



SN – 370

V Semester B.Sc. Examination, November/December 2017

(CBCS) (2016-17 and Onwards) (F+R)

BOTANY (Paper – V)

Taxonomy and Economic Botany

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : 1) Answer *all* questions.

2) Draw diagrams *wherever* necessary.

PART – A

A. Explain/Define **any ten** of the following in **two or three** sentences : (10×2=20)

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- 1) What is caryopsis ? Give an example.
- 2) What is Holotype ?
- 3) What is Ethnobotany ?
- 4) Define species.
- 5) What is Didynamous condition ? Give an example.
- 6) Write the Botanical names of Teak and Rosewood.
- 7) What is Resupination ? Give an example.
- 8) What are OTUs ?
- 9) What is Papilionaceous corolla ?
- 10) Differentiate Ray floret from Disc floret.
- 11) What is Phylogenetic system of classification ? Give an example.
- 12) Give any two diagnostic features of the family Apiaceae.

PART – B

B. Write critical notes on **any four** of the following :

(4×5=20)

- 13) Cyathium inflorescence.
- 14) Chemotaxonomy.
- 15) Tendrils of the family Cucurbitaceae.
- 16) Salient features of Bentham and Hooker's classification.
- 17) Floral characteristics of Musa sp.
- 18) Key characters of family Rutaceae.



PART - C

- C. Give a comprehensive account on **any three** of the following : **(3×10=30)**
- 19) Describe the family Asclepiadaceae.
 - 20) Define Herbarium. Give an account of the Field and Herbarium techniques.
 - 21) Give a comparative account of the families Annonaceae and Magnoliaceae.
 - 22) What is Binomial Nomenclature ? Write a note on the aim and principles of ICBN.
 - 23) Give a note on any five medicinal plants.

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