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**FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
NOVEMBER 2023**

Botany

BOT 5D 01—GENERAL BOTANY

(2019 Admission onwards)

Maximum : 60 Marks

Time : Two Hours

Section A

Answer all questions, each question carries 2 marks.

Ceiling : 20 marks.

1. Differentiate between diffusion and osmosis.
2. Differentiate between in-situ and ex-situ conservation.
3. Define sustainable development ?
4. Comment on golden rice.
5. Define cell cycle.
6. Point out any two pollination methods in plants.
7. How will you differentiate root of dicot and monocot plants.
8. Give the essential components required for photosynthesis.
9. Name the nitrogenous bases in DNA.
10. Comment on significance of meiosis.
11. Give any four application of tissue culture.
12. How flowers grouped based on symmetry.

Turn over



Section B

Answer all questions, each question carries 5 marks.

Ceiling : 30 marks.

13. Explain the structure of DNA.
14. Give an account on application of transgenic plants.
15. What are the causes of ozone layer depletion ? How can you control this ?
16. Define Tissue ? Explain the structure and function of types of tissues you have studied.
17. With the help of diagram explain the parts of a typical flower.
18. Expand IUCN. Explain threat categories and Red list.
19. Explain Eichlers System of classification.

Section C

Answer any one question, each question carries 10 marks.

20. Describe the structural components of an ecosystem.
21. How absorption of nutrients takes place in plants ? Give an account on the types of macro nutrients required for plants.

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