## Climate NotEs

**Correctly define:** abundant, climate, deforestation, depleted, evapotranspiration, greenhouse effect, orographic effect, ozone

#### CLIMATE:

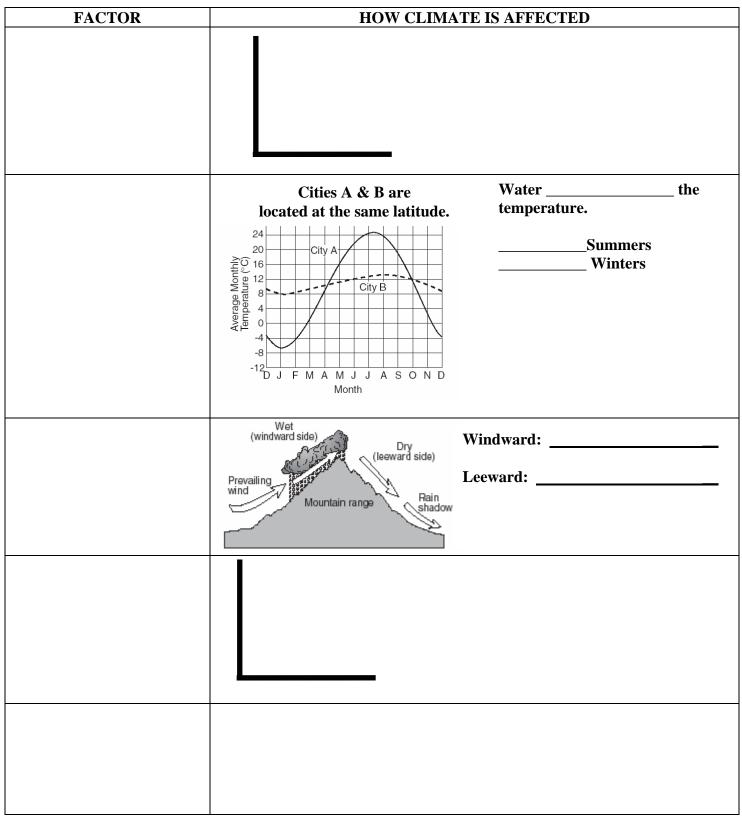
- ➢ Give examples of at least five factors that affect climate.
- > Explain specifically how each factor affects climate.
- > Identify which wavelength of energy is received from the sun in the greatest intensity.
- Explain what gases are responsible for absorbing ultraviolet and infrared energy.
- > Explain why the ozone layer is important.
- Explain the Greenhouse Effect.
- ➤ Give three examples of Global Climate Change---ice ages, el niño/la niña, and global warming.

### Vocabulary

| Abundant:           | <br> | <br> |
|---------------------|------|------|
| Climate:            |      |      |
| Deforestation:      |      |      |
| Deforestation:      |      |      |
| Depleted:           | <br> | <br> |
| Evapotranspiration: |      |      |
| Greenhouse Effect:  | <br> |      |
| Orographic Effect:  |      |      |
| Ozone:              |      |      |

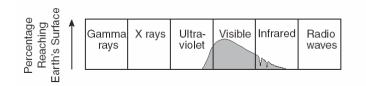
## **Key Concepts & Questions**

Identify five factors that affect climate and explain how each affects climate.



# Sun's Energy & Climate

According to the graph below, what wavelength of energy does the Earth receive in the greatest intensity?



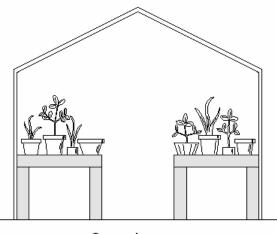
Name the primary gas which absorbs ultraviolet energy (UV) from the sun.

Name the three primary gases which absorb infrared energy (IR).

Why is the ozone layer important?

Why is it warmer on a cloudy night than on a clear night?

Explain the greenhouse effect. Include a diagram which shows the change in wavelength.

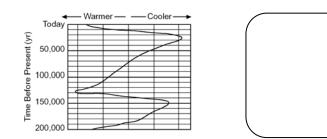


Greenhouse

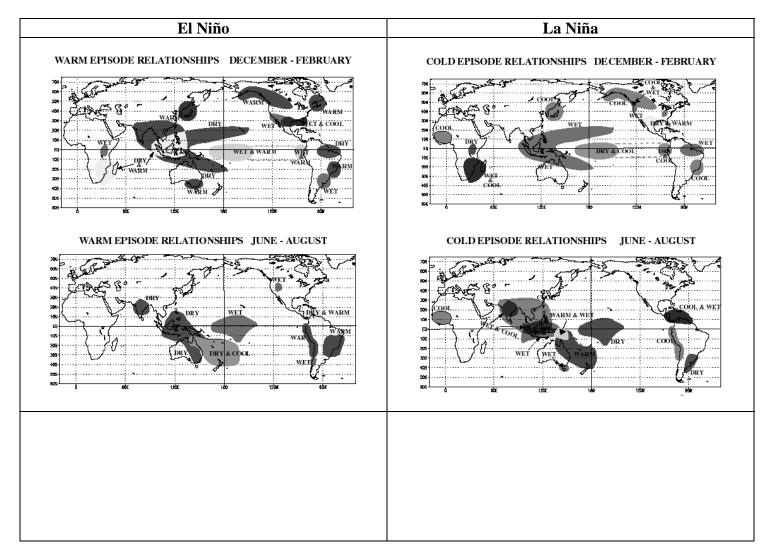
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# **Global Climate Change**

### 1. Ice Ages



### 2. El Niño and La Niña



### 3. Global Warming