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CHHATRAPATI SAMBHAJINAGAR
M. Sc. BOTANY SYLLABUS FOR UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT
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**Illustrative Credit distribution structure for Two year Programme with Multiple
Entry and Exit option**

Class: M. Sc. II year ACADEMIC AUTONOMY Semester: III

Course code: BOT/MJ/UD/600 -(SAD266003T)

Course Name: Course Name:

BIOLOGY & DIVERSITY OF PTERIDOPHYTES & GYMNOSPERMS

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

- Unit I. Pteridophyta:** Classification, Origin and evolution, Phylogenetic relationship with Bryophyta. Morphology, anatomy, phylogeny and interrelationships of the orders Psilopsida – Psilotales and Psilophytales, Lycopsidea – Lycopodiales, Selaginellales, Isoetales, Equisetopsida – Equisetales and Pteropsida – Filicales.
- Unit II.** Sporophyte and gametophyte in Pteridophytes, Stellar organization and evolution, Origin of leaf and Telome concept, Sporocarp, Heterospory and seed habit, Comparison of Pteridophyta with Bryophyta and Gymnosperms.
- Unit III. Gymnosperms:** Introduction, Classification and distribution of Gymnosperms, Morphology, anatomy, reproduction, phylogeny of the orders Pteridospermales (Caytoniaceae, Medullosaceae) Bennettitales (Williamsoniaceae, Cycadeoideaceae) Cycadales (Cycadaceae) Ginkgoales (Ginkgoaceae) Coniferales (Pinaceae, Araucariaceae) Taxales (Taxaceae) Gnetales (Gnetaceae) and Economic importance of gymnosperms.

Unit IV. Paleobotany: Introduction, Geological time scale, Fossils and fossilization, Various types, Continental drift/ plate tectonics, Fossil localities in Maharashtra, Contributions of Prof. Birbal Sahani.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

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- Siddiqui K. A. (2002) Elements of Paleobotany, KitabMahal, Allahabad.
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New Delhi.
- Sporne, K. R. (1976) Morphology of Pteridophyta. Hutchinson University Library, London.

Course code: BOT/MJ/UD/601 - (SAD266013T)

Course Name: PLANT ECOLOGY AND CONSERVATION

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

Unit I i. An introduction to plant ecology and its scope.

- ii. **Structure of ecosystem:** Abiotic components (climatic factors, Topographic/factors, Edaphic factors); Biotic components (Interactions among organisms, Autotrophs and Heterotrophs) Ecological Pyramids (Pyramid of numbers, Biomass and energy)
- iii. **Functions of ecosystem:** Productivity (Primary and secondary productivity, food chains, Grazing and detritus food chains) food webs. Biogeochemical cycles: C, N, P and S.

Unit II i. **Community ecology:** Classification, Analysis of communities, characteristics of communities, species diversity, Growth form and structure, origin, development and composition.

- ii. Competition and coexistence, intra-specific interactions, interspecific interactions, scramble and contest competition model, mutualism and commensalism, prey-predator interactions.

Unit III. Biogeography: Major biomes of the World -Terrestrial, Tundra, arboreal coniferous forests, temperate and tropical grasslands and deciduous forests, Mediterranean and Desert vegetation, Tropical rain forests; Aquatic Ecosystems- Fresh water, Estuarine and marine. Endemism and hotspots of biodiversity.

Unit IV. i. **Environmental pollution** in relation to air, water and soil. Use of fertilizer, pesticides and other chemicals in agriculture and hygiene and their disposal.

- ii. Climate change: Greenhouse gases, their sources, trends and role, Ozone layer and its depletion (Global warming, Sea level rise, UV radiation) acid rain, Bioindicator and biomarkers of environmental health.

- iii. Concepts of ecological management and sustainable development.

Unit V. i. **Biodiversity:** Concept, types and situation in India. IUCN categories.

- ii. **Strategies of conservation:** *In situ* conservation, protected regions in India: Sanctuaries, National parks, Wetlands, Sacred groves, mangroves for conservation of wild biodiversity. *Ex situ* conservation: Principles and practices, Botanic gardens- Definitions, Criteria and types; Important Botanic Gardens in India and World, BGCI, gene bank, seed banks, cryobanks and contribution of Smt. Rahibai Popre, Smt. Tulsi Gowda and Madhav Gadgil

Unit VI.i. General activities of Botanical Survey of India (**BSI**) and National Bureau of plant Genetic Resources (**NBPGR**) for conservation efforts.

- ii. Biological Diversity Act 2002, 2020, Forest Conservation Act 1980, Wild Life Protection Act 1972 and related international conventions.
- iii. Earth Summit, Climate Change 2021 UNO, MoEFCC recent report of Biodiversity in India.

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- Benny Joseph (2005) Environmental Studies, Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Co., Ltd., New Delhi.
- Conklin, A. R. Jr. (2004) Field Sampling: Principles and Practices in Environmental Analysis. CRC Press.
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- Rajagopalan, R. (2005) Environmental studies, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- Ramkrishna, P. S. (2001) Ecology and Sustainable Development. National Book Trust, New Delhi.
- Sharma, P. D. (2001) Ecology and Environment, Rastogi Publications. Meerut.
- Stiling, Peter. (2004) Ecology- Theories and Applications. 4th Ed. Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- Trivedi, P. R. (1999) Encyclopedia of Ecology and Environment. Vol. 1 - 10, Indian National Green Party, New Delhi.
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www.maharashtrastatebiodiversityboard.gov.in,

www.iucn.org,

www.iucnredlist.org,

www.iucnredlistecosystems.org,

www.conservation.org,

www.biodiversity-a-z.org

Course code: BOT/MJ/UD/602 - (SAD266023T)

Course Name: PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

Unit I. Biotechnology: Basic concept, Historical account, Discoveries of Plant Growth hormones in brief review, Contribution of Sir Gottlieb Haberlandt, Development of Tissue culture as a technique, Scope and Importance.

Unit II. Introduction to tissue culture: Principles of tissue culture, Tissue culture laboratory, Equipment's in Tissue culture laboratory, Preparation of Media, Media composition, Plant Growth Regulators and their Role, selection of media for specified applications, Selection of explant, Sterilization, Sterilizing agents, initiation of tissue culture

Unit III. Cellular totipotency: Cellular totipotency, Media for initiation of callus, dynamics of callus growth, measurement of growth, organogenesis and factors controlling it, genome instability in reaction to morphogenesis, somaclonal variation and its applications.

Unit IV. Cell and organ culture: Plant organ culture; shoot tip, shoot apical meristem, root, leaf, flower and ovary culture, embryo rescue, factors influencing embryogenesis, suspension culture in stationary and stirred tank reactors, isolation of single cells and their culture, measurement of growth.

Applications of tissue culture: Applications in agriculture and Horticulture, Forestry, pharmaceutical industry. *In situ* and *ex-situ* conservation. *In vitro* mutagenesis and its application. Production of transgenic plants.

Unit V. Practical approaches of single cell culture: Somatic embryogenesis, protoplast isolation, regeneration of protoplasts and protoplasts fusion, Synthetic seeds, generation of cybrid and hybrids, cryopreservation of plant cells.

Unit. VI. Recombinant DNA technology: Gene cloning and its techniques - Gene gun, Electroporation, Microinjection, Liposome mediated gene transfer, Ultra

sonication and Pollen Mediated gene transfer. Role of *Agrobacterium* and other Vectors in DNA recombinant technology.

Suggested readings:

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4. Mantell S. H. 1985, Principles of Plant Biotechnology: Introduction to Genetic Engineering in plants, Weley-Blackwell publisher.
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14. Wolfe, S. L. 1993. Molecular and cellular biology. Woodsworth Publishing Company, California, U.S. A.
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Course Code: BOT/MJ/UD/603 - (SAD266003P)

(Practical based on BOT/MJ/UD/600)

Course Name: Practical

BIOLOGY & DIVERSITY OF PTERIDOPHYTES & GYMNOSPERMS

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credit: 1, Contact Hours: 30 clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

Pteridophytes: Morphological and anatomical studies of

1) *Psilotum* 2) *Lycopodium*. 3) *Selaginella*, 4) *Isoetis*, 5) *Equisetum*, 6) *Ophioglossum*, 7) *Osmunda*, 8) *Gleichenia*, 9) *Pteris*, 10) *Adiantum*, 11) *Marselia*, 12) *Salvinia*, 13) *Azolla* and additional forms/species collected during study tour.

Gymnosperms : Study of the vegetative and reproductive parts, including anatomy of the following genera: 1) *Cycas* 2) *Zamia* 3) *Pinus* 4) *Cedrus* 5) *Taxodium* 6) *Cryptomeria*, 7) *Cupressus* 8) *Thuja* 9) *Juniperus* 10) *Podocarpus* 11) *Cephalotaxus* 12) *Agathis* 13) *Araucaria*, 14) *Taxus*, 15) *Ginkgo* 16) *Gnetum*.

Fossil Types: Impression, Compression, Petrification, Coal ball, TS of *Rhynia*, *Lygenopteris*, *Calamitis* and *Cycadeodea*

Course Code: BOT/MJ/UD/604 - (SAD266013P)

(Practical based on BOT/MJ/UD/601)

Course Name: Practical

PLANT ECOLOGY & CONSERVATION

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credit: 1, Contact Hours: 30 clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. To calculate mean, variance, standard deviation, standard error, coefficient of variation and to use 't' test for comparing two means related to ecological data.
2. To find out relationship between two ecological variables using co-relation and regression analysis.
3. To find out association between important grassland species using chi-square test.
4. To determine minimum size and number of quadrates required for reliable estimate of biomass in grassland.
5. To determine diversity indices (Shannon-Wiever concentration of dominance) for protected and unprotected grass land stands.
6. To estimate IVI of the species in a wood land using point centerquadrate method.
7. To determine soil moisture content, porosity and bulk density of soils collected from varying depths at different locations.
8. To determine the water holding capacity of soils collected from different locations.
9. To estimate the DO content in water samples by Winkeler's method.
10. To estimate chlorophyll content in SO₂ fumigated and non-fumigated plant leaves.
11. Visits to different ecosystems and submission of report.
12. Scientific visits to laboratories / Industries / Research Institutes working in conservation of plants and submission of report.

Course Code: BOT/MJ/UD/605 - (SAD266023P)

(Practical based on BOT/MJ/UD/602)

Course Name: Practical

BIOTECHNOLOGY

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credit: 1, Contact Hours: 30 clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. Equipment's required in Tissue culture Lab
2. Media preparation
3. Sterilization of media
4. Sterilization of explant.
5. Explant Culture.
6. Anther culture
7. Pollen culture,
8. Micropropagation.
9. Embryo rescue technique.
10. Somaclonal variation.
11. *In vitro* mutation.
12. Isolation of plant protoplasts and viability testing.
13. Protoplast fusion by PEG.
14. Tissue culture of Horticultural plant Banana.
15. Tissue culture of Medicinal plants.

Course Code: BOT/MJ/UD/606 - (SAD266033P)

Course Name: Practical

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Course type: Major Mandatory Discipline Specific Course

Credits: 2, Contact Hours: 60 clock hours, 8 hours/ week

Marks: 50, Internal assessment: 20, External assessment: 30

- I. Introduction to basic Industrial Techniques, Lab. Safety; Methods of sterilization, media preparation and culturing.
- II. Fermentation Equipments (Types of Fermenters) and Its Uses
 - a. Simple Fermenters (batch and continuous)
 - b. Fed batch Fermenter
 - c. Multipurpose Fermenter and its auxiliary equipment
- III. Commercial Production of Ethyl Alcohol and Citric Acid
- IV. Yogurt fermentation
- V. Beer fermentation
- VI. Bakery Dough Preparation (*Saccharomyces* sp.)
- VII. Legume technology: -
 - a. Fermented Soy products
 - b. Soy milk
- VIII. Fruit Juices—Methods of Preservation.
- IX. Dehydrated Food Production Technique. (Lemon peels Powder/Pudina Powder/Dehydrated Garlic Powder etc.)
- X. Mushroom Cultivation and harvesting
- XI. SCP (Production of *Spirulina*/*Chlorella*)
- XII. Industry Visit (Seed/Beverage/Food Processing etc)

Reference: -

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- Berry, R. - Industrial mycology (Vol. I)

- Dubey, S.C. - Biotechnology.
- Jeffrey C. Pommerville - Alcamo's Fundamentals of Microbiology
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- Preservation of Fruits & Vegetables by IRRI

Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/607 - (SBD266043T)

Course Name: ADVANCED GENETICS – I

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

UNIT I. MICROBIAL GENETICS:

A. Microorganisms as model systems for genetic studies: Virus and phage organization, Lytic and temperate phages, recombination in phages and gene mapping.

B. Recombination in bacteria: transformation, transduction, conjugation and gene mapping, Tetrad analysis in fungi.

UNIT II. GENOME ORGANIZATION:

A. Genome size variation, cot curve analysis, DNA complexity, LINES and SINES, gene amplification and gene families

B. Mitochondria and chloroplast genome.

UNIT III. APPLIED GENETICS:

Genetic engineering: Isolation of DNA, restriction endonucleases, construction of genomic library, screening of DNA library for desired gene, Southern, Northern and Western blotting, prokaryotic and eukaryotic vectors, DNA sequencing, Maxam and Gilbert's procedure, Sanger Coulson method, automated DNA sequencing machine, PCR and DNA amplification, Marker gene, reporter and selection marker gene, Ti plasmids and viral vectors, Direct gene transfer through electroporation, biolistic gun, micro injection, liposome and PEG mediated gene transfers. Application of recombinant DNA technology in medicine, industry and agriculture.

UNIT IV. GENETIC BASIS OF CANCER:

Forms of cancer, genetic basis, Immortalization, transformation, cancer and cell cycle, oncogenes, genetic pathway to cancer, genetic counseling.

UNIT V. GENOMICS:

Structural genomics, cytogenetic maps, RFLP, RAPD, QT maps, FISH and chromosome specific library. Genome sequencing: Human, Yeast, Arabidopsis, functional genomics expressed sequences, DNA chips and genome evolution.

Suggested Readings:

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Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/608 - (SBD266043P)

Course Name: Practical ADVANCED GENETICS – I

(Practical based on BOT/DSE/UD/607)

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 1, Contact Hours: 30, clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. Isolation of genomic DNA using C TAB method and quantification.
2. Evaluation of quality of isolated DNA.
3. Isolation of plasmid DNA
4. Conjugation in E. coli
5. Study of growth curve in E. coli.
6. Transformation in bacteria.
7. Substrate induced enzyme induction in plants.
8. Comparative radio-sensitivity in two crop species.
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Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/609 - (SBD266053T)

Course Name: MYCOLOGY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY-III

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

Unit I. Plant disease diagnosis and Preservation Techniques:

Field observations, laboratory investigations, isolation and purification of plant pathogens, Koch's postulates; identification of plant pathogens, Screening for crop disease and soil fungi, Plant disease clinics; History and development of plant pathology in India.

Culture media for Microbes–Types of media, Types of culturing, Sterilization methods and its types, Impact of physical and nutritional factors Microbial Growth. Preservation methods, Microbial culture collections and their importance. A brief account on ITCC, MTCC and ATCC.

Unit II. Dispersal of plant pathogens and Pathogenesis: Dispersal of pathogens: Direct, and Indirect transmission; Plant disease epidemiology; Some important epiphytotics.

Pathogenesis: Penetration and entry by plant pathogen; Pre-penetration; Entry through natural opening; Direct penetration; Entry through wounds, root hairs and buds.

Unit III. Disease Resistance in Plants: Primary infection resistance, Structural and Chemical defenses; Post infection resistance: Production and activities of phytotoxins. Histological accumulation of phenols, hypersensitive substances and enzymes, detoxification.

Unit IV. Genetics of host Pathogen interaction: Resistance and susceptibility, Vertical and horizontal resistance, Gene for Gene hypothesis, PR-Proteins, physiological specialization, mutation, heterokaryosis.

Unit V. Disease Management: Cultural Methods- Avoidance of pathogen, exclusion of inoculum, eradication of pathogen, Chemical methods- sulphur fungicides, Copper fungicides, Mercury fungicides, Quinone fungicides, Systemic fungicides, Antibiotics, Breeding for disease resistance, Biopesticides and bioagents; Trichoderma and VA Mycorrhiza. Application of Biotechnology in disease management.

Suggested Reading

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Sullia SB and Shantharam S. 1998. General Microbiology. Oxford and IBH publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.

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Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/610 - (SBD266053P)

Course Name: Practical MYCOLOGY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY – III

(Practical based on BOT/DSE/UD/609)

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 1, Contact Hours: 30, clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. Preparation of different Media and sterilization.
2. Isolation of Fungi and identification of Pathogen.
3. Detection of fungi and Bacteria from different crops, soil, and infected plants.
4. Microbial Preservation mineral oils.
5. Microbial Preservation lyophilisation.
6. Microbial Herbarium.
7. Study the effect of Physical factors on growth of fungi
8. Study the effect of Nutritional factors on growth of fungi
9. Evaluation of fungicide against plant pathogenic fungi.
10. Evaluation of Bio agents against plant pathogenic fungi.
11. Evaluation of antibiotics against pathogenic bacteria.
12. Antagonistic Activity of fungi and bacteria.
13. Collection, submission of fungal samples on different storage media (Five Samples Each).
14. Collection, submission of fungal Herbarium samples.
15. Cultural collection visit and tour report.

Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/611 - (SBD266063T)

Course Name: TAXONOMY OF ANGIOSPERMS -III

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

UNIT-I: Phylogeny of Angiosperms: Isoetes-monocotyledone theory, Coniferales-amentiferae theory, Gnetales-angiosperms theory, anthostrobilus theory, Bennetitalean theory, Caytonialean theory, Stachyspory-phylospermae theory, pteridosperm theory, Pentoxylales theory and Durian theory; Co-evolution of insect and plants.

UNIT-II: Study of fossil angiosperms: Malvaceae: Sahnioarpon; Myrtaceae: Sahnipushpam; Soneratiaceae: Sahnianthus, Enigmocarpon; Palmae: Palmoxylon.

UNIT-III: Taxonomic tools: Serological and molecular techniques, Taxonomic keys: Construction and use of keys: types of keys.

UNIT-IV: Molecular Biology: Acquisition of Molecular Data, sources of DNA sequence data, Plant genomes, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) analysis, DNA Sequencing Reaction, Types of DNA Sequence Data, Generation and analysis of DNA Sequence Data, Restriction Fragment Length Polymorphism analysis (RFLP), allozymes, micro-satellite DNA, Random Amplified Polymorphic DNA (RAPDs), Amplified Fragment Length Polymorphism (AFLPs).

UNIT-V: Recent system of classification: Angiosperm Phylogeny Group (APG IV) system. Study of the following orders as per the APG IV system: Magnoliales, Liliales, Asparagales, Zingiberales, Poales, Fabales

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Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/612 - (SBD266063P)

Course Name: Practical TAXONOMY OF ANGIOSPERMS – III

(Practical based on BOT/DSE/UD/611)

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 1, Contact Hours: 30, clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. Assessment of taxonomic characters (a) analytical and synthetic characters, (b) qualitative and quantitative characters.
2. Study of different taxonomic features (a) stomata, (b) trichomes, (c) crystals, (d) pollen grains.
3. Describing new taxon, deposition of type, Latin diagnosis and abbreviations used in citations.
4. Detection of taxonomically important chemical compounds by various tests.
5. Detection of variations in a given population.
6. Exercises on nomenclature problems: Author citation, principle of priority, transfer of taxa, effective and valid publication etc.
7. Practicals based on numerical taxonomy/ cluster analysis.
8. Study of different types of ovules, placentations and evolutionary trends therein.
9. Study of following fossil angiosperm specimens: Palmoxyton, Enigmocarpon, Sahnianthus, Glossopteris with the help of slides/ specimens.
10. To identify family with the help of computerized Key.
11. Preparation and standardization of some simple Ayurvedic Drugs.

Course Code: BOT/DSE/UD/613 - (SBD266073T)

Course Name: ADVANCED PLANT PHYSIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY –III

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 3, Contact Hours: 45 clock hours, 3 hours/ week

Marks: 75, Internal assessment: 30, External assessment: 45

Unit I. Plant water relations: molecular structure of water, water potential, Absorption of water by land plants, transpiration and its significance, physiology of stomatal movements, anti-transpirants.

Unit II Stress physiology: Biotic and abiotic environmental stresses, effect on plant metabolism and growth, high temperature stress, water stress, chilling stress, thermogenesis, salinity and salt stress, salt respiration, salinity and agriculture.

Unit III Seed germination, seedling growth, seed dormancy, light and temperature sensitive seeds, Biochemical changes associated with seed germination, Hormonal regulation, conditions for seed germination, Mobilization of reserve food material, longevity of seed and seed viability.

Unit IV Organic farming, mixed farming, crop rotation and inter-cropping, weed management and control, Herbicides, weed biomass as green manure, organic matter recycling and preparation of compost / vermicompost, Production of crop plants under organic and conventional farming system, Bio-fertilizers, Bio-methylation

Unit V Biostatistics: Collection and tabulation of data, Frequency distribution, normal curve, location, dispersion, normal distribution, tests of significance, t test, F test, chi square test, correlation and regression. Experimental designs, Analysis of data: RBD, LSD, Factorial and split plot RBD.

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Course Name: Practical TAXONOMY OF ANGIOSPERMS – III

(Practical based on BOT/DSE/UD/613)

Course type: Discipline Specific Elective Course

Credits: 1, Contact Hours: 30, clock hours, 2 hours/ week

Marks: 25, Internal assessment: 10, External assessment: 15

1. Determination of water potential.
2. Determination of relative water content (RWC).
3. Effect of growth regulators on seed germination.
4. Estimation of starch in fresh, germinating and germinated seed.
5. Estimation of glucose at various stage of seed germination.
6. Estimation of protein content during seed germination – Lawry's method, burette method
7. Estimation of non-protein nitrogen (NPN) content in germinating seeds,
8. Estimation of vitamin C in germinating seeds.
9. Accumulation of praline in normal and stressed plants.
10. Determination of seed viability.
11. Seed dormancy and breaking of seed dormancy by using physical, scanning, hot water, acid and PGRs.
12. Studies on effect of 2,4 - D on seed germination.
13. Measures of central value - mode, median, mean, range, standard deviation, mean deviation and coefficient of co-relation.
14. Frequency distribution - Graphic representation, frequency curve and Histogram.
15. Calculation of central value of dispersion in classified data,
16. Statistics in agricultural science - ANOVA for various field experimentation,
17. Correlation, regression and calculation of optimum economic use for fertilizers.