CBCS CURRICULUM

RANCHI UNIVERSITY

## IV. <u>CORE COURSE -C 5:</u>

Pass Marks: Th (MSE +ESE) = 30

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

# Marks : 15 (MSE: 1Hr) + 60 (ESE: 3Hrs) =75

#### Instruction to Question Setter for

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** group of questions. Group A is compulsory and will contain five questions of very short answer type consisting of 1 mark each. Group B will contain descriptive type three questions of five marks each, out of which any two are to answer.

#### End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** group of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of ten questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type** five questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any three are to answer.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations.

## CLIMATOLOGY

### **Theory: 60 Lectures**

1. Atmospheric Composition and Structure – Variation with Altitude, Latitude and Season.

2. Insolation and Temperature - Factors and Distribution, Heat Budget, Temperature Inversion.

3. Atmospheric Pressure and Winds – Planetary Winds, Forces affecting Winds, General Circulation, Jet Streams.

4. Atmospheric Moisture – Evaporation, Humidity, Condensation, Fog and Clouds, Precipitation Types, Stability and Instability; Climatic Regions (Koppen)

5. Cyclones – Tropical Cyclones, Extra Tropical Cyclones, Monsoon - Origin and Mechanism.

#### **Reading List**

- Barry R. G. and Carleton A. M., 2001: *Synoptic and Dynamic Climatology*, Routledge, UK.
- Barry R. G. and Corley R. J., 1998: *Atmosphere, Weather and Climate*, Routledge, New York.
- Critchfield H. J., 1987: General Climatology, Prentice-Hall of India, New Delhi
- □ Lutgens F. K., Tarbuck E. J. and Tasa D., 2009: *The Atmosphere: An Introduction to Meteorology*, Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey.
- □ Oliver J. E. and Hidore J. J., 2002: *Climatology: An Atmospheric Science*, Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- □ Trewartha G. T. and Horne L. H., 1980: An Introduction to Climate, McGraw-Hill.
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- Lal, D S (2006): Jalvayu Vigyan, Prayag Pustak Bhavan, Allahabad
- □ Vatal, M (1986): Bhautik Bhugol, Central Book Depot, Allahabad
- 🗆 Singh, S (2009): Jalvayu Vigyan, Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad