

**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN CLIMATE
CHANGE (PGCCC)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2022

MEV-024 : CLIMATE CHANGE ASSESSMENT TOOLS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer any **ten** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define Vulnerability. Describe the approaches to vulnerability research. 10
2. Describe physical and social vulnerability. Explain the contributing factors. 10
3. Explain the following : 10
 - (a) Crop simulation models
 - (b) Input factors
 - (c) Model output parameters
4. Describe InfoCrop and DSSAT models. 10
5. What is Remote Sensing ? Explain its advantages and limitations. 10
6. What is GIS ? Describe its components and applications. 10

7. What is Life Cycle Assessment ? Explain its concept, characteristics and applications. 10
8. Describe the importance of General Circulation Models (GCMs) and Regional Climate Models (RCMs) in climate change studies. 10
9. What are stable carbon isotopes ? Describe stable carbon isotopes enrichment, with suitable examples. 10
10. Explain greenhouse gas emission inventories and estimation methods. 10
11. Define Geoinformatics. Explain the applications of geoinformatics in climate change studies. 10
12. What is disaster risk reduction ? Describe the role of satellite system in disaster management and climate change adaptation. 10
13. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : $2 \times 5 = 10$
 - (a) Model Uncertainty Analysis
 - (b) Applications of Crop Model
 - (c) EMR Interactions with Earth Surface
14. What is Carbon Sequestration ? Describe global carbon reservoirs and strategies to capture and store CO₂ in reservoirs. 10