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END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : NOVEMBER-2023

COURSE NAME: B.Sc.-BOTANY **MAXIMUM MARKS: 75**

SEMESTER: I **TIME : 3 HOURS**

PART - III

PLANT DIVERSITY – I
(PHYCOLOGY, MYCOLOGY AND BRYOLOGY)

SECTION – A (10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS. (K1)

1. Heterosis is found in _____.
   (a) Nostoc (b) Oedogonium (c) Sargasam (d) Chara
2. Agar-agar is obtained from various members of_____.
   (a) Green algae (b) Brown algae (c) Red algae (d) Blue green algae
3. The youngest conidium is present at the base of the conidiophore are called as _____.
   (a) Acropetal (b) Basipetal (c) Spiral (d) Bead like
4. The mutualistic association of algal and fungi are called as _____.
   (a) Fungi (b) Algae (c) Lichen (d) Bryophytes
5. The fungi cell wall are composed of _____.
   (a) Starch (b) Pectin (c) Cellulose (d) Chitin

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES. (K2)

6. Diplontic life cycle .
7. Define Thallus.
8. Saprophytes
9. Foliose lichen.
10. List any two vegetative features of bryophytes.

SECTION – B (5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)

11. a) List out the general characters of algae.

(OR)

b) Describe the various reproductions found in *Nostoc.*

12. a) Demonstrate the reproduction of *Cyclotella* .

(OR)

b) List out the economic importance of algae.

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13. a) Discuss the different mode of nutrition in fungi.

(OR)

b) Briefly explain the economic importance of fungi.

14. a) Illustrate the morphology of lichens .

(OR)

b) Organize the economic importance of lichen.

15. a) Prepare the general characters of bryophytes.

(OR)

b) Demonstrate the important features in Reimers classification of bryophytes.

SECTION – C (5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(K4 (Or) K5)

16. a) Classify the algae by Fritsch system.

(OR)

b) Demonstrate the reproduction of *Sargassam.*

17.a) Explain the reproductive structure in *Polysiphonia.*

(OR)

b) Explain the reproduction and lifecycle of *Pinnularia.*

18. a) Classify the fungi according to Alexopoulos,1972.

(OR)

b) Explain the structure and Asexual reproduction in *Penicillium*

19.a) Evaluate life cycle of *Puccinia.*

(OR)

b) Write an essay on reproduction methods in Lichens.

20.a) Describe the structure and development of Antheridium in *polytrichum.*

(OR)

b) Write an essay on sexual reproduction found in *Riccia.*

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