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POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN GEOINFORMATICS (PGCGI)

Term-End Examination Dec., 2021

MGY-001: INTRODUCTION TO GEOINFORMATICS

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

Note: (i) All questions are compulsory.

- (ii) Internal choices are given in question nos. 2 to 4.
- (iii) The marks for each question is indicated against it.

1. Answer all parts:

- (a) Fill in the blanks with appropriate word(s): 3×1=3
 - (i) PSLV stands for
 - (ii) LIDAR is a/an remote sensing sensor.

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(iii) Digital Elevation Model is an example of data model.

- (b) State if the following statements are True (T) or False (F): $3\times1=3$
 - (i) Bhuvan is a satellite of Indian Remote Sensing Satellite series.
 - (ii) The sequential arrangement of pixels forms an image data format.
 - (iii) Large scale map shows a small area with detailed information.
- (c) Match the items given in column A with those given in column B: $4\times1=4$

Column A Column B

- (i) Datum (1) State wide area network
- (ii) Thematic (2) Forest fire map detection
- (iii) E-governance (3) Point, line and infrastructure polygon features
- (iv) AVHRR (4) Ellipsoid

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following:

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- (a) Web GIS
- (b) Challenges to geoinformatics industry in India
- (c) Sources of DEM
- (d) Usage and functionality of FOSS
- (e) Properties of map projection
- (f) Map elements
- (g) Applications of geoinformatics in forest fire monitoring
- 3. (a) What is geoinformatics? Explain the components of geoinformatics with the help of a neat diagram.

Or

(b) What is a topographical map? With the help of suitable diagrams, discuss how would you identify the relief features.

4. Discuss the types of remote sensing data formats.

Or

Write a note on the applications of geoinformatics in the management of natural resources.