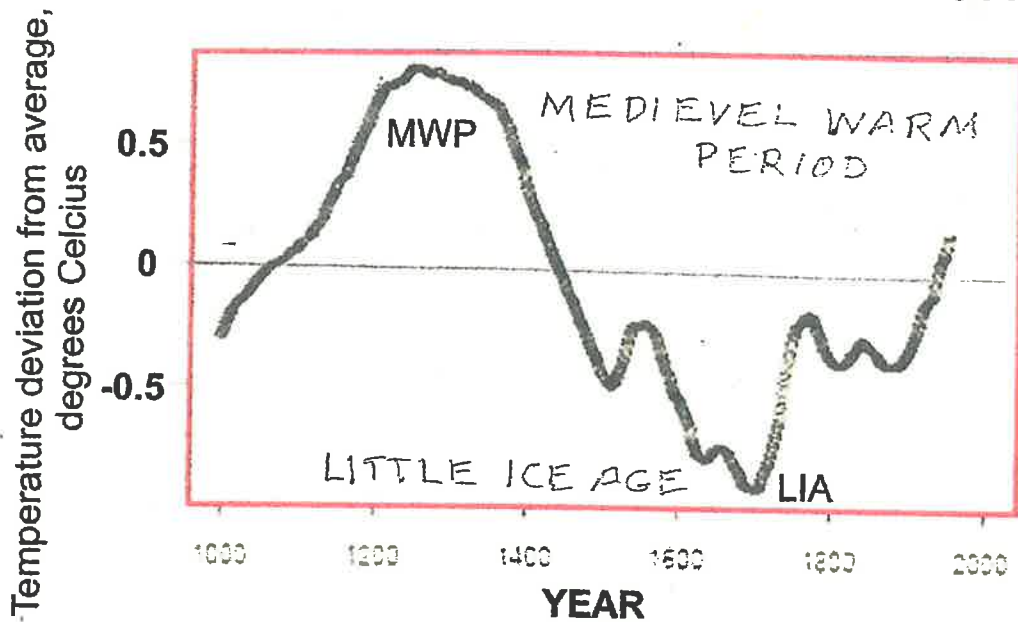
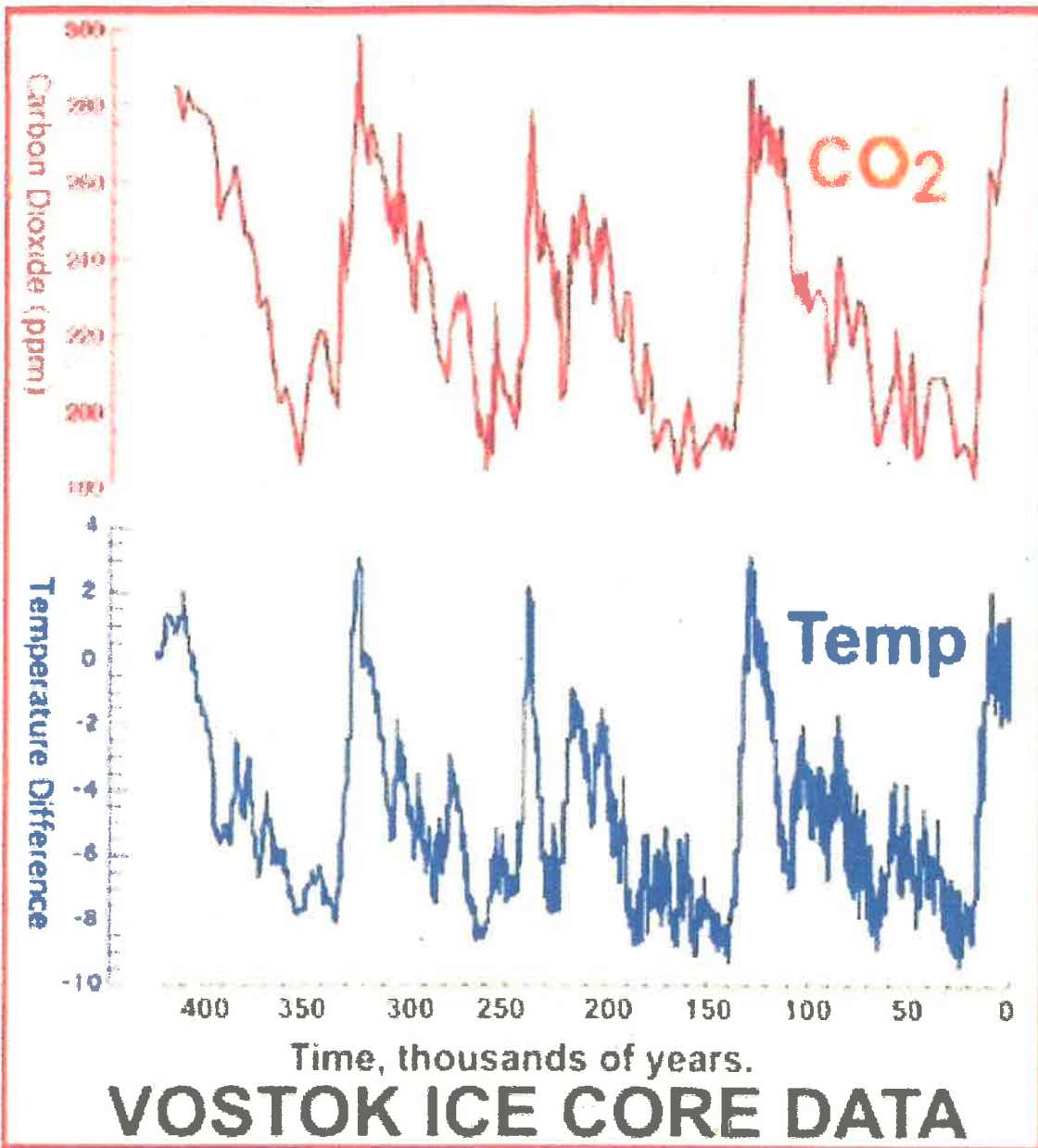


ACCEPTED EARLY GLOBAL TEMPERATURE RECONSTRUCTION.



Source: IPCC 1990. Since adjusted.



Here is the Vostok ice core data for the last 420,000 years. Gore showed this curve in his movie and in his book, "An Inconvenient Truth". The red line shows the atmospheric CO₂, and the blue line is the temperature relative to recent values.

The data show a remarkably good correlation in the long term variations in temperature and CO₂. There are four Ice Ages shown with average temperatures some 6 to 8 C below current values. Those ice ages are characterized by CO₂ concentrations as low as 170 - 190 ppm.

What he knows but fails to mention is that these same data show that the changes in temperature always precede the changes in CO₂ by about a thousand years.