## B. Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION SEMESTER: I

Course 1: Fundamentals of Microbes and Non-vascular Plants

Time: 3Hrs. Max. Marks: 75

#### SECTION - A

### Answer any 5 questions, Each question carries 5 marks

 $5 \times 5 = 25M$ 

- 1. (a) Prions (b) Viroids
- 2. Archaebacteria
- 3. (a) Basidiocarp (b) Ascocarp
- 4. Economic importance of Lichens
- 5. Reserve food material in Algae
- 6. (a) Scalariform conjugation (b) Lateral conjugation
- 7. General characteristics of Bryophytes
- 8. Anatomy of thallus in Marchantia

#### SECTION - B

### Answer all the questions. Each question carries 10 marks

5X10 = 50M

9. a) Describe the structure of TMV and Gemini virus with neat labeled diagrams.

(OR)

- b)Write a general account on symptoms of plant diseases caused by Viruses.
- a)Describe the cell structure of a cubacterium with neat labeled diagram.

(OR)

- b)Discuss the economic importance of bacteria in agriculture and industrial sectors with suitable examples.
- 11. a)Explain the life cycle in Puccinia with the help of a schematic diagram.

(OR)

- b) Discuss the economic uses of fungi in food industry, pharmacy and agriculture.
- 12. a) Write an essay on sexual reproduction in Polysiphonia.

(OR)

- b) Discuss the economic importance of Algae with suitable examples.
- a)Describe the sexual reproduction in Funaria with neat labeled diagrams.

(OR)

b)Write an essay on classification of Bryophytes upto classes.

## B. Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION SEMESTER: II

Course2: Basics of Vascular plants and Phytogeography

Time: 3Hrs. Max. Marks: 75

#### SECTION - A

## Answer any 5 questions, Each question carries 5 marks

 $5 \times 5 = 25M$ 

- 1. a) Eusporangium (b) Leptosporangium
- 2. Geological time scale.
- 3. Binomial system
- 4. (a) Synandrous condition (b) Syngenesious condition
- 5. Essential organs in flower of Acepiadaceae family
- 6. Economic importance of Arecaceae family
- 7. (a) Wides (b) Discontinuous species
- 8. Vegetation types in Andhra Pradesh

#### SECTION - B

## Answer all the questions, Each question carries 10 marks

5X10 = 50M

- 9.a) Describe the sexual reproduction in Lycopodium with neat labeled diagrams.
  - (OR)
  - b)Explain the stellar evolution in Pteridophytes with neat labeled diagrams and suitable examples.
- 10. a)Write an essay on general characteristics of Gymnosperms.
  - OR
  - b)Discuss the structure of ovule in Gnetum with a neat labeled diagram.
- 11. a) What is a herbarium? Explain the techniques of herbarium.

(OR)

- b)Discuss the vegetative and floral characters of Annonaceae family. Add a note on economic importance of that family.
- a) Discuss the vegetative and floral characters of Asteraceae family.

(OR)

- b) Discuss the vegetative and floral characters of Poaceae family. Add a note on economic importance of that family.
- 13. a) Explain different types Endemism and causes for it.

(OR)

b) Describe different phytogeographic regions of India with examples of flora.

## B. Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION SEMESTER: III

Course 3: Anatomy and Embryology of Angiosperms, Plant Ecology and Biodiversity
Time: 3Hrs.

Max. Marks: 75

#### SECTION - A

### Answer any 5 questions. Each question carries 5 marks

5 x 5 = 25M

- 1. (a) Xylem tracheids (b) Xylem vessels
- 2. (a) Periplasmodial tapetum (b) Glandular tapetum
- 3. (a) Helobial endosperm (b) Ruminate endosperm
- 4. Pyramids of numbers
- 5. (a) Ecotypes (b) Ecads
- 6. P/R ratio
- 7. Earth Summit.
- 8. Role of NBPGR in conservation of Biodiversity

#### SECTION - B

## Answer all the questions, Each question carries 10 marks

5X10 = 50M

9. a) Write an essay on organization of apical meristems with theories proposed.

(OR

- b)Discuss the anomalous secondary growth in stem of *Boerhaavia* with the help of a neat labeled diagram.
- 10. a)Explain monosporic and bisporic types of embryosac development in angiosperms.

(OR)

- b) Describe the embryogeny in a dicot plant with neat labeled diagrams.
- 11. a) Explain various effects of light factor plants and their communities?

(OR)

- b) Define ecological succession. Discuss hydrosere with suitable diagrams and examples.
- 12. a) Describe Raunkiaer's life forms with suitable examples.

(OR)

- b) Write an essay on primary productivity.
- 13.a) Write an essay on value of biodiversity with appropriate examples.

(OR)

b)Define biodiversity hotspot, Discuss the biodiversity in Western Ghats of India.

# B. Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION SEMESTER: IV

Course 4: Plant Physiology and Metabolism

Time: 3Hrs. Max. Marks: 75

#### SECTION - A

# Answer any 5 questions. Each question carries 5 marks

 $5 \times 5 = 25M$ 

- 1. (a) Diffusion (b) Imbibition
- 2. (a) Macro nutrients (b) Micro nutrients
- 3. (a) Anaerobic respiration (b) Aerobic respiration
- 4. (a) Absorption spectrum (b) Action spectrum
- 5. C2 pathway
- 6. Fatty acids
- 7. Physiological effects of Brassinisteroids
- 8. Sigmoid growth curve

#### SECTION - B

## Answer all the questions. Each question carries 10 marks

5X10 = 50M

- 9. a) Explain how ascent of sap occur in plants with suitable theory.
  - (OR)
  - b) Discuss the phloem transport in plants. Add a note on source-sink relationship.
- 10.a) Write an essay on classification of enzymes.

(OR)

- b) Describe the Krebs cycle with the help of schematic diagram.
- a) Define photophosphorylation. Explain the non-cyclic photophosphorylation with the help of a schematic diagram.

(OR)

- b) Discuss the carbon assimilation in CAM plants.
- 12. a) Write an essay on biological nitrogen fixation.

(OR)

- b) Describe the Glyoxylate cycle with the help of a schematic diagram.
- a) Define photoperiodism. Write an essay on role of phytochrome in photoperiodic responses of plants.

(OR)

b) Discuss the physiological changes in plants during water stress.



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## MODEL QUESTION COURSE

## B. Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION SEMESTER: IV

Course 5: Cell Biology, Genetics and Plant Breeding

Time: 3Hrs. Max. Marks: 75

#### SECTION - A

# Answer any 5 questions. Each question carries 5 marks

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- 1. Differences between prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells.
- 2. (a) Karyotype (b) Ideogram
- 3. (a) Incomplete dominance (b) Co-dominance
- 4. Maternal inheritance
- 5. Double helical structure of DNA
- 6. Genetic code
- 7. Objectives and scope of plant breeding
- 8. Plant introduction

#### SECTION - B

### Answer all the questions. Each question carries 10 marks

5X10 = 50M

a) Describe the ultrastructure of cell wall.

(OR)

- b) Write an essay on plastid DNA with a well labeled diagram.
- 10. a) Discuss the structure of a eukaryotic chromosome with a neat labeled diagram.

(OR)

- Explain the organization of DNA in chromosomes with suitable theories.
- 11.a) Discuss complementary and duplicate gene interactions with suitable examples.

(OR)

- Explain mapping of genes with the help of 3-point test cross.
- 12. a) Describe the semi-conservative mode of DNA replication.

(OR

- b) Define an operon. Explain the regulation of Lac-operon.
- 13.a) Write an essay on procedure; applications and uses; advantages and limitations mass selection.

(OR)

b) Give an account of utilization of RFLP and RAPD in molecular plant breeding.