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SIXTH SEMESTER U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2023

(CBCSS—UG)

Botany

BOT 6B 12—PLANT PHYSIOLOGY AND METABOLISM

(2019 Admissions onwards)

Time : Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Section A

Answer **all** questions.

Each questions carries 2 marks.

Ceiling: 20 Marks.

- Differentiate Cohesion and Adhesion.
- 2. Explain osmotic potential.
- 3. What is transpiration pull.
- Describe carrier concept.
- 5. Differentiate Fluorescence and phosphorescence.
- 6. Give an account on Electromagnetic radiation.
- 7. Write a note on Red drop and Emerson Enhancement Effect.
- 8. Define Seismonastic Movement.
- What is Phytochrome?
- 10. Explain Amphibolic nature of Citric acid cycle.
- 11. Write a note on Chemiosmotic hypothesis.
- 12. Explain Cyanide Resistant Respiration.

Section B

Answer **all** questions. Each questions carries 5 marks. Ceiling : 30 Marks.

- 13. Write a note on Water absorption mechanism in plants.
- 14. Explain the role and deficiency symptoms of any five Macro elements.
- 15. Explain two photosystems in plants.
- 16. Write an account on Biochemistry of Nitrogen fixation.
- Explain Seed dormancy.
- Write an account on Glycolysis.
- Explain electron transport mechanism in plants.

Section C

Answer any **one** question.

The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Explain C3 and C4 Cycle. Add a note on factors influencing the rate of photosynthesis
- Write an account on translocation and distribution of photoassimilates. Define Press hypothesis.

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