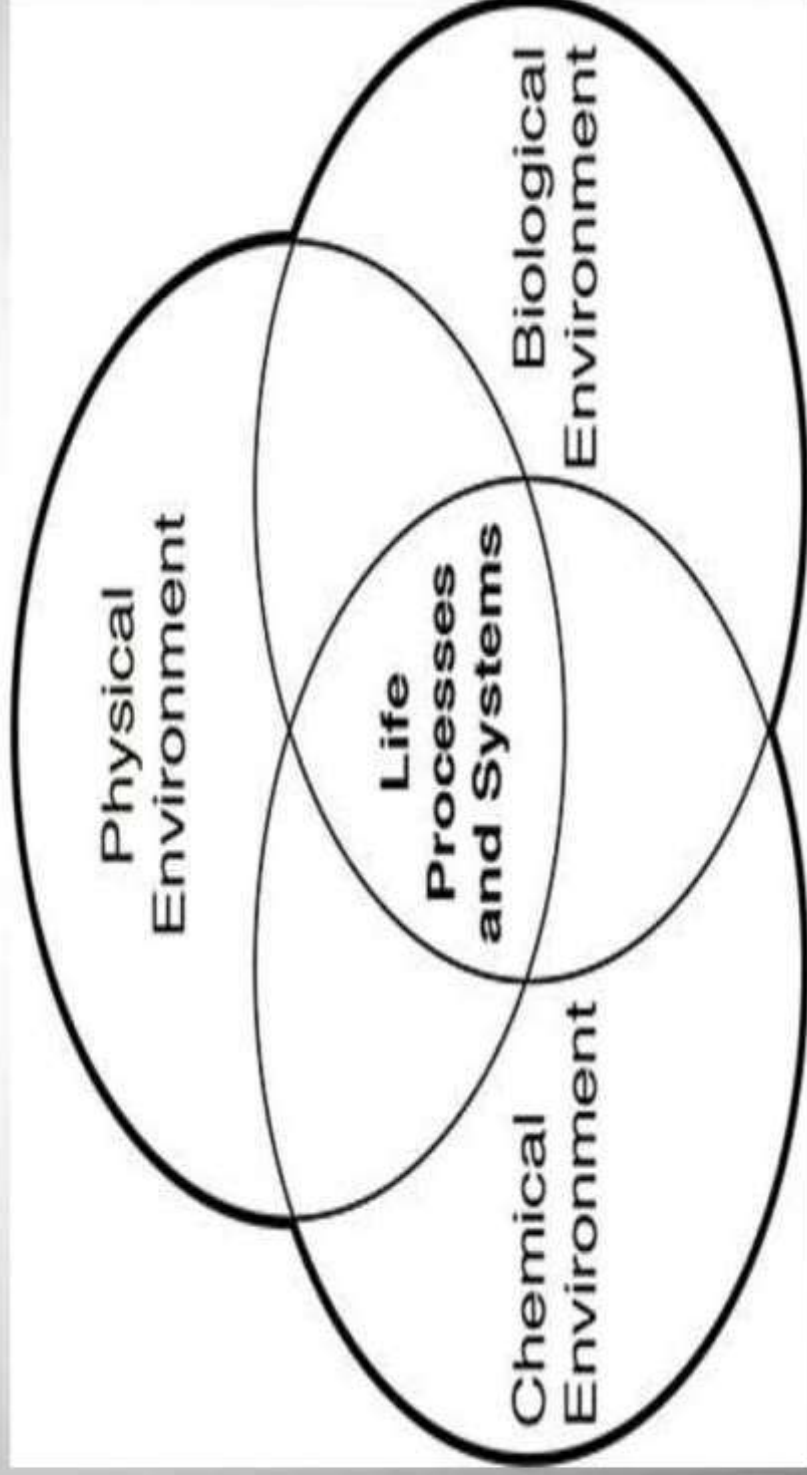
1. lithosphere
2. hydrosphere
3. atmosphere
4. biosphere



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