



**MBA-003-001406**

Seat No. \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Sc. (Sem. IV) (CBCS) Examination**

**March / April - 2018**

**Botany : B-401**

*(Applied Botany)*

*(Old Course)*

**Faculty Code : 003**

**Subject Code : 001406**

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :**
- (1) This question paper contains three questions. All questions are compulsory.
  - (2) Write answers of all the questions in main answer sheet.
  - (3) Draw neat and labelled diagram wherever necessary.
  - (4) Figures to the right side indicated full marks for the questions.

**1 Objective type questions : 20**

- (1) In  $C_3$  plants..... is the key enzyme, fixes  $CO_2$
- (2) What are the parts of periderm?
- (3) Endosperm in angiosperm is a Triploid structure : True or false
- (4) Who is the father of green revolution in India?
- (5) What is the function of nectary gland?
- (6) The standard size of the herbarium sheet is .....
- (7) Pinus plant possesses Resin duct : True or false
- (8) Give the name of plants which show Kranz anatomy?
- (9) Which type of soil water is generally important for plants?
- (10) Warmth of the surface of the earth is due to .....

- (11) Pea is a C<sub>4</sub> plant : True or false
- (12) The wall of commercial cork shows ..... deposition.
- (13) Why Blue green algae can be used as bio-fertiliser ?
- (14) ..... grafting is used to 'bridge' a diseased or damaged area of a plant.
- (15) Strawberries is mainly propagated by ....., type of propagation
- (16) The term mycorrhiza was coined by .....
- (17) ..... plant possesses glandular hairs.
- (18) Which physiological process is responsible for the falling of leaves and fruits?
- (19) ..... type of bacteria produces Polymixin - B
- (20) Biologists celebrate 5<sup>th</sup> June as ..... Day.

**2** (a) Answer in brief : (any **three**) **6**

- (1) Write a note on : Plant breeder's knowledge (Any four).
- (2) Write the function of Cytokinins on plants.
- (3) Draw only labelled diagram of soil profile.
- (4) Define : Bonsai.
- (5) Write note on : tyloses
- (6) Write the causes of air pollutants.

(b) Answer any **three** : **9**

- (1) What is the need of plant breeding?
- (2) Describe different modes of soil erosion.
- (3) Explain bisporic embryo sac.
- (4) Write a note on : Layering.
- (5) Write the properties of antibiotics.
- (6) Give information about the mechanism of translocation in phloem.

- (c) Answer in detail : (any **two**) **10**
- (1) Write an essay on Auxin.
  - (2) Explain the process of double fertilization in angiosperms.
  - (3) Describe any three methods of grafting.
  - (4) What are bio fertilizers? Explain the types of bio-fertilizers used in agriculture.
  - (5) Discuss the effects of water pollutants.
- 3** (a) Answer in brief : (any **three**) **6**
- (1) Define humus.
  - (2) Write the names of equipments, used during herbarium preparation?
  - (3) What is stinging hair? Give one example.
  - (4) What is T - budding?
  - (5) State the importance of Potassium on plants.
  - (6) What is cutting and give information about the types of cutting.
- (b) Answer any **three** : **9**
- (1) Write a note on Abscission.
  - (2) Write a short note on history of green evolution in India.
  - (3) Give an illustrative account on action mechanism of ethylene.
  - (4) What is floriculture? Describe the cultivation process of rose varieties.
  - (5) Explain global warming.
  - (6) Describe Crassulacean Acid Metabolism (CAM) in plants.

(c) Answer in detail : (any **two**)

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- (1) Describe the asexual method of plant propagation.
  - (2) Describe the conventional methods of crop improvement.
  - (3) What is soil? Explain the process of soil formation.
  - (4) Describe Calvin cycle.
  - (5) What is embryo sac? Explain tetrasporic embryo sac.
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