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First Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, June 2022

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Botany

Core Course

BO 1141 : ANGIOSPERM ANATOMY, REPRODUCTIVE BOTANY AND PALYNOLOGY

(2020 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Very short answer **one** word to maximum of **two** sentences. Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. Cite an example for a plant with bicollateral vascular bundle in its stem.
- 2. Give the name of the loosely arranged cells in lenticels.
- 3. Name a climatic region mostly with diffuse porous wood.
- 4. Name the two major chemical components of xylem cell wall.
- 5. What is a pit field?
- 6. What is meant by laticifer?
- 7. What is the end product of triple fusion?
- 8. Which type of stomata is known as diacytic?

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- 9. Who discovered double fertilization?
- 10. Who proposed Tunica-Corpus theory?

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

Short answer not to exceed **one** paragraph. Answer **any eight**. Each question carries **2** marks.

- 11. Both phloem and xylem and phloem is comprised of different types of elements; but formed from cambium. Explain the differences in the initials of cambium to form diverse components.
- 12. Define dendrochronology.
- 13. Describe the salient features of meristematic cells.
- 14. Draw the diagram of lenticel.
- 15. Explain histogen theory.
- 16. Explain pollen allergy.
- 17. Give a short note on dehiscence of anthers.
- 18. Give an account on heart wood.
- 19. Illustrate the diagrams of concentric vascular bundles.
- 20. What is meant by dorsiventral leaf? Give an example.
- 21. Define cleistogamy. Give an example.
- 22. Outline the mechanism of cell wall growth.
- 23. What are the anatomical differences between rnonocot stomata and dicot stomata?

- 24. What are the end products of Double fertilisation?
- 25. What are the major contributions of P Maheswary?
- 26. What are Tyloses?

$(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

PART - C

Short essay not to exceed **120** words. Answer any **six**. Each questions carries **4** marks.

- 27. Briefly describe the Korper-Kappe theory.
- 28. Describe the structure and function of anther wall layers.
- 29. Differentiate the Xylem vessel from Xylem tracheid.
- 30. Distinguish between resins and tannins.
- 31. Explain the structure of *Adoxo* type of Embryosac.
- 32. Give a brief account on the types of starch grains.
- 33. Give a brief description on various types of vascular bundles in angiosperms.
- 34. Give an account on types of meristems, based on position.
- 35. List out and explain the anomalies present in Dracaena stem.
- 36. What is periderm? Explain the structure.
- 37. Write a short note on mineral crystals seen in angiosperms.
- 38. Write down the morphological features of pollen wall.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

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PART – D

Long essay. Answer **any two**. Each questions carries **15** marks.

- 39. Describe the structure and function of the various types of parenchyma in angiosperrns, with the help of neat labelled diagrams.
- 40. Describe the structure of Dicot and Monocot embryo with appropriate diagrams and add a note on various types of endosperm.
- 41. Explain various types of epidermal structures with the help of diagrammatic sketches.
- 42. Give a detailed description on the various processes involved in megasporogenesis and megagametogenesis in angiosperms.
- 43. Give an account on various methods of anomalous secondary growth. Explain in detail on the anomaly present in *Bignonia* Stem.
- 44. Write an essay on the primary structure of Dicot stem. Add a note on the anatomical differences with Monocot stem.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)