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**M.Sc. – I (Semester – I) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – III)**  
**Plant Ecology (CBCS New)**

Day and Date : Saturday, 2-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question no. **1** is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **2** to **4**.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **5** to **7**.
  - v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

1. Choose the correct answer from given alternatives : 14
- 1) Succession require
    - a) some years
    - b) five years
    - c) thousand of years
    - d) couple of year
  - 2) WWF was established in the year
    - a) 1961
    - b) 1971
    - c) 1981
    - d) 1951
  - 3) The last IUCN congress has held on \_\_\_\_\_ at Bangkok.
    - a) 14<sup>th</sup> October 04
    - b) 14<sup>th</sup> November
    - c) 14<sup>th</sup> September
    - d) 14<sup>th</sup> October 05
  - 4) Man and Biosphere is shortly abbreviated as
    - a) MBS
    - b) MAB
    - c) Mab
    - d) MBI
  - 5) When succession initiates on acidic soil, it is called as
    - a) xerosere
    - b) halosere
    - c) oxalosere
    - d) psamosere
  - 6) In aqueous environment the microscopic organisms are collectively known as
    - a) fauna
    - b) plankton
    - c) herbivores
    - d) a) and c)
  - 7) Polyclimax theory was putforth by
    - a) Tansly et al
    - b) Clements
    - c) Wittakaret et al
    - d) Mishra et al
  - 8) Succession always tends towards the
    - a) xerism
    - b) mesism
    - c) hydrism
    - d) all the above



- 9) The succession occurs under the influence of external factors such as climate, edaphic factor etc. is called as \_\_\_\_\_ succession.  
a) primary      b) antogenic      c) allogenic      d) sub climax
- 10) The concept of ecological pyramid was proposed by  
a) Odum      b) Charles Elton      c) Verma      d) Misra
- 11) The key attributes of wetlands are  
a) hydric soil      b) hydrology      c) hydrophytes      d) all the above
- 12) Wetland ecosystems are \_\_\_\_\_ significant.  
a) economically      b) ecologically      c) sociologically      d) all the above
- 13) RESOURCESAT is a \_\_\_\_\_ satellite.  
a) IRS      b) NIR      c) IR      d) TIRA
- 14) PMT detectors are used in \_\_\_\_\_ range.  
a) Near IR      b) IR      c) Thermal IR      d) Visible
2. a) What are wetlands ? Give the key attributes of wetlands. 7  
b) Explain the importance of EIA. 7
3. a) Write briefly on phytovolatilization. 7  
b) Give applications of remote sensing techniques. 7
4. a) Explain the causes of ozone depletion. 7  
b) Discuss the importance of environmental toxicology. 7
5. Write briefly on :  
a) Lentic water bodies. 5  
b) Estuarine ecosystem. 5  
c) Soil pollution 4
6. a) Describe various stages of succession with examples. 5  
b) Describe the methods used in monitoring water pollution. 5  
c) Define bioaccumulation. Represent the phenomenon with example. 4
7. Write notes on **any three** : 14  
a) IRS Series  
b) Xenobiotics  
c) Phytoextraction  
d) Rise in temperature.
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**M.Sc. (Part – I) (Semester – II) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (CBCS) (New) Paper – V**  
**Biology and Diversity of Gymnosperms and Palaeobotany**

Day and Date : Monday, 30-3-2016

Total Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt total **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **1** is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **2 to 4**.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **5 to 7**.
  - v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

1. Choose correct answer from given alternatives (MCQ) : 14

- 1) Exactly circular bordered pits with circular pit pores is the characteristics of \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Podocarpus    b) Cupressus  
c) Araucaria    d) Taxus
- 2) Symbiotic relationship of roots of gymnosperms with algae is seen in \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Ephedra    b) Pinus  
c) Cycas    d) None of these
- 3) The only gymnosperms having CAM, is \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Thuja    b) Zamia  
c) Taxus    d) Welwitschia
- 4) It is used as a most valuable timber.  
a) Araucaria    b) Cedrus  
c) Cupressus    d) Pinus
- 5) Presence of \_\_\_\_\_ on the stem is a peculiar feature of gymnosperms.  
a) Irregular nodes                                        b) Stem scars  
c) Leaf scars    d) Palvinous leaf base



- 6) The gymnosperm having fan shaped leaf is  
a) Ephedra      b) Ginkgo  
c) Zamia      d) Pinus
- 7) An alkaloid obtained from \_\_\_\_\_ is used in ovarian cancer.  
a) Taxus      b) Ginkgo  
c) Cycas      d) Cephalotaxus
- 8) Kaloxylon hookeri is \_\_\_\_\_ genus of Pteridospermales.  
a) Stem      b) Leaf  
c) Root      d) Fruit
- 9) Sporogonites belongs to \_\_\_\_\_ period.  
a) Cambrian      b) Devonian  
c) Silurian      d) Permian
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ is the stem genus of family palmae.  
a) Palmoxylon      b) Rhizopalmoxylon  
c) Palmocarpon      d) Palmocaulon
- 11) In Lyginopteris oldhamia primary xylem is \_\_\_\_\_ type.  
a) Exarch      b) Endarch  
c) Mesarch      d) Polyarch
- 12) Enigmocarpon is \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Monocot fruit      b) Monocot leaf  
c) Dicot root      d) Dicot fruit
- 13) In Medullosa thompsoni \_\_\_\_\_ steles are present.  
a) 2      b) 3  
c) 23      d) 70
- 14) Nilssonia is \_\_\_\_\_ genus of Cycadales.  
a) Stem      b) Seed  
c) Leaf      d) Flower



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| 2. a) Explain the diversity of gymnosperms with respect to reproduction. | 7         |
| b) Describe Indian fossil flora.   | 7         |
| 3. a) Give economic importance of Order Cycadales.                       | 7         |
| b) Describe family Osmundaceae.  | 7         |
| 4. a) Reproductive structure of <u>Welwitschia</u> .                     | 7         |
| b) Family Rhyniaceae.  | 7         |
| 5. Describe :  |           |
| a) Male cone of <u>Ginkgo</u> .  | 5         |
| b) Wood of <u>Conifer</u> .  | 5         |
| c) <u>Medullosa thompsoni</u> .  | 4         |
| 6. Explain :   |           |
| a) Female cone of <u>Araucaria</u> .                                     | 4         |
| b) <u>Lepidocarpon</u> .   | 5         |
| c) <u>Lyginopteris</u> .   | 5         |
| 7. Write note on <b>any three</b> :                                      | <b>14</b> |
| a) Male cone of <u>Podocarpus</u>  |           |
| b) Aril  |           |
| c) Petrification   |           |
| d) Coal maceration.  |           |



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**M.Sc. I (Semester – II) (NEW CBCS) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – VI)**  
**Taxonomy of Angiosperms**

Day and Date : Friday, 1-4-2016  
Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **1** is **compulsory** (Section – I).
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from question No. **2** to **4** (Section – II)
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from question No. **5** to **7** (Section – III)
  - v) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.

**SECTION – I**

1. Rewrite the following sentences by choosing correct alternative. 14  
1) 'Evolution and Classification of Flowering Plants' is written by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) A. Cornquist      b) G. Bentham      c) C. V. Linnaeus      d) J. D. Hooker
- 2) Taxonomic group of any rank within the system is termed as \_\_\_\_\_  
a) division      b) family      c) taxon      d) genus
- 3) Genetic diversity represents the \_\_\_\_\_ variation within and between populations of organisms.  
a) heritable      b) endemic      c) species      d) none of these
- 4) In Cronquist system of classification \_\_\_\_\_ in dicotyledons and \_\_\_\_\_ in monocotyledons are generally regarded as advanced families.  
a) Winteraceae, Liliaceae      b) Magnoliaceae, Burmanniaceae  
c) Primulaceae, Irideae      d) Asteraceae, Orchidaceae
- 5) 'Labellum' petal is present in the family \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Moraceae      b) Orchidaceae      c) Onagraceae      d) Poaceae






SECTION – II

2. a) Write in brief the principles of ICBN. 7  
b) Outline of Bessey's system of classification. 7



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| 3. a) Give an account of evolutionary trends in Androecium.     | 7 |
| b) What is typification ? Describe various nomenclatural types. | 7 |
| 4. a) Comment up on account of Biodiversity hotspots of India.  | 7 |
| b) General evolutionary trends in fruits.                       | 7 |

### **SECTION – III**

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| 5. a) Principle of priority of publication.   | 5         |
| b) Functions of taxonomy.                     | 5         |
| c) Orchid flower.                             | 4         |
| 6. a) Morphological characters of Sapotaceae. | 5         |
| b) Reproductive characters of Tiliaceae.      | 5         |
| c) Systematic position of Polygoniaceae.      | 4         |
| 7. Write notes on <b>any three.</b>           | <b>14</b> |
| a) Omega taxonomy                             |           |
| b) Binomial nomenclature                      |           |
| c) Economic value of Biodiversity             |           |
| d) Floristic work in Maharashtra.             |           |





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**M.Sc. – I (Semester – II) (New CBCS Pattern) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – VII)**  
**Cell and Molecular Biology of Plants**

Day and Date : Monday, 4-4-2016

Total Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- 1) Question No. 1 is **compulsory**.
  - 2) Solve **any two** questions from Q. 2 to Q. 4 and **any two** from Q. 5 to Q. 7.
  - 3) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.
  - 4) Draw **neat** and labelled diagrams **wherever** necessary.

1. Write the correct answer. 14
- 1) G-actin are the protein building blocks of
    - a) Microtubules
    - b) Microfilaments
    - c) ER
    - d) Golgi bodies
  - 2) Retinoblastoma is an hereditary \_\_\_\_\_ cancer due to deletion in specific region of chromosome 13 from one of the parents.
    - a) eye
    - b) liver
    - c) spleen
    - d) bone
  - 3) Cell plate formation is due to
    - a) ER
    - b) Microtubules
    - c) Golgi vesicles
    - d) Microfilaments
  - 4) In a solenoid model of nucleosome, \_\_\_\_\_ nucleosomes are packed together per turn.
    - a) three
    - b) four
    - c) five
    - d) six
  - 5) \_\_\_\_\_ are involved in apoptosis.
    - a) caspases
    - b) proteases
    - c) kinases
    - d) oxidases



- 6) Ribosomes require high levels of \_\_\_\_\_ for their stability.
- a) calcium      b) magnesium      c) iron      d) manganese
- 7) In confocal microscopy, sample image is obtained from
- a) focal plane of objective      b) photographic film
- c) TV camera      d) digital image
- 8) Origin and biogenesis of mitochondria by division from mitochondria has been studied in
- a) Puccinia      b) Uncinula      c) Aspergillus      d) Neurospora
- 9) Smooth ER plays an important role in the synthesis of
- a) proteins      b) glycogen
- c) lipids      d) polysaccharides
- 10) Replicon model for DNA replication was formulated by \_\_\_\_\_ in 1963.
- a) Watson and Crick      b) Hargovind Khorana
- c) Brenner and Cuzin      d) Meselson and Stahl
- 11) \_\_\_\_\_ is not a function of vacuole.
- a) Storage of organic compounds      b) Osmoregulation
- c) Turgidity of the cell      d) ATP synthesis
- 12) Replication of lagging strand generates small polynucleotide sequences called as
- a) replicons      b) okazaki fragments
- c) primers      d) primosome
- 13) There are \_\_\_\_\_ types of caspases.
- a) three      b) five      c) six      d) eight
- 14) \_\_\_\_\_ method can be used to detect different antigens from same sample.
- a) Agglutination      b) Precipitation
- c) Immunofluorescence assay      d) RIA



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| 2. Write an essay on-DNA Damage and Repair.   | <b>14</b> |
| 3. Describe the ultrastructure of mitochondrion and add a note on its genome organisation.              | <b>14</b> |
| 4. Give an account of plasma membrane w.r.t. its structure, chemical composition, models and functions. | <b>14</b> |
| 5. Briefly explain :  |           |
| a) Models of DNA replication.   | 7         |
| b) Cell cycle and its regulation.   | 7         |
| 6. a) Enumerate the properties of genetic code.   | 7         |
| b) Give the functions of microtubules and ER.   | 7         |
| 7. Write short notes on <b>any three</b> :  | <b>14</b> |
| a) In situ hybridization technique.   |           |
| b) Chromosomal organization.  |           |
| c) Retinoblastoma.  |           |
| d) Plant vacuoles.  |           |
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**M.Sc. – I (Semester – II) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (New CBCS)**  
**Paper – VIII : Advances in Plant Pathology**

Day and Date : Wednesday, 6-4-2016

Max.Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt **totally five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **1** is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from question No. **2 to 4**.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from question No. **5 to 7**.
  - v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

1. Select the correct answer : 14
- 1) The literature on the genetics of disease resistance in vegetables has been reviewed by Walker in  
a) 1965              b) 1975              c) 1995              d) 1985
  - 2) The quarantine laws were first enacted in the \_\_\_\_\_ in 1912.  
a) Australia              b) USA              c) India              d) Zambia
  - 3) Powdery mildew of grapevines disease was reported from \_\_\_\_\_ in 1847.  
a) Peru              b) Brazil              c) England              d) Mexico
  - 4) Club root of crucifers was first described by Woronin in  
a) 1873              b) 1875              c) 1886              d) 1877
  - 5) In 1958 \_\_\_\_\_ in Germany had defined plant disease.  
a) Julius Kuhn              b) Mulius Kuhn  
c) Delius Kuhn              d) Belius Kuhn
  - 6) Grassy shoot disease was first noticed in India in \_\_\_\_\_ in Maharashtra State.  
a) 1818              b) 1919              c) 1717              d) 1616
  - 7) \_\_\_\_\_ is the example of Phytoplasma disease.  
a) MSD              b) DSD              c) GSD              d) OSD
  - 8) The host of the major species of root knot of \_\_\_\_\_ include at least 1700 plants.  
a) nematode              b) algal              c) bacteria              d) viral



- 9) Percentage of all produce lost disease, insect and weed are 25 in  
a) Africa      b) Europe      c) Australia      d) Asia
- 10) The effect of environmental factor on plant disease has been reviewed by Colhoun in  
a) 1973      b) 1974      c) 1975      d) 1976
- 11) The example of phanerogamic disease are \_\_\_\_\_ parasite.  
a) bark      b) root      c) leaves      d) flower
- 12) Citrus canker is the example of \_\_\_\_\_ disease.  
a) viral      b) fungal      c) mycoplasma d) bacterial
- 13) The club root is the example of \_\_\_\_\_ disease.  
a) fungal      b) bacterial      c) algal      d) phanerogamic
- 14) \_\_\_\_\_ et. al. in 1989 tried to put up a moderately precise definition of disease.  
a) Saxena      b) Singh      c) Nanir      d) Sharma
2. a) Explain the classification of plant disease based on symptoms. 7  
b) What is smut ? Describe the smut disease studied by you. 7
3. a) What is pathogen ? Give the methods of diagnosis of plant diseases. 7  
b) Define virus and explain symptoms, causal organism, disease cycle and control measures of TMV. 7
4. a) Describe the eradication methods of plant disease control. 7  
b) Explain the physiological defense mechanism studied by you. 7
5. a) Explain the symptoms, causal organism and control measures of partial stem parasite disease. 5  
b) Describe the symptoms, causal organism and control measures of downy mildew disease studied by you. 5  
c) Write the uses of organic compound in chemical control of plant diseases. 4
6. a) Explain the systematic acquired resistance studied by you. 5  
b) Give the symptoms, causal organism and control measures of fruit rot disease. 5  
c) Write the identification technique of MLO. 4
7. Write notes on **any three :** 14  
a) Importance of plant diseases      b) Rapid epiphytotic  
c) Penetration      d) Protection



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**M.Sc. – I (Semester – II) (Old CGPA) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – VI)**  
**Taxonomy of Angiosperms**

Day and Date : Friday, 1-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **1** is **compulsory**. (Section – I).
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **2** to **4** (Section – II).
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **5** to **7** (Section – III).
  - v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

**SECTION – I**

1. Rewrite the following sentences by choosing correct alternative. **14**
- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ have defined the species of biosystematists in terms of gene exchange.  
a) Bentham and Hooker                          b) Valentine and Love  
c) Grant and Love                                d) Meyer and Pristely
  - 2) The constant presence of an ochrea (Sheathing stipule) is the most characteristic feature of the family  
a) Caryophyllaceae                                b) Asteraceae  
c) Orchidaceae                                      d) Polygoniaceae
  - 3) “Species Plantarum” is written by  
a) A. Cornquist                                    b) G. Bentham                                    c) J.D. Hooker                                    d) C.v. Linnaeus
  - 4) Presence of resin and oil secreting sacs in the epidermis and ground tissue are found in members of family  
a) Piperaceae                                        b) Myrtaceae                                        c) Sapotaceae                                        d) Araceae
  - 5) When pollination is carried out by wind, it is called as  
a) Anemophily                                        b) Entomophily                                        c) Cantharophily                                    d) Ornithophily





## **SECTION – II**

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| 2. a) Outline of Cronquist's system of classification.  | 7 |
| b) Discuss evolutionary trends in flower.   | 7 |
| 3. a) Explain principle of priority.  | 7 |
| b) Write vegetative and floral characters of family Casurinaceae along with interrelationships. | 7 |
| 4. a) Explain various nomenclatural types.  | 7 |
| b) Biodiversity hotspots.   | 7 |

## **SECTION – III**

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| 5. a) Write criteria for effective and valid publication. | 5         |
| b) Discuss principles of taxonomy.                        | 5         |
| c) Floristic work in Maharashtra.                         | 4         |
| 6. a) Numerical taxonomy.                                 | 5         |
| b) Typological species concept.                           | 5         |
| c) Orchid flower.   | 4         |
| 7. Write notes on <b>any three</b> .                      | <b>14</b> |
| a) Genetic diversity in plants.                           |           |
| b) Salient features of Commelinaceae.                     |           |
| c) Aims of taxonomy.                                      |           |
| d) Salient features of Orchidaceae.                       |           |
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**M.Sc. – I (Semester – II) (Old CGPA) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – VII)**  
**Cell and Molecular Biology of Plants**

Day and Date : Monday, 4-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **I** is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **II to IV**.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **V to VII**.
  - v) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.

I. a) Choose the correct answer :

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- 1) Every cell has very thin surrounding membrane called as \_\_\_\_\_, which makes it self contained and to some extent self sufficient.  
a) plasma membrane                  b) cell membrane  
c) cytoplasmic membrane            d) cell membrane
- 2) Lipid molecules in plasma membrane share an important property known as \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Epipathic                          b) Hypopathic  
c) Amphipathic                      d) Monopathic
- 3) In normal liver cell there are \_\_\_\_\_ mitochondria.  
a) 500 – 800                        b) 1000 – 1600  
c) 2000 – 2200                     d) 50 – 100
- 4) The unit membrane model was put forward by \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Robertson (1953)  
b) Harvey and Cole (1931)  
c) Benson (1966)  
d) Linard and Singer (1967)






b) Fill in the blanks :

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- 1) The cytoplasm of all eukaryotic cells contains hollow fibrillar structures called \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2) Synthesis of energy rich compounds which provide energy for mitosis and synthesis of proteins, takes place at the end of \_\_\_\_\_ phase.
  - 3) The period between two mitotic cycles is called \_\_\_\_\_
  - 4) The microtubules has outer diameter of \_\_\_\_\_
  - 5) \_\_\_\_\_ are path-like areas of close intercellular contact, consists of several hollow cylindrical particles on each cell membrane.
  - 6) The long term of PAGE is \_\_\_\_\_
  - 7) The damaged part of the DNA strand is removed by an \_\_\_\_\_ enzyme.

## **II. Write in short about :**

- a) Plasma membrane.
  - b) Role of plasmodesmata.

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### **III. Discuss in short about :**

- a) Genome organization in chloroplast.
  - b) Ultra structure of mitochondria.

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**IV. Explain briefly :**

- a) Structure of vacuole and ATPases. 7
- b) Methods of DNA detection. 7

**V. Comment upon :**

- a) Endoplasmic reticulum. 5
- b) Golgi bodies. 5
- c) Properties of genetic code. 4

**VI. Comment upon :**

- a) Retinoblastoma. 5
- b) Apoptosis. 5
- c) GISH. 4

**VII. Write notes on **any three** : 14**

- a) FISH
  - b) Enzyme kinetics
  - c) Immunotechniques
  - d) Cell plate formation.
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**M.Sc. – II (Semester – III) (CGPA) (Old) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – XI)**  
**Advances in Plant Metabolism and Biochemistry**

Day and Date : Saturday, 2-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question no. **1** is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **2 to 4**.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from question no. **5 to 7**.
  - v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

1. Multiple choice questions :

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- a) Enzymes of the krebs cycle or TCA cycle are located in the matrix of mitochondria except one which is located in the inner mitochondrial membrane. Name the same enzyme.
  - i) Citrate synthase
  - ii) Succinate dehydrogenase
  - iii) Malate dehydrogenase
  - iv) A keta glutarate dehydrogenase
- b) Conversion of pyruvic acid in to ethyl alcohol is facilitated by the following enzymes
  - i) Carboxylase
  - ii) Phosphotase
  - iii) Dehydrogenase
  - iv) Carboxylase and Dehydrogenase
- c) Malic acid is a \_\_\_\_\_
  - i) Carboxylic acid
  - ii) Dicarboxylic acid
  - iii) Mono carboxylic acid
  - iv) Tri carboxylic acid
- d) Which of the following is C4 plant ?
  - i) Rose
  - ii) Sugarcane
  - iii) Maka
  - iv) China rose
- e) \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ are the major precursors of oxalic acid in plants.
  - i) Glyoxylate and L. ascorbic acid
  - ii) Glyoxylate and pyruvate
  - iii) L. ascorbic acid and malate
  - iv) Pyruvate and malate



- f) \_\_\_\_\_ is the sulphur containing amino acid.

  - i) Glutathione
  - ii) Alanine
  - iii) Arginine
  - iv) Aspartic acid

g) \_\_\_\_\_ is the carbohydrate metabolic pathway.

  - i) Shikmic acid pathway
  - ii) Alpha oxidation pathway
  - iii) Glycogenesis
  - iv) None of these

h) In biological system, an important enzyme involved in regulation of redox reaction is \_\_\_\_\_

  - i) Amylase
  - ii) Methylase
  - iii) Dehydrogenase
  - iv) Acyltransferase

i) Which of the following is not intermediate of glycolysis ?

  - i) Glucose-6-phosphate
  - ii) Fructose 1, 6, biphosphate
  - iii) Fructose-6-phosphate
  - iv) Glycerol-3-phosphate

j) Ascorbic acid synthesized from \_\_\_\_\_

  - i) Maltose
  - ii) Glucose
  - iii) Guanosine diphosphate-mannose
  - iv) Fructose di phosphate

k) Succinyl Co.A. is cleaved by \_\_\_\_\_

  - i) Succinate dehydrogenase
  - ii) Succinate thiokinase
  - iii) Succinate lyase
  - iv) Succinate thioesterase

l) Respiratory enzymes are located in \_\_\_\_\_

  - i) Mitochondrial matrix
  - ii) Cristae
  - iii) Perimitochondrial space
  - iv) Outer membrane

m) The F0-F1 particles are found on \_\_\_\_\_

  - i) Matrix side of inner mitochondrial membrane
  - ii) Inter membrane of inner mitochondrial membrane
  - iii) Inter membrane space side of outer mitochondrial membrane
  - iv) The outer surface of outer mitochondrial membrane

n) Which of the following is the secondary metabolite ?

  - i) Carbohydrates
  - ii) Alkaloids
  - iii) Protein
  - iv) None of these



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| 2. A) Schematically represent and explain ETC.  | 7         |
| B) Explain in brief biosynthesis of aromatic amino acid.  | 7         |
| 3. A) Write the schematic representation of cyclic and non cyclic photophosphorylation, show the path of electrons and the sites of ATP generation. | 7         |
| B) Describe in brief integration of major metabolic pathways in plants.   | 7         |
| 4. A) Explain gluconeogenesis and give its significance.  | 7         |
| B) Define metabolism and explain in brief metabolism and role of oxalic acid.   | 7         |
| 5. A) What is meant by kranz anatomy ? Explain and mention one example.   | 5         |
| B) List five differences between C <sub>3</sub> and C <sub>4</sub> plants.  | 5         |
| C) Explain pentose phosphate pathway.   | 4         |
| 6. A) Describe respiratory inhibitors.  | 5         |
| B) Describe photorespiration and its significance.  | 5         |
| C) Draw a labeled diagram of ultrastructure of mitochondria.  | 4         |
| 7. Write notes on <b>any three</b> :  | <b>14</b> |
| A) Describe forms of sulphate in soil and plants.   |           |
| B) Describe biosynthesis of methionine and give its role.   |           |
| C) Give schematic representation of shikmmic acid pathway.  |           |
| D) Explain the role of pyrophosphate in plant metabolism.   |           |
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**M.Sc. – II (Semester – IV) (New CGPA) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper – XIII)**  
**Phytogeography and Conservation Biology**

Day and Date : Wednesday, 30-3-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt totally **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. **1** is **compulsory** (Section – I).
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **2** to **4** (Section – II).
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. **5** to **7** (Section – III).
  - v) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.

SECTION – I

1. Rewrite the following sentences by choosing correct alternative. 14
- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ is the endemic tree genera for India.
- a) *Acacia*
  - b) *Hardwickia*
  - c) *Azadirachta*
  - d) *Magnolia*
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ is chiefly a matter of quality while \_\_\_\_\_ is matter of quantity.
- a) Flora, Vegetation
  - b) Vegetation, Flora
  - c) Flora, Fauna
  - d) Fauna, Flora
- 3) One of the most important biotic region of world is \_\_\_\_\_
- a) The tundra
  - b) Northern coniferous forest
  - c) Temperate grassland
  - d) Temperate deciduous forests
- 4) The Biological Diversity Act is established in \_\_\_\_\_
- a) 2002
  - b) 2004
  - c) 2008
  - d) 1996
- 5) For the successful polyhouse \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the most important component.
- a)  $\text{CO}_2$  enrichment
  - b) Heating
  - c) Mulching
  - d) Ventilation



- 6) Hunting of wildlife animals are strictly prohibited under the following Act.
- a) Biological Diversity Act      b) The Wildlife Protection Act  
c) Forest Conservation Act      d) CITES
- 7) Humans are part of natures rich diversity and have the power to \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ it.
- a) Regulate or Protect      b) Recreate or Destroy  
c) Protect or Destroy      d) Regulate or Recreate
- 8) \_\_\_\_\_ is declared as the International year of biodiversity.
- a) 2010      b) 2020      c) 2015      d) 2025
- 9) All the different kinds of living things found in a convinced habitat is called as \_\_\_\_\_
- a) Genetic diversity      b) Population diversity  
c) Species diversity      d) Ecological diversity
- 10) Threatened species are documented in \_\_\_\_\_
- a) Rare plants of India  
b) Endemic flowering plants of Maharashtra  
c) Ethnobiology of India  
d) Red Data Book
- 11) The sentence ‘the older the species, the wider its range’ supports for the \_\_\_\_\_
- a) Relationship of plant geography  
b) Age and area hypothesis  
c) Endemism  
d) Continental-drift theory
- 12) The species conserve within its natural habitat means \_\_\_\_\_ conservation.
- a) Ex-situ      b) In-situ  
c) In-vivo      d) In-vitro
- 13) \_\_\_\_\_ is the endemic plant species on Kas plateau.
- a) *Rotala serpyllifolia*      b) *Anagallis pumila*  
c) *Crypsis aculeata*      d) *Rotala sahyadrica*



14) Green House effect is the result of \_\_\_\_\_

- a) Land acquisition and over grazing
- b) Use of chemical fertilizers
- c) Use of huge amount of coal, gasoline and oil
- d) Outbreak of volcano

## SECTION – II

2. Biodiversity hotspots of India.	14
3. Western Ghat's vegetations.	14
4. Mangroves vegetations of India.	14

## SECTION – III

5. a) Comment up on endemism.	7
b) Seed banks.	7
6. a) Role of biotechnology in conservation of biodiversity.	7
b) Biosphere reserves.	7
7. Write notes on <b>any three</b> :	14
a) Forest Conservation Act	
b) Sacred grooves	
c) Threatened plant species	
d) National parks.	

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**M.Sc. (Part – II) (Semester – IV) Examination, 2016**

**BOTANY (Paper – XIV) (CGPA) (New)**

**Plant Tissue Culture and Green House Technology and Hydroponics**

Day and Date : Friday, 1-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

**Instructions:** i) Attempt **total five** questions.

ii) Q. No. 1 is **compulsory**.

iii) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. 2 to 4.

iv) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. 5 to 7.

v) Figures to the right indicate **full** marks.

1. Choose correct answer from given alternatives (MCQ) : 14
- 1) Development of shoot and root in tissue culture is determined by
    - a) Cytokinin to auxin ratio
    - b) Enzymes
    - c) Plant nutrients
    - d) Temperature
  - 2) Who could grow tomato roots successfully and develop the technique of tissue culture for the first time ?
    - a) Hilderbrandt
    - b) F.C. Steward
    - c) P.R. White
    - d) W.M. Muir
  - 3) Hardening is induced by keeping plantlets under
    - a) High light intensity and low humidity
    - b) Low light intensity and low humidity
    - c) Low light intensity and high humidity
    - d) High light intensity and high humidity
  - 4) Controlled release fertilizer “Osmocote” consists of
    - a) Fertilizers and resin
    - b) Fertilizers and gum
    - c) Fertilizers and tannin
    - d) Fertilizers and mucilage



- 5) Who discovered that morphogenesis in tissue culture is controlled by hormones ?
  - a) Muir et. al.
  - b) Vasil and Hilderbrandt
  - c) Skoog and Miller
  - d) Helperin and Wetherell
- 6) Application of embryo culture is
  - a) Clonal propagation
  - b) Production of alkaloids
  - c) Overcoming hybridization barrier
  - d) Haploid production
- 7) In greenhouse, the heat treatment is given to soil to remove used seeds at the temperature
  - a) 60° C
  - b) 82.2° C
  - c) 37.8° C
  - d) 54.4° C
- 8) Tissue culture technique can produce indefinite number of new plants from a small parental tissue. The economic importance of this technique is in raising
  - a) Variants through picking up somaclonal variation
  - b) Genetically uniform population of an elite species
  - c) Homozygous diploid plants
  - d) Development of new species
- 9) In suspension cultures elicitation can be done by
  - a) Chitin
  - b) Pectin
  - c) U.V. Light
  - d) All of these
- 10) Which country has developed advanced hydroponics technology due to its arid climate ?
  - a) Sri Lanka
  - b) UAE
  - c) USA
  - d) Israel
- 11) An androgenic haploid plant can be converted into homozygous diploid plant through the application of
  - a) Colchicine
  - b) Camphor
  - c) Morphine
  - d) All of these
- 12) Cell suspension culture is agitated at rpm of
  - a) 120
  - b) 50
  - c) 160
  - d) 170
- 13) Plant raised from a single pollen grain under cultural conditions would be
  - a) Haploid
  - b) Dihaploid
  - c) Diploid
  - d) None of these
- 14) Protoplast fusion is induced by which of the following treatments ?
  - a) High voltage electric pulse
  - b) High pH and High Ca<sup>2+</sup> concentration
  - c) Polyethylene glycol (PEG)
  - d) All of these



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| 2. Give an account of different culture media ingredients and their significance.                                   | <b>14</b> |
| 3. A) Explain in detail the steps involved in the production of haploid plants from anther culture.                 | 7         |
| B) Comment on the factors affecting anther culture.   | 7         |
| 4. A) What is clonal propagation ? Describe different steps involved in clonal propagation using shoot tip culture. | 7         |
| B) Heating in green house.  | 7         |
| 5. Describe in brief :  |           |
| A) Fumigation in green house.   | 7         |
| B) Applications of synthetic seeds.   | 7         |
| 6. Write brief notes on :   |           |
| A) Different growth media used in hydroponics.  | 7         |
| B) Types of green house.  | 7         |
| 7. Write short notes on <b>any three</b> of the following :   | <b>14</b> |
| A) Encapsulation of synthetic seeds.  |           |
| B) Totipotency.   |           |
| C) Factors influencing morphogenesis.   |           |
| D) Culture system for secondary metabolite production.  |           |



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**M.Sc. (Part – II) (Semester – IV) (New CGPA Pattern) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (Paper No. – XV)**  
**Environmental Plant Physiology**

Day and Date : Monday, 4-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

- Instructions:**
- 1) Q. 1 is **compulsory**.
  - 2) Solve **any two** from Q. 2 to Q. 4 and **two** from Q. 5 to Q. 7.
  - 3) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.
  - 4) Draw **neat** and labelled diagrams **wherever** necessary.

1. Write the correct answer. 14

- 1) Cell membranes of plants resistant to chilling injury contain \_\_\_\_\_ fatty acids in their lipid bilayer.  
a) saturated      b) unsaturated      c) long chain      d) short chain
- 2) Bryophyllum belongs to  
a) drought escapers      b) water spenders  
c) water collectors      d) water savers
- 3) SOD catalyzes the reduction of \_\_\_\_\_ into hydrogen peroxide.  
a) molecular oxygen      b) singlet oxygen  
c) ozone      d) superoxide
- 4) Acid rain is caused by higher concentrations of \_\_\_\_\_ in the atmosphere.  
a) NOx and SO<sub>2</sub>      b) NO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>3</sub>      c) SO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>3</sub>      d) CO<sub>2</sub> and SO<sub>2</sub>
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ is a halophyte.  
a) Suaeda      b) Sugarbeet      c) Datepalm      d) Cotton
- 6) In frost injury, ice formation begins at  
a) freezing point  
b) several degrees below freezing point  
c) slightly above the freezing point  
d) 10° C



- 7) Disease occurs in the plants when the pathogen lacks  
a) R genes b) avr genes  
c) DIR1 genes d) None of these

8) Salt glands are present in halophytes showing \_\_\_\_\_ phenomenon.  
a) Salt avoidance b) Salt evasion  
c) Salt tolerant d) Salt insensitive

9) \_\_\_\_\_ acts as an osmoticum under water stress condition.  
a) Glycine-betaine b) Proline  
c) Sorbitol d) All of these

10) \_\_\_\_\_ are considered to be the indicators of heavy metal stress.  
a) Compatible solutes b) Phytochelatins  
c) LEA proteins d) HSPs

11) Elevated CO<sub>2</sub> concentration causes  
a) increase in photosynthesis  
b) decrease in photorespiration  
c) increase in WUE  
d) All of these

12) \_\_\_\_\_ lower the osmotic potential and also water potential of cells without damaging enzyme functions.  
a) amino acids b) organic acids  
c) sugars d) compatible solutes

13) In cotton plant, \_\_\_\_\_ toxicity develops brown necrotic lesions, leading to crinkle leaf of cotton.  
a) copper b) zinc  
c) iron d) manganese

14) \_\_\_\_\_ filters out harmful UV radiations.  
a) Ozone b) CFCs  
c) NO<sub>x</sub> d) SO<sub>2</sub>



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| 2. Explain the effects of visible and UV radiations on plants. Add a note on the mechanism of UV tolerance.                         | <b>14</b> |
| 3. Describe in detail the effects of air pollutants on plant metabolism.  | <b>14</b> |
| 4. Define salinity. Give an account of effect of salt stress on plant metabolism and add a note on salt tolerance in higher plants. | <b>14</b> |
| 5. Explain in brief   |           |
| a) Mechanism of heavy metal stress tolerance in plants.   | 7         |
| b) Adaptations in plants growing in dry arid region.  | 7         |
| 6. Write critically about   |           |
| a) Role of jasmonate and salicyclic acid.   | 7         |
| b) Plant – plant interaction.   | 7         |
| 7. Write short notes on ( <b>any three</b> ) :  | <b>14</b> |
| a) Osmolytes.   |           |
| b) Effect of elevated CO <sub>2</sub> concentration on plant metabolism.  |           |
| c) Classification of xerophytes.  |           |
| d) Antioxidants.  |           |





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**M.Sc. – II (Semester – IV) Examination, 2016**  
**BOTANY (CGPA) (New)**  
**Paper – XVI : Crop Physiology**

Day and Date : Wednesday, 6-4-2016

Max. Marks : 70

Time : 2.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

- Instructions :**
- i) Attempt total **five** questions.
  - ii) Question No. 1 is **compulsory**.
  - iii) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. 2 to 4.
  - iv) Attempt **any two** questions from Question No. 5 to 7.
  - v) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.

1. Write the correct answer : 14

- 1) Gibberellins are \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Plant hormone that promote stem elongation
  - b) Animal hormone that promote stem elongation
  - c) Promote fruit development
  - d) a) and c)
- 2) Plants marks the season by measuring \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Photoperiod
  - b) Gravitropism
  - c) Thigmotropism
  - d) Antioxidants
- 3) Which one of the following is a synthetic auxin ?
  - a) IAA
  - b) NAA
  - c) GA
  - d) None of the above
- 4) Seed dormancy is due to \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Ethylene
  - b) Abscisic acid
  - c) IAA
  - d) Starch
- 5) Growth is a \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Irreversible increase in size
  - b) Reversible increase in size
  - c) Reversible increase in shape
  - d) Increase in volume



- 6) Manure placed on crop fields will \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Improve soil structure  
b) Not loosen soil as much as adding sand  
c) Compact the soil but provide plant food  
d) Lower earthworm population
- 7) Which one of the following can be assessed by using the following equation  
\_\_\_\_\_ A = Economic production/Biomass production.  
a) Panicle emergence rate      b) Rate of flowering  
c) Harvest index      d) Leaf production rate
- 8) Which type of irrigation system usually achieves the greatest “field water efficiency” ?  
a) Level basin irrigation  
b) Furrow irrigation  
c) Centre pivot automated sprinkler irrigation  
d) Micro or drop irrigation
- 9) Delay in senescence is caused by the spray of \_\_\_\_\_  
a) IBA      b) GA      c) ABA      d) Cytokinin
- 10) Which of the following substances can be defined as a chemical substance designed to control weeds ?  
a) Pesticide      b) Herbicide      c) Insecticide      d) Fungicide
- 11) Transport of food material in higher plants takes place through \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Tracheids      b) Transfusion tissue  
c) Parenchyma      d) Sieve elements (Phloem)
- 12) \_\_\_\_\_ is physiological station in Lucknow.  
a) CIMAP      b) CAZRI      c) BARC      d) UAS
- 13) Which of the following plant help in nitrogen fixation ?  
a) Chickpea      b) Mango      c) Lemon      d) Grape
- 14) Role of Mg in groundnut \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Chlorophyll binder      b) Chlorosis  
c) Osmosis      d) None of above



2. Describe :  
a) Crop growth analysis and its applications. 7  
b) Photoperiodism. 7
3. Give an account of :  
a) Plant growth regulators in agriculture. 7  
b) Organic farming and its importance. 7
4. Describe :  
a) Physiological basis of yield in cotton. 7  
b) Source - sink relationship. 7
5. Explain :  
a) Mineral nutrition of groundnut. 5  
b) Nitrogen fixation in chickpea. 4  
c) Post harvest technology of grapes. 5
6. Write in brief :  
a) Crop physiological stations in India. 5  
b) Vernalization with suitable examples. 4  
c) Define fertilizers and give its types. 5
7. Write note on **any three** : 14  
a) Factors affecting source - sink relations.  
b) Fruit physiology of grapes.  
c) Water use efficiency of crops.  
d) Define weedicides and enlist common weedicides.