Jadavpur University Department of Economics

M.Phil. Course Work in Economics Supplementary Examination, 2022

1st Year, 2nd Semester

Paper: Economics of Climate Change

Time- 2 hours Full Marks- 30

Section-A

Answer any two questions

10x2=20

1. Discuss various components of benefit and cost estimation in benefit-cost analysis. 5+5

2. Why is the 'Coase Theorem' important in environmental economics? Explain graphically.

What are the assumptions of the theorem?

3+4+3

3. Define environment. Discuss the interlinkage between environment and the economy. Explain the two laws of thermodynamics in the context of environmental economics. 2+5+3

Section-B

Answer any two questions

5x2=10

- 4. Discuss the method of discounting in cost-benefit analysis. Define Expected Present Value of Net Benefits (EPVNB).
- 5. Evaluate the impact of 'future climate change' on nature and health.

2.5x2=5

6. What are aerosols? What are the driving forces behind emission of greenhouse gas?

2+3