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POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN CLIMATE CHANGE (PGCCC)

Term-End Examination December, 2021

MEV-021: INTRODUCTION TO CLIMATE CHANGE

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer any ten questions.

- (ii) Each question carries equal marks.
- Write the major characteristics of any five important greenhouse gases.
- 2. Discuss sedimentary rock as a source of natural climatic archive.
- 3. Write an essay on Dendochronology. 10
- 4. What are the major causes of deforestation?

 Briefly explain the major impacts of deforestation.

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- 5. Define the term 'Model'. What are climate models? What are the major components of global climate model? 2+3+5
- 6. Write short notes on any two of the following:

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- (a) Forest Fire
- (b) Sea Level Rise
- (c) Speleotherms
- (d) Albedo Feedback
- 7. Define Monsoon. Describe Indian monsoon system.
- 8. Discuss the impact of climate change on forest ecosystem in India.
- 9. What are the major extreme events associated with climate change? Explain. 10
- 10. Explain any *two* of the following global events in brief: 5+5
 - (a) Rio Declaration

- (b) UN FCCC
- (c) IPCC
- (d) Copenhagen Summit
- 11. Explain India's position in Copenhagen Summit.
- 12. Discuss the role of State Government for effective implementation of India's National Action Plan on Climate Change.10