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# FOURTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2023

Biotechnology

## BTY 4C 04—ENVIRONMENTAL BIOTECHNOLOGY

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

## Section A (Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

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- 2. GM plastics.
- 3. Golden rice.
- 4. PHB.
- 5. Biosorbtion.
- 6. Domestic waste.
- 7. phytoremediation.
- 8. 'nif' gene.
- Biomagnification.
- 10. Energy crops.
- 11. Biostimulation.
- 12. Biofilters.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

#### Section B (Paragraph Type Questions)

Answer any six out of seven. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Describe the production of polylac.
- 14. Why synthetic plastics are to be prohibited.

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- Explain the process of gold leaching
- Comment on the methods of biopower generation.
- Explain the role of fungi and bacteria as SCP.
- Root nodule formation in nitrogen fixers.
- 19. Explain waste materials as a medium for biomass generation.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$ 

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### Section C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any one questions, which carries 10 marks,

- 20. Explain the production of biogas by microorganisms.
- 21. Comment on the significance of genetically modified organisms.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10$