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# M. Sc. (Second Semester) EXAMINATION, MAY-JUNE, 2022 ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE Paper First (Meteorology Climatology)

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Note: Attempt all sections as directed.

Section-A (Objective/Multiple Choice Questions) (1 mark each)

#### Note : Attempt all questions. Choose the correct answer.

- 1. Who is related with the classification of climate?
  - (A) De Condole
  - (B) Koppen
  - (C) Troll
  - (D) All of the above

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- 2. Barometer is used to measure:
  - (A) Wind pressure
  - (B) Air Flow
  - (C) Rainfall
  - (D) Atmospheric Pressure
- 3. The medium range weather forecasting is applicable for
  - (A) 3-10 days
  - (B) 10-15 days
  - (C) 15-20 days
  - (D) 20-30 days
- 4. The word Monsoon origin from:
  - (A) Indian Origin
  - (B) Latin America
  - (C) Arabic
  - (D) Indo-Malayan
- 5. The date of onset of Monsoon in India is
  - (A) 1<sup>st</sup> June
  - (B) 1<sup>st</sup> July
  - (C) 1<sup>st</sup> August
  - (D) 15<sup>th</sup> July

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- 6. Which is a type of high cloud?
  - (A) Alto
  - (B) Nimbus
  - (C) Cirrus
  - (D) Stratus
- 7. The parent organization of IMD is-
  - (A) Ministry of Forest
  - (B) Ministry of Agriculture
  - (C) Ministry of Earth Science
  - (D) None of the above
- 8. Isobar represents
  - (A) Equal Pressure
  - (B) Equal Rainfall
  - (C) Equal Temperature
  - (D) Equal humidity
- 9. Instrument 'Wind Vane' is used for
  - (A) Wind speed
  - (B) Wind Pressure
  - (C) Wind Direction
  - (D) All of the above

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10. The mean pressure at sea level is

- (A) 1001.25
- (B) 1013.25
- (C) 1111.25
- (D) 1310.25
- 11. The headquarter of the world meteorological organization is situated at-
  - (A) Capetown
  - (B) Geneva
  - (C) Cordoba
  - (D) Trinidad
- 12. The meteorological day is celebrated on-
  - (A) 20 March
  - (B) 21 March
  - (C) 22 March
  - (D) 23 March
- 13. A low pressure of the area indicates-
  - (A) Low chance of Rain
  - (B) Higher Chance of Rain
  - (C) Medium Rain Chance
  - (D) No Rain

- 14. The Indian summer Monsoon typically lost from
  - (A) July-September
  - (B) June-October
  - (C) July-August
  - (D) June-September
- 15. The red color warning of National Weather forecasting indicates
  - (A) Red Alert
  - (B) Take Action
  - (C) Disaster
  - (D) Bad Weather
- 16. The first headquarter of IMD was at
  - (A) Chennai
  - (B) Kolkata
  - (C) Delhi
  - (D) Hyderabad
- 17. The Indian meteorological department was established in a year
  - (A) 1871
  - (B) 1873
  - (C) 1874
  - (D) 1875

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- 18. Oktas term is used for-
  - (A) Could height
  - (B) Cloud Cover
  - (C) Could Density
  - (D) Cloud layer
- 19. The unit of Wind Speed Measurement is-
  - (A) km/h
  - (B) m/minute
  - (C) m/mm
  - (D) None of the above
- 20. Which GHGs is a major contributor of global warming
  - (A) Carbon dioxide
  - (B) Methane
  - (C) Chlorofluro Carbon
  - (D) Sulfur

#### Section-B

#### (2 marks each)

(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

# Note:- Attempt any eight questions.

- 1. Define Meteorology.
- 2. What is stratosphere?
- 3. Define Albedo.
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- 4. Define Latitude.
- 5. Define absolute humidity.
- 6. Define clouds.
- 7. What is long wave radiation?
- 8. Define permafrost.
- 9. Describe El-Nino.
- 10. What is Cyclone?
- 11. Define synoptic chart.

# Section - C

#### (3 marks each)

#### (Short Answer Type Questions)

#### Note:- Attempt any eight questions.

- 1. Define atmosphere. Give a composition of atmosphere.
- 2. Differentiate between weather & climate.
- 3. Describe vertical distribution of temperature.
- 4. Distinguish between mountain breeze and land breeze.
- 5. Classify the cloud types.
- 6. Define climate change and its impact on plant life.
- 7. Define Green House Gas Effect.
- 8. How glaciers are known as a pollutant recorder?
- 9. What is orographic precipitation?
- 10. Write about layered structure of ocean.
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# Section - D

# (Long Answer type questions)

#### (5 marks each)

## Note : Attempt any four questions.

- Stratify the layers of atmosphere with suitable diagram. Write the temperature variation in different layers of atmosphere.
- 2. Define Rainfall. Describe the rainfall patterns in India.
- 3. How you correlate the population pressure on the climate change indicators. Describe in detail.
- 4. Prepare diagram of weather Monitoring instruments-
  - (a) Barometer
  - (b) Rain Gauge
  - (c) Wine Vane
  - (d) Light Recorder
- 5. Define insolation input and insolation losses in the atmosphere.
- 6. What are the applications of Micrometeorology to forest and vegetation?
- 7. Define ocean currents. What is a global pattern of ocean currents?