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B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION — DECEMBER, 2019.

First Year

Botany

PLANT DIVERSITY-I

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

SECTION A — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 1. Bring out the characteristic features of rhodophyta and phaeophyta.
- 2. Write the habitat and structure of *Volvox*.
- 3. Narrate the general characters of fungi.
- 4. Give the systematic position, habitat and distribution of *Mucor*.
- 5. Explain the classification of Bryophytes
- 6. Describe the structure of virus.

- 7. What are the types of plant diseases? Discuss.
- 8. Explain budding.

SECTION B — $(5 \times 10 = 50 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 9. Explain the life cycle patterns in Algae.
- 10. Discuss the asexual and special types of reproductions in fungi.
- 11. Give the economic importance of
 - (a) Fungi as food and medicine
 - (b) Algae in Agriculture.
- 12. Enumerate the general characteristic features of Bryophytes.
- 13. Explain the sexual reproduction in Anthoceros.
- 14. Discuss the lytic life cycle of virus.
- 15. Explain economic importance of bacteria.
- 16. With suitable example explain the bacterial and fungal diseases in plants.

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PLANT DIVERSITY II

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

SECTION A — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 1. List out the salient features of pteridophytes.
- 2. Give the outline classification of pteridophytes by Smith 1955.
- 3. Explain the external morphology of *Selaginella*.
- 4. Describe the anatomical structure of *Marsilea* leaf.
- 5. Bring out the xerophytic features of gymnosperms.
- 6. Explain the structure of *Pinus* male cone.
- 7. Give a brief account on *Rhinea*.
- 8. Comment on mesozoic era in geological time scale.

SECTION B — $(5 \times 10 = 50 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 9. Write the gametophytic and sorophytic life cycle of pteridophytes.
- 10. Explain the sexual reproduction in *Lycopodium*.
- 11. Discuss the morphological characters and evolutionary trends in *Psilotum*.
- 12. Enumerate the general characteristic features of gymnosperms.
- 13. Describe the sexual reproduction in *Cycas*.
- 14. Describe the structure and of reproduction of *Gnetum*.
- 15. Describe the process of fossilization.
- 16. Write an essay about origin and diversification of land plants.

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GENERAL CHEMISTRY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks: 75

PART A — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 1. Give brief note on covalent and hydrogen bonds.
- 2. Differentiate between nucleophils and electrophiles.
- 3. Enumerate the applications of chromatography.
- 4. Write the technique of vulcanization of rubber.
- 5. Give the structure and properties of polyscaccharides.

- 6. Write short account on antiseptics and disinfectants.
- 7. Explain about green house effect.
- 8. Give brief note on sources and preventive methods of radioactive pollution.

PART B — $(5 \times 10 = 50 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 9. With suitable examples explain the following (a) molarity,
 - (b) molality and
 - (c) normality.
- 10. With neat diagrammatic representation describe the purification of organic compounds by crystallization method.
- 11. What are the types of catalysts? Describe its properties and applications.
- 12. Differentiate between addition polymerization and condensation polymerization.
- 13. With suitable examples classify vitamins and write their sources and deficiency diseases.

- 14. Write short account on the following:
 - (a) Chloroquine
 - (b) Tetracycline
 - (c) Antipyritics.
- 15. Define pollutants. Write the types of water pollutants and their control measures.
- 16. List out the hygiene and safety rules of laboratory.

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