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COURSE STRUCTURE FOR M.Sc. BOTANY

Table AI-1: Distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects having Practical Papers

[*wherever there is a practical examination there will be no tutorial and vice-versa.]

Course	Papers	Credits Theory + Practical	Credits Theory + Tutorial
I. Foundation Course (FC)			
1. Foundation Course Compulsory Foundation/ Elective Foundation	(FC) 1 Paper	1X5=5	1X5=5
II. Core Course (CC)			
Theory	(CC 1 to 10/11) 7 Papers/11 Papers	7X5=35	11X5=55
Practical/ Tutorial*	3 Papers/-----	3X5=15	
Project	1 Paper	1X5=5	1X5=5
III. Elective Course (EC)			
A. Ability Enhancement Course of the Core Course opted	(AE/EC 1) 1 Paper	1X5=5	1X5=5
B. Discipline Centric Elective Theory + Practical	(DC/EC 2&3) 2 Papers 1 Paper	2X5=10 1x5=5	
OR Theory/Practical/Tutorial*	1Paper + 1 Practical/Dissertation		2X5=10
OR Generic Elective/ Interdisciplinary (GE/EC 2&3)			
Theory OR	2 Papers		
Theory/Practical/Tutorial*	1 Paper + 1 Practical/Dissertation		
Total Credit = 80			= 80

Table AI-1.1: Course structure for M.Sc Programme with Practical Papers

Semester	Subject (Core Courses) 11 Papers	Allied (Elective Courses) 4 Papers	Foundation Course (Compulsory Course) 1 Paper	Total Credits
Sem-I	C-1, C-2, C-3 (5+5+5=15 Credits)		Foundation Course FC (05 Credits)	20 Credits
Sem-II	C-4, C-5, C-6, C-7 (5+5+5+5=20 Credits)			20 Credits
Sem-III	C-8, C-9, C-10 (5+5+5=15 Credits)	EC1 (05 Credits)		20 Credits
Sem-IV	C-11 (Project) (05 Credits)	EC2, EC3, EP (5+5+5=15Credits)		20 Credits
Total = 80 Credits				

Table AI-2 Subject Combinations allowed for M. Sc. Programme (80 Credits)

Foundation Course FC 1 Paper	Core Subject CC 11 Papers	Ability Enhancement Course AE 1 Paper	Discipline Centric Elective/ Generic Elective Course DC/ GE/ EC 3 Papers
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Table AI-2.1 Semester wise Examination Structure for Mid Sem & End Sem Examinations:

Sem	Core, SE/ GE/ DC/ EC & Compulsory FC Courses				Examination Structure		
	Paper	Paper Code	Credit	Name of Paper	Mid Semester Evaluation (F.M.)	End Semester Evaluation (F.M.)	End Semester Practical/ Viva (F.M.)
I	Foundation Course	FCBOT101	5	Foundation Course	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT102	5	Microbiology, Algae, Fungi and Plant Pathology	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT103	5	Biology and Diversity of Bryophytes, Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms and Fossils	30	70	----
	Practical's on Core	CPBOT104	5	Practical-I	----	----	70 + 30
II	Core Course	CCBOT201	5	Fundamental and Applied Ecology	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT202	5	Cytogenetics, Taxonomy, Ethnobotany and Medicinal Plants	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT203	5	Plant Physiology, Biochemistry, Biotechnology and Molecular Biology	30	70	----
	Practical's on Core	CPBOT204	5	Practical-II	----	----	70 + 30
III	Ability Enhancement Course	CCBOT301	5	A. Biofertilizers/ B. Mushroom Cultivation	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT302	5	Anatomy, Plant Embryology and Economic Botany	30	70	----
	Core Course	CCBOT303	5	Biochemicals and Molecular Techniques	30	70	----
	Practical's on Core	CPBOT304	5	Practical-III	----	----	70 + 30
IV	Elective	ECBOT401	5	A. Algal Biotechnology-I/ B. Microbiology and Plant Pathology-I/ C. Cytogenetics, Plant Breeding, Molecular Biology and Biotechnology-I/ D. Plant Physiology, Biotechnology and molecular Biology-I/ E. Plant Taxonomy, Ethnobotany and Medicinal Plants-I	30	70	----

	Elective	ECBOT402	5	A. Algal Biotechnology-II/ B. Microbiology and Plant Pathology-II/ C. Cytogenetics, Plant Breeding, Molecular Biology and Biotechnology-II/ D. Plant Physiology, Biotechnology and molecular Biology-II/ E. Plant Taxonomy, Ethnobotany and Medicinal Plants-II	30	70	----
	Practical's on Elective	EPBOT403	5	A. Practical-IV: Algal Biotechnology / B. Practical-IV: Microbiology and Plant Pathology/ C. Practical-IV: Cytogenetics, Plant Breeding, Molecular Biology and Biotechnology/ D. Practical-IV: Biotechnology and molecular Biology/ E. Practical-IV: Plant Taxonomy, Ethnobotany and Medicinal Plants	----	----	70 + 30
	PROJECT	PRBOT404	5	Project Work	----	----	70 + 30

SEMESTER I
4 Papers**Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks****I. COMPULSORY FOUNDATION COURSE [FCBOT101]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******Mid Semester Examination (MSE):***

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

FOUNDATION COURSE**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. Economic importance of Bacteria.
 2. Classification of algae as proposed by F.E. Fritsch.
 3. Thallus organization and economic importance of Algae.
 4. Classification of Fungi as proposed by Gwynne-Vaughan & Barnes.
 5. Classification of Bryophytes and alternation of generation.
 6. Classification of Pteridophytes K.R. Sporne and alternation of generation.
 7. Geological time period, types and process of fossilization.
 8. Classification of Gymnosperms K.R. Sporne (1975) and alternation of generation.
 9. International code of Botanical Nomenclature – an Introduction.
 10. Taxonomy and its relevance.
 11. Ethnobotany: Definition, Method of study.
 12. **Biomolecules:** Structure and Function of Primary Metabolites-Carbohydrates, Fats and Proteins.
 13. Role of biotechnology in plant and product improvement.
 14. Green House Gases, Global warming and sustainable development.
 15. Cell division- A preliminary idea.
 16. Introduction of Cancer Biology.
 17. Biostatistics: Mean, Median, Mode.
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II. CORE COURSE [CCBOT102]: (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

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(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

MICROBIOLOGY, ALGAE, FUNGI AND PLANT PATHOLOGY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

GROUP-A

Microbiology

1. Structure and Reproduction in Bacteria.
2. Mechanism of bacterial recombination: Conjugation, transformation and transduction.
3. Bacteriophage – Structure and its multiplication.
4. General account of Mycoplasma and its role in causing plant diseases.

Phycology

1. Classification of Algae by Fritsch
2. Range of thallus structures and reproduction in
 - a) Cyanophyta
 - b) Chlorophyta
 - c) Charophyta
 - d) Phaeophyta
 - e) Rhodophyta
3. General conception of life cycle pattern in algae.
4. Algal blooms.
5. Algal biofertilizers.
6. Algae as food, feed and uses in industry.

GROUP-B

Fungi

7. Saprolegniales, Peronosporales, Mucorales with special reference to Evolution in asexual reproductive structure in class Zygomycetes.

8. Sexual reproduction and types of fructifications in Ascomycetes.
9. Development of Basidium (Holobasidium, Phragmobasidium).

GROUP-C

Plant Pathology:

10. Symptoms, etiology and disease management of following diseases:
 - i. Late blight of potato
 - ii. Powdery Mildews of pea
 - iii. Black rust of wheat
 - iv. Early blight of Potato
 - v. Citrus canker
 - vi. Leaf curl of Papaya
 - vii. Leaf curl of Tomato
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III. CORE COURSE [CCBOT103]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

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BIOLOGY AND DIVERSITY OF BRYOPHYTES, PTERIDOPHYTES, GYMNOSPERMS AND FOSSILS

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial:15 Hours

GROUP-A**Bryophytes**

1. Classification of Bryophytes.
2. Range of thallus structure in Bryophytes.
3. Evolution of Sporophyte evolution in Bryophytes.
4. Distribution of photosynthetic tissues in Bryophytes.

GROUP-B**Pteridophyta**

1. Classification of Pteridophytes 1975 K.R Sporne.
2. Evolution of stele in Pteridophyte.
3. Origin and evolution of sporophyte in pteridophyte – Telome Concept.
4. Heterospory and Seed Habit.

GROUP-C**Gymnosperms and Fossils**

1. Classification of Gymnosperms.
2. Fossil- Mode of preservation, Geological time table, Distribution and examples of Indian Fossils.
3. Brief account of families of Pteridospermales, Pentoxylales, Glossopotesidaceae and Caytoniaceae.
4. Comparative study of families of Gnetals: Gnetaceae, Ephedraceae and Welwitschiaceae.
5. A general account of Ginkgoales.

IV. CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPBOT104]:

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL-I**Practical: 60Hours**

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|---|----------|
| 1. Staining of gram positive/gram negative bacteria. (A) | 06 |
| 2. Identification viral/bacterial/fungi disease. (B) | 06+04=10 |
| 3. Study of algal materials from the algal mixture (C) identification of at least one genus giving diagnostic features. | 10 |
| 4. Identify the provided Bryophyte (D) to you after thorough investigation made through temporary mounts. | 10 |
| 5. Write a monograph on provided Pteridophyte material (E) to you after thorough investigation made through temporary mounts. | 14 |
| OR | |
| Identify the gymnosperm material (F) provided to you after thorough investigation made through temporary mounts. | |
| 6. Spots 1 – 5. | 10 |
| 7. Practical records, herbarium, field report, charts etc. | 16+04=20 |
| 8. Viva-voce. | 08+02=10 |
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SEMESTER II

4 Papers**Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks****I. CORE COURSE [CCBOT201]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

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FUNDAMENTAL AND APPLIED ECOLOGY**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. Ecological factors; Climatic, Topographic, Edaphic and Biotic.
2. Population and Community ecology: population characteristics, Population dynamics, Community characteristics, composition, structure, origin and development of a community, methods of study of community.
3. **Ecological succession:** Types and mechanisms of ecological successions (Hydrosere and Xerosere); Changes in ecological properties during succession.
4. **Ecosystem organization:** Types, Structure and Function, Flow of energy; Bio-geochemical cycles of C, N, P, S; mineral cycles (Pathway, Processes); Primary production, Decomposition and Feed chain, Food web of different types of ecosystems; Terrestrial (Forest and Grassland) and Aquatic (Freshwater); and Ecological pyramids.
5. **Ecological adaptations:** Hydrophytes, Xerophytes and Halophytes.
6. **Phytogeography:** Major plant communities of the world; Phytogeographic regions of the world; Floristic regions of India, vegetation of India.
7. **Air, Water, Soil, Sound and Radiation Pollutions:** Kinds, Sources, Quality parameters, Effects on plants & Ecosystem and control measures.
8. **Climate Change (Global Environmental Problems):** Global warming, Green house Gases (CO₂, CH₄, O₃, CFC₅, N₂O), Sources, Trends & Role); Environmental effects of Global warming, Ozone depletion, Damage to the Ozone layer & Hole, Health effects of Ozone depletion and increased UV Radiation, Saving the Ozone layer.
9. **Non-conventional source of energy:** Solar, Wind, Nuclear, Biogas and Petroplants.

10. Strategies of Plant conservation: *In situ* conservation – Sanctuaries, National parks and sacred groves and *Ex situ* conservation – Botanical gardens, Gene bank, Seed banks and tissue culture techniques.
 11. **Natural resources and their Managements:** Land resource, water resource, Air resource, agriculture and forestry resources and their management.
 12. Indian Biological Diversity Act. Convention of Biological Diversity (CBD), People's Biodiversity Register, Green Book, Red Book, Blue Book.
 13. **Bioremediation:** Definition need and scope of bioremediation Phytoremediation, Microremediation.
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II. CORE COURSE [CCBOT202]: (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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CYTOGENETICS, TAXONOMY, ETHNOBOTANY AND MEDICINAL PLANTS

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

GROUP-A

1. Chromatin Organization, Chromosome structure and packaging of DNA, Histones, Heterochromatin.
2. Cell division and cell cycle: Mitosis, Meiosis, their regulation, Overview of cell cycle, control mechanism: role of cyclins and cyclin dependent kinases.
3. Protein sorting: Targeting of proteins to organelles.
4. Mutations: Types, Detection, Molecular basis of mutation, Physical and Chemical Mutagenesis.
5. DNA damage and repair mechanism.
6. Brief account of Proto-oncogenes, Oncogenes, tumor suppressor genes, cancer, metastasis.
7. Structure and numerical alterations in chromosomes: Origin, Occurrence and production of haploid. Introduction and characterization of monosomics, trisomics, Origin and production of autopolyploids, allopolyploids.
8. Biostatistics: Standard deviation, Standard error, Chi square.

GROUP-B

1. **Systematics:** Outline, Classification of Angiosperms – Hutchinson, Takhtajan and Cronquist's system. Their merits and demerits.
2. **Botanical Nomenclature:** International code of Botanical Nomenclature – Principle, Rules of effective and valid publication. Retention and choice of names.
3. **Biosystematics:** Concepts, Biosystematics categories, Methods in Experimental Taxonomy.

4. Diagnostic characteristics, systematic phylogeny and economic importance of families, Mangolianaceae, Apoynaceae, Asclepiadanceae, Scrophulariaceae, Acanthaceae, Bignoniaceae, Lamiaceae, Verbenaceae, Polygonaceae, Euphorbiaceae, Rubiaceae, Orchidaceae, Araceae, Poaceae and Commelinaceae.
5. **Ethonobotany:** Definition scope and method of study, socio-culture organization of the ethnic tribes of Jhrakhand.

Books Suggested:

III. CORE COURSE [CCBOT203]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45****Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, BIOCHEMISTRY, BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**GROUP-A: Plant Physiology**

1. **Transpiration:** Types of Transpiration, Evaporation and Transpiration, Mechanism of Transpiration and Stomatal, Physiology, Factors Affecting the Rate of Transpiration, Significance of Transpiration, Antitranspirant, Measurement of Transpiration.
2. **Translocation in Plant:** Phloem Transport; Phloem Sap Composition, Movement in Plant, Direction of Movement, Bidirectional Movement, Lateral Movement, Source – Sink relationship, Phloem loading, Phloem Unloading, Mechanism of Phloem Transport – Electroosmosis, Protoplasmic, Streaming, Contractile Protein Variants, Mass Flow Hypothesis, Factors Affecting Translocation.
3. **Phytohormone:** History, Structure, Biosynthesis Physiological Response and Mechanism of Action of Auxins.
4. **Physiology of Flowering:** Photoperiodism and Vernalization.
5. **Seed Dormancy and Germination:** Definition, Types, Mechanism and Method Breaking the Dormancy.

GROUP-B: Plant Biochemistry

6. **Photosynthesis:** The Pigment System, Light Reaction, Dark (C₃ Cycle), Hatch and Slack Pathway (C₄ Cycle), Photorespiration and Factors Affecting Rate of Photosynthesis.
7. **Respiration:** Glycolysis, Fermentation, Krebs Cycle, Electron Transport System, Hexose Monophosphate Shunt, Theories of Phosphorylation – The Chemical Coupling Theory, The Conformational Coupling Theory, The Chemiosmotic Theory, Factors Affecting the Rate of Respiration.
8. **Enzymes:** Nomenclature and Classification, Nature, Properties, Enzyme Energetic, Mode and Mechanism of Action, Factors Affecting Enzyme Activities.

9. **Nitrogen Metabolism:** Nitrogen Fixation; Non-biological Fixation; Biological Fixation – Symbiotic Nitrogen Fixers, Non-symbiotic Nitrogen Fixers, Biochemistry of Nitrogen Fixation.
10. **Lipid Metabolism:** Simple Lipids, Complex Lipid, Neutral Fats, Fatty Acids, Enzymatic Degradation of Fats, B-Oxidation of Fatty Acid and Oxidation of Fatty Acids, Biosynthesis of Fatty Acids.

GROUP-C: Biotechnology and Molecular Biology

11. Plant tissue culture and its significance
12. **Micropropagation:** Techniques, Multiplication by Auxiliary and Apical Shoots, Multiplication through Callus Embryod Culture, Factors Affecting Shoot Multipliacion.
13. **Haploidy: Another culture, pollen Culture and ovary culture and its role in crop improvement**
14. Molecular Cytogenetics: Brief account of DNA replication in Prokaryotes, Nuclear DNA content, C- value paradox, Introns and RNA splicing, repetitive DNA , Restriction mapping, Regulation of gene expression in Prokaryotes.
15. Molecular marker: RFLP, RAPD, AFLP and SSR
16. Genetic transformation: Biotic and abiotic methods

Books Suggested:

IV. CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPBOT204]:

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL-II**Practical: 60Hours****CYTOGENETICS, TAXONOMY, PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY LAB**

1. Problems based on mendelian ratio and their modifications, statistics analysis and genetic explanation. 10
2. Show two stages of mitosis from the given onion root tip. 08
3. Compare and comment on the floral characters of the local flora A and B Provided and assign them to their respective families. 08
4. In a separate answer book provided, you have to write down botanical name family and used of plants C, D, E, F, G provided to you. 08
5. Separation of chlorophyll pigments by Paper chromatography. 06
6. Phytochemical screening of secondary metabolites (alkaloids, phenols and saponins): Any two. 06

OR

7. Estimate the quality of carbohydrate/ Protein through standard curve from the given sample with the help of spectrophotometer.
8. Comment upon the spot 1 – 5. 10
9. Practical records, herbarium, Charts model, Ingenuity design etc. 16
10. Viva-voce. 08

SEMESTER III

4Papers**Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks****I. ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COURSE [ECBOT301A]: (Credits: Theory-05)**

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

BIOFERTILIZERS**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial:15 Hours**

1. General account about the eco-friendly organic agro-input as biofertilizer – *Rhizobium* inoculent, *Nostoc*, *Anabaena*, *Azotobacter*, identification, mass multiplication, Actinorrhizal symbiosis.
2. Industrial Application of microalgae.
3. Cyanobacteria (blue green algae) and association of BGA, nitrogen fixation, factors affecting growth, blue green algae and *Azolla* in rice cultivation.
4. Mycorrhizal association, types of mycorrhizal association, phosphorous nutrition, growth and yield.
5. Organic farming – green manuring and organic fertilizers, Recycling of bio-degradable municipal, agricultural and Industrial wastes. Water treatment and its use in agriculture.

Books Suggested:

OR**SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE [ECBOT301B]:**

(Credits: Theory-05)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45***Instruction to Question Setter:******Mid Semester Examination (MSE):***

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

MUSHROOM CULTIVATION**Theory: 60 Hours; Practical:15 Sessions**

1. Nutritional and medicinal value of edible mushrooms; poisonous mushrooms, Types of edible mushrooms available in India – *Valvariella volvacea*, *Pleurotus citrinopileatus*, *Agaricus bisporus*.
2. Cultivation Technology; Infrastructure: substrates (locally available), Polythene bag, vessels, inoculation hook, inoculation loop, low cost stove, sieves, culture rack, mushroom unit (Thatched house) water sprayer, tray, small polythene bag. Pure culture: Medium, sterilization, preparation of spawn, multiplication. Mushroom bed preparation – paddy straw, sugarcane trash, maize straw, banana leaves, factors affecting the mushroom bed preparation – Low cost technology, Composting technology in mushroom production.
3. Storage and nutrition: Short – term storage (Refrigeration – upto 24 hours), Long term Storage (canning, pickles, papads), drying, storage in salt solutions. Nutrition – Proteins – amino acids, mineral elements nutrition – Carbohydrates, Crude fibre content – Vitamins.
4. Research Centers – National level and Regional level.

Books Suggested:

IV. CORE COURSE [CCBOT302]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45****Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

ANATOMY, PLANT EMBRYOLOGY AND ECONOMIC BOTANY**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours****Questions of the preceding years may be repeated to the tune of 25%.****GROUP-A: Anatomy**

1. Shoot Development and theories of shoot Apex organization, Organization of root, Apical Meristem.
2. Mechanical Tissue and their Distribution
3. Cambium
4. Ecological adaptation
5. Anomalous Secondary growth with reference *Dracaena* stem, *Tinospra* root, *Bignonia* and *Strychnos* stems, Ecological Anatomy.

GROUP-B: Embryology and Economic Botany

6. Microsporogenesis and Microgametophyte.
7. Megasporogenesis and Megagametophyte.
8. Fertilization.
9. Endosperm type, Physiology and cytology of endosperm.
10. Polyembryony – Types, adventative embryony, false embryony, twins & triplets, Sexual incompatibility.
11. Apomixis, Embryology in relation to taxonomy.
12. Experimental Embryology: Anther Ovary, Ovule, Endosperm and Embryo Culture.
13. Fibre yielding plants: Timber yielding plants; Oil Yielding plants and Drug yielding plants.

Books Suggested:

V. CORE COURSE [CCBOT303]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

BIOCHEMICALS AND MOLECULAR TECHNIQUES**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. Basic concept of Spectrophotometer and Electron microscope.
2. Chromatography: Paper, capillary, column, HPLC, HPLC-MS, GLC-basic concept, NMR
3. Elementary concept of electrophoresis: Polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (PAGE), agarose gel electrophoresis.
4. Isolation and Purification:
 - a) Genomic and plasmid DNA
 - b) RNA
5. Blotting: Principles, types of blotting, blotting membranes, immunoblotting – Southern, Northern, Western and Dot blots.
6. Electrophoresis.
7. DNA sequencing: Various methods of DNA sequencing and finger printing.
8. DNA Silencing: RNA interference (RNA).
9. PCR

Books Suggested:

IV. CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPBOT304]:

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto60%, 1mark; 60<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL-III**Practical: 60Hours****ECOLOGY, ANATOMY, EMBRYOLOGY AND ECONOMIC BOTANY LAB**

1. Frank Hertz Experiment.
 2. Experiment with Hall apparatus.
 3. Four-Probe set up for mapping the resistivity of large sample.
 4. Measurement of magneto resistance of semiconductor sample.
 5. Measurement of Susceptibility of paramagnetic solution by Quinke's tube method.
 6. Study of the energy band gap and diffusion potential of p-n junction.
 7. Study of Multi-vibrator.
 8. Study of Characteristics of Semiconductor diodes: Si, Ge, Zener and LED.
 9. Study of an Integrated Circuit Regulator.
 10. Two Probe method for resistivity measurement of insulators at different temperatures
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SEMESTER IV

4 Papers**Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks**
I. GENERIC/DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECBOT401A]:
 (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

A. ALGAL BIOTECHNOLOGY-I**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. Principles and systems of classification by Fritsch & Chapman.
2. Cyanophyceae: Cell structure and thallus organization, heterocyst and akinete development and their role chromatic adaptation and reproduction.
3. Chlorophyceae: Range of thallus organization, methods of reproduction and perennation and life cycle.
4. Life cycle patterns and alternation of generation with particulars reference to Pheophyceae and Rhodophyceae.
5. Nuclear characteristics of green algae & blue green algae.
6. A detailed idea of algae causing diseases of plants and animals.
7. Algae and water pollution: Physico-chemical analysis of water bodies, pollution indices and pollution indicators and steps to control pollution.
8. Cyanobacteria in human welfare: Production of fine chemicals polysaccharides bioactive molecules pigments and lipids.
9. Recent Biotechnological developments with algae as experimental material.
10. Role of algae in biological nitrogen fixation.
11. Culture of algae: Media preparation.
12. Methods of collection, isolation and culture procedure for green algae and blue green algae.
13. Economic importance of Algae as:
 - a) Food
 - b) Feed

- c) Bio-fertilizer
- d) Algae in agriculture and industry.

14. Molecular biotechnology with special reference to blue green algae.

Books Suggested:

OR

GENERIC/DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE

[ECBOT401B]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

B. MICROBIOLOGY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY-I

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. General symptoms of Plant Disease caused by Bacteria, Mycoplasma and Virus.
2. Koch's Postules and its importance in identification of plant disease.
3. Classification of Gram +ve and gram -ve bacteria.
4. Microbial mechanism of pathogenicity.
5. Mechanism of Attack: Mechanical forces exerted by the pathogen on host tissues.
6. Chemical weapons of pathogens:
 - a) Enzymes: Role of Enzymes in pathogenesis
 - b) Toxins: Types of toxins and their role in pathogenesis.
7. Defence mechanism in plants:
 - a) Structural defence mechanism
 - b) Chemical defence mechanism
 - c) Phenolic compounds role defence
 - d) Phytoalexins

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECBOT401C]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

C. CYTOGENETICS, PLANT BREEDING, MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY-I

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. Introduction to Cytogenetics and Cytological methods: pretreatment, fixation, stain & mechanism of staining.
2. Structural organization of eukaryotic Chromosomes, Histones Nucleosome concept, Importance of Telomeres and Centromeres, Heterochromatin.
3. Different forms of Chromosomes: Somatic metaphase (Salivary gland chromosomes), Meiotic prophase (Lamp brush), B-Chromosomes or Supernumerary Chromosomes.
4. Karyotype Analysis and Karyotype evolution.
5. Mechanism of cell division: Mitosis, Meiosis, Cell-cycle, Regulation of cell cycle.
6. Molecular basis of Chromosome pairing.
7. Mechanism of Genetic Recombination.
8. Alterations in Chromosome Structure: Deletion, Duplication, Translocation, Inversion.
9. Variations in Chromosome numbers, Aneuploidy, Trisomics (primary secondary tertiary), Monosomics, Nullisomics Euploidy: Haploidy, Autopolyploidy, Allopolyploids and origin of cultivated plants: Wheat, Brassica, Cotton, Tobacco.
10. Theory of centre of origin of crop plants.
11. Self – incompatibility System.
12. Inbreeding & Heterosis.
13. Male sterility and its significance.
14. Analysis of variance, co-relation and co-efficient.

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECBOT401D]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

D. PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY-I

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. Definition of growth, development and differentiation.
2. Phototropism.
3. Geotropism.
4. Nastic Movements.
5. Photomorphogenesis.
6. Circadian Rhythm.
7. Growth regulators (Phytohormones): History, structure, biosynthesis, physiological responses and mechanism of action of Auxins, Gibberellins; Cytokinins; Ethylene; Abscisic acid, Brassinosteroids and Jasmonic acid.
8. Apical dominance and various theories.
9. Transport of phytohormones.
10. Polarity.
11. Phytochrome: History of its discovery, isolation, purification and its biological roles.
12. Physiology of flowering: Photoperiodism and Vernalization.
13. Seed dormancy: Definition, types, mechanism and method of breaking the dormancy.
14. Seed Germination.

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECBOT401E]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):**

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

E. PLANT TAXONOMY, ETHNOBOTANY AND MEDICINAL PLANTS-I**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. The species concept: Taxonomic hierarchy, species, genus family and other categories principles used in assessing relationship, delimitation of taxa and attribution of rank.
2. Outline of classification: Bentham & Hooker and Hutchinson system. Merits and demerits.
3. Recent trends in taxonomy with special reference to: Morphology, Anatomy, Phytochemistry, Cytology and Embryology.
4. Botanical nomenclature: International code of botanical nomenclature, Principles, Rules and Recommendations, Priority, Typification, Rules of effective and valid publications, Retention and choice of names.
5. Taxonomical features and economic importance of the dominant Angiospermic families of Jharkhand: Magnoliaceae, Apocynaceae, Rubiaceae, Verbenaceae, Convolvulaceae, Asclepiadaceae, Scrophulariaceae, Acanthaceae, Bignoniaceae, Lamiaceae, Euphorbiaceae, Orchidaceae, Zingiberaceae, Araceae, Cyperaceae and Poaceae.
6. Definition, scope and method of study of ethnobotany.
7. Contribution of ethnic communities on traditional medicinal knowledge.
8. Preparation of herbarium including-digital herbarium.
9. Methods of conservation of valuable plants.
10. Ethnomedicinal plants used in the following diseases:
 - a) Diabetes
 - b) Jaundice
 - c) Malaria
 - d) Skin diseases
 - e) Gynaecological Problems

Books Suggested:

II. GENERIC/DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECBOT402A]: (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100	Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45
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Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

A. ALGAL BIOTECHNOLOGY-II

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. Traditional use of in land algae.
2. Isolation and identification of filamentous algae from local sample (upto Sps. level).
3. Mass cultivation of microalgae.
4. Phytoplankton sampling and identification from local pond.
5. The role of microalgae in liquid waste treatment and reclamation.
6. Photo-biological nitrogen fixation:
Introduction genetic structure of N₂ fixation system, heterocyst differentiation nitrate, nitrite and ammonia assimilation.
7. Biochemical and molecular aspects of abiotic stresses:
 - a) UV radiation
 - b) Temperature and desiccation stress
8. Photo protective Mechanisms-Habitat diversity and significant physiological properties.
9. Cyanobacterial Genetics:
 - a) Modes of propagation in cyanobacteria and nature of genetic material.
10. Nutrient regulated phytoplankton growth: Common methods for mass cultivation of microalgae.
11. Eutrophication: Casual factor, algae blooms.
12. Commercial production of *Spirulina*, *Scenedesmus*, *Chlorella*.

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE****[ECBOT402B]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******Mid Semester Examination (MSE):***

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

B. MICROBIOLOGY AND PLANT PATHOLOGY-II**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

1. Characteristics features of plant pathogenic bacteria.
2. General characteristics of plant viruses:
 - a) Classification of plant virus
 - b) Structure and composition of virus
 - c) Virus replication
3. Transmission of plant viruses.
4. Antigen and antibody- the immune response.
5. Antibiotics and their general mode of action and their general mode of action: an overview.
6. Management of plant diseases:
 - a) Cultural methods
 - b) Chemical methods
 - c) Quarantine
 - d) Biological control
7. Symptoms, etiology and methods of control of the following plant disease caused by fungi:
 - a) Downy mildew of maize
 - b) Powdery mildew of peas (*Pisum sativum*)
 - c) Loose smut of wheat
 - d) Covered smut / Bunt of wheat
 - e) Black stem rust of wheat
 - f) Tikka disease of groundnut
 - g) Wilt of arhar
 - h) Red rot sugarcane
 - i) Early blight of potato
 - j) Bacterial blight of paddy
 - k) Tundu disease of wheat

- l) Leaf spot of tomato
- m) Citrus canker
- n) Bacterial stalk rot of maize
- o) Black rot / bacterial wilt of crucifers
- p) Yellow vein mosaic of bhindi
- q) Tobacco mosaic
- r) Rice tungro disease
- s) Sugarcane mosaic disease
- t) Leaf curl of papaya

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE****[ECBOT402C]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45****Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

C. CYTOGENETICS, PLANT BREEDING, MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY-II

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. DNA replication in Eukaryotes.
2. RNA Processing, RNA splicing, RNA Editing and ribozymes.
3. Insertion elements and Transposons: Transposons in prokaryotes, mechanism of transposition, genetic organisation of Tn3 and its role in transposition.
4. Mutation: Molecular basis of mutation, Induced mutagenesis, Environmental mutagens.
5. DNA damage and repair.
6. General concept of genetic engineering and Recombinant DNA technology.
7. Restriction endonuclease I, II, III. DNA ligase reverse transcriptase, Gene cloning, Vectors, Plasmids, Cosmids, Phagemids.
8. Southern, Northern, Western Blotting. Gene amplification.
9. Principle of Plant Tissue Culture.
10. Endosperm culture.
11. Micropropagation: Techniques, Factors, Limitations and Significance.
12. Transgenic plants for crop improvement.
13. Somaclonal variation, significance and application.
14. Protoplast culture and Somatic Hybridization technique, Factors. Limitations and its role ex crop improvement.

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE****[ECBOT402D]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45****Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

D. PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY-II

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

1. History of plant tissue culture, significance and its present status in India.
2. Pathway of differentiation: Embryogenesis and Organogenesis.
3. *In vitro* pollination and fertilisation and their significance.
4. Suspension culture and single cell culture.
5. Haploidy: Anther culture, Pollen culture, Ovary culture and its significance.
6. Endosperm culture.
7. Protoplast culture and Somatic hybridisation technique, factors, limitation and its role in crop improvement.
8. Micropropagation: Technique, factors, limitation and its significance.
9. Recombinant DNA technology – gene cloning principle and techniques.
10. DNA finger printing, polymerase chain reaction.
11. Genetics of *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* and *A. rhizogenes*.
12. Plasmid mediated and DNA Mediated Genetic Transformation (DMGT) and production of transgenic plants.
13. Transgenic plants.
14. Secondary metabolite enhancement through tissue culture technique.
15. Molecular markers and its application. Industrial application of plant tissue culture.

Books Suggested:

OR**GENERIC/ DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE****[ECBOT402E]:**

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45****Instruction to Question Setter:**Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Attendance/ regular interactions of 05 marks and (c) Seminar/ assignment of 05 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

E. PLANT TAXONOMY, ETHNOBOTANY AND MEDICINAL PLANTS-II**Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours**

- Outline of classification of angiosperms with their merits and demerits:
 - Cronquist system of classification
 - All phylogenetic groups (APG) system of classification.
- Origin and evolution of Angiosperms.
- Molecular approaches in plant taxonomy: Application of DNA markers in angiosperm taxonomy, molecular phylogeny.
- Remote sensing – GIS.
- Ethnic community of world. Biological conservation of ethnic society of world.
- Role of some Govt. and other organization involved in the promotion of ethnobotany in India.
- Some important National Botanical Gardens. National Parks and Herbarium Centres of India
- Phytochemistry and standardization of herbal drugs.
- Study of the following Nutraceutical and Under – utilized plants used by ethnic communities of Jharkhand state: Taxonomy with floral formula and floral diagram, Nutritional and medicinal values;

Centella asiatica, Moringa oleifera, Elsinia coracana, Madhuca indica, Pisidium guojava, Syzygium cumini, Annona squamosa, Carica papaya, Emblica officinalis, Boerhavia diffusa, Aegle marmelos, Cassia tora, Ficus glabella, Dolichos biflorus, Cucumis sativus.
- Detailed study of the following ethnomedicinal plants used by ethnic communities with floral formula, floral diagram, mode of drug preparation, dose and bioactive compounds.

Andrographis paniculata, Asparagus recemosus, Rawolfia serpentina, Azadirachta indica, Achyranthes aspera, Catharanthus roseus, Tilnosporacordifolia, Mimosa pudica, Acarus calamus, Ocimum sanctum, Curcuma longa, Stevia sp. Gymnema sylvestre, Bacopamoneri, Vitex negundo, Calotropis procera.

Books Suggested:

III. GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPBOT403A]:

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL –IV**ALGAL BIOTECHNOLOGY LAB**

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| 1. Taxonomy of fresh water algae of Ranchi. Identification & slide preparation of the given material. | 06 |
| 2. Ocular and micrometer: Measurement and calibration. | 06 |
| 3. Draw camera lucida sketches of vegetative & reproductive structure of given material. Measure and draw the scale of magnification. | 06 |
| 4. Study of the chromosome structure: Pretreatment fixation, Staining, squash technique and preparation of a temporary mount of the supplied material. | 08 |
| 5. Development, location and identification of components/pigments by paper chromatography (TLC). | 08 |
| 6. Estimation of protein by Lowry's method/determination of soluble sugar/carbohydrates. | 07 |
| 7. Environmental Biotech: Preparation of pure culture medium (Pringsheem/molisch). | 05 |
| 8. Comment upon the spots from 1-5. | 10 |
| 9. Records, collections, charts, models etc. | 16 |
| 10. Viva-voice. | 08 |
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OR**GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPBOT403B]:**

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL –IV**MICROBIOLOGY & PLANT PATHOLOGY LAB**

1. Make suitable stained preparations of material “A”. Study the symptoms of the disease and comment upon the host parasite relationship. Identify the pathogen giving suitable diagrams and reasons. Leave your preparation for examination. 10
2. Determine the value of one small division of ocular micrometer in microns. Measure ten spores of the given material “B”. Find out the average size of the material given. 06
3. Make suitable stained temporary preparations of materials “C” to exhibit the structure of the pathogen in it. Identify the pathogen giving suitable diagrams and reasons. Leave your preparation for examination. 06
4. Prepare slide of bacterial specimen “D” stain it with the Gram stain and state whether it is gram positive or gram negative. 07
5. Isolate the pathogen from the given material “E” from culture plate. 06
6. Describe the structure, make an illustrative diagrams of given apparatus and describe its principle of working and uses. 06
7. Give the name of the disease and the causal organism of the specimen 1-5. 05
8. Comment upon the spots 1-5. 10
9. Practical records, Charts, Model etc. 16
10. Viva-voice. 08

OR**GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPBOT403C]:**

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL –IV**CYTOGENETICS, PLANT BREEDING, MOLECULAR BIOLOGY & PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY LAB**

1. Mitotic chromosome in plant material: Karyotype study of *Allium cepa*, *A. sativum* and *Vicia faba*.
 2. Study of meiotic chromosomes: *Allium cepa*, *Rheo discolor*, *Tradescantia*.
 3. Pollen study: Pollen fertility and sterility of *Allium cepa*, *Rheo discolor*, *Pisum sativum*.
 4. Schedule for Plant breeding experiment:
 - (a) Floral morphology and Emasculation.
 - (b) Bagging.
 - (c) Records and labelling.
 5. Biostatistics: Chi square test, t-test, Standard deviation and Standard Error.
 6. Preparation of culture media.
 7. Inoculation: Culture of plant tissue or organs on a suitable media.
 8. Techniques: Isolation of DNA.
 9. Study of mitotic and meiotic abnormalities from permanent slides and photographs.
 10. Comment upon spots 1-5.
 11. Class records, charts, models etc.
 12. Viva-voice.
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OR**GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPBOT403D]:**

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL –IV**PLANT PHYSIOLOGY, BIOTECHNOLOGY & MOLECULAR BIOLOGY LAB**

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| 1. Preparation of 250 cc of MS medium supplemented with 2mg/L of 2,4-D and dispensing into 25cc tubes containing 10 cc each. | 08 |
| 2. Inoculation of seeds/embryo/ apical meristem/ axillary buds. | 05 |
| 3. Identify Auxin through proper Bioassay. | 10 |
| 4. Isolation of bacterial culture by streaking method. | 05 |
| 5. Separation of chlorophyll pigments by paper chromatography. | 06 |
| 6. Electrophoretic system for separation of DNA. | 06 |
| 7. Preparation of synthetic seeds. | 06 |
| 8. Comment upon spots 1-5. | 10 |
| 9. Practical records, Models and charts etc. | 16 |
| 10. Viva-voice. | 08 |
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OR**GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPBOT403E]:**

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Instruction to Question Setter:******End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):***

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks; 80<Attd.<85, 3 marks; 85<Attd.<90, 4 marks; 90<Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL –IV**PLANT TAXONOMY, ETHNOBOTANY AND MEDICINAL PLANTS LAB**

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| 1. Workout Specimen A and identify the family and find out the botanical name of the specimen with the help of any flora. | 10 |
| 2. Prepare suitable preparation of Specimen B and find out stomatal index. Draw suitable diagram and comment on your observation. | 10 |
| 3. Prepare a key with suitable diagram for identification of specimen C, D and E. | 06 |
| 4. Identify at least two different cell tissue from macerated material F supplied to you. Comment on your observation. | 04 |
| 5. Comment on active principles of specimen G, H and I. | 06 |
| 6. Spotting - Identify herbarium 1-5 (Plants of medicinal value). | 05 |
| 7. Identify the angiospermic plants on spots 6-10 (only botanical names and family). | 05 |
| 8. Spotting – Give botanical name family and uses of Specimmens 11-15 (Plants of Ethnomedicinal Values). | 10 |
| 9. Practical record, Charts, Model, Specimen, Field report etc. | 06 |
| 10. Viva-voice. | 08 |
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VI. CORE COURSE (PROJECT) [PRBOT404]:

(Credits: 05)

Marks : 100 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100**Pass Marks =45*****Guidelines to Examiners for******End Semester Examination (ESE):****Overall project dissertation may be evaluated under the following heads:*

- *Motivation for the choice of topic*
- *Project dissertation design*
- *Methodology and Content depth*
- *Results and Discussion*
- *Future Scope & References*
- *Participation in Internship programme with reputed organization*
- *Application of Research technique in Data collection*
- *Report Presentation*
- *Presentation style*
- *Viva-voce*

The distribution of marks will be as follows:

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| 1. <i>Assessment of Project Thesis.</i> | 70 |
| 2. <i>Describe in brief your work on project with its significance.</i> | 10 |
| 3. <i>Eminent Scientists related to your project work Scientific Journals related to your project work.</i> | 10 |
| 4. <i>Viva-voce.</i> | 10 |

PROJECT WORK

Each student **must** submit two copies of the dissertation work duly forwarded by the **Head of the Department and duly signed by the supervisor concerned**. The forwarded copies will be submitted in the Department of Botany, Ranchi University, for evaluation (Seven days before the seminar).

Topics

Each students shall have to complete a project work on any topic of his choice, but relevant to a topic from the concerned special paper, or on a topic allotted by his/her Project Guide/ Supervisor/ Department in Semester -IV.

The topic of project should be completed under following heads:

1. Introduction
2. Review literature
3. Materials and Methods
4. Results
5. Discussion
6. Reference

The practical of project should be completed either in the Departmental laboratory/Institution.

NB:- Students will select topics for the project work in consultation with a teacher of the department. The Seminar will be held in the Department of Botany, Ranchi University, Ranchi.

DISTRIBUTION OF CREDITS FOR P.G. PROGRAMME (SEMESTER-WISE) FOR
POSTGRADUATE 'P.G. Voc./M.Sc./M.A./M.Com' PROGRAMME

Table B-1: Semester wise distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects with Practical Papers.

Semester	CC	FC	GE/DC	AE	Total credits
Semester I	15	05			20
Semester II	20				20
Semester III	15			05	20
Semester IV	5		15		20
	55	05	15	05	80

Table B-1: Semester wise distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects without Practical Papers.

Semester	CC	FC	GE/DC	AE	Total credits
Semester I	15	05			20
Semester II	20				20
Semester III	15			05	20
Semester IV	10		10		20
	60	05	10	05	80

CC=Core Course; FC=Foundation Compulsory/Elective Course; GE=Generic Elective; SE=Skill Enhancement Course; DC=Discipline Centric Elective

**SAMPLE CALCULATION FOR SGPA & CGPA FOR POSTGRADUATE 'P.G.
Voc./M.Sc./M.A./M.Com' PROGRAMME**

Table B-2: Sample calculation for SGPA for M.Sc./M.A./M.Com Programme

Course	Credit	Grade Letter	Grade Point	Credit Point (Credit X Grade)	SGPA (Credit Point/Credit)
Semester I					
FC	05	A	8	40	
C-1	05	B+	7	35	
C-2	05	B	6	30	
C-3/CP	05	B	6	30	
Total	20			135	6.60 (135/20)
Semester II					
C-4	05	B	6	30	
C-5	05	C	5	25	
C-6	05	B+	7	35	
C-7/CP	05	A+	9	45	
Total	20			135	6.60 (135/20)
Semester III					
EC-1	05	A+	9	45	
C-8	05	O	10	50	
C-9	05	A	8	40	
C-10/CP	05	A	8	40	
Total	20			175	8.75 (175/20)
Semester IV					
EC-2/EC-2	05	B	6	30	
EC-3/EC-3	05	A+	9	45	
C11/EP	05	B	6	30	
Project	05	A+	9	45	
Total	20			150	7.50 (150/20)
CGPA					
Grand Total	80			595	7.44 (595/80)

Table B-3: Sample calculation for CGPA for P.G. Vocational M.Sc./M.A./M.Com Programme

Semester I	Semester II	Semester III	Semester IV
Credit:20; SGPA:6.60	Credit:20; SGPA: 6.60	Credit:20; SGPA: 8.75	Credit:20; SGPA: 7.50

Thus CGPA= (20x6.60+20x6.60+20x8.75+20x7.50) /80=7.36

DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS FOR EXAMINATIONS AND FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPERS

Distribution of Marks for Mid Semester Evaluation:**Table No. 15:** Distribution of marks of Theory Examinations of Mid Semester

Topic	Code	Full Marks	Pass Marks	Time	Group-A (Very short answer type Compulsory Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M.	Group-B (Descriptive Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M.	Total No. of Questions to Set	
							Group A	Group B
Mid Sem*	T30*	30 (20 +5 +5)	17	1 Hr	5 x1 =5	3 (out of 5) x5 =15	05	5

***There shall be 20 marks theory examination for mid sem, 05 marks for attendance/ regular interactions & 05 marks for seminar/ assignment/ term paper given by faculty concerned in classrooms.**

Distribution of Marks for End Semester Theory Examinations:**Table No. 16:** Marks distribution of Theory Examinations of End Semester

Topic	Code	Full Marks	Pass Marks	Time	Group-A# (Very short answer type Compulsory Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M.	Group-B (Descriptive Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M.	Total No. of Questions to Set	
							Group A#	Group B
End Sem	T50	50	--	3 Hrs	2 x5 =10	2 (out of 3) x20 =40	2	3
	T70	70	28	3 Hrs	Q.No.1 (5x1) + 1x5 =10	4 (out of 6) x15 =60	2	6

Question No.1 in Group-A carries very short answer type questions of 1 Mark

Note : There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations.

FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPER FOR MID SEM EXAMINATION

20 MARKS



Ranchi University, Ranchi

Mid Sem No.Exam Year

Subject/ Code

F.M. =20**Time**=1Hr.**General Instructions:**

समान्य निर्देश :

- i. **Group A** carries very short answer type compulsory questions.
(खंड 'A' में अत्यंत लघु उत्तरीय अनिवार्य प्रश्न हैं।)
- ii. **Answer 3 out of 5** subjective/ descriptive questions given in **Group B**.
(खंड 'B' के पाँच में से किन्हीं तीन विषयनिष्ठ/ वर्णनात्मक प्रश्नों के उत्तर दें।)
- iii. Answer in your own words as far as practicable.
(यथासंभव अपने शब्दों में उत्तर दें।)
- iv. Answer all sub parts of a question at one place.
(एक प्रश्न के सभी भागों के उत्तर एक साथ लिखें।)
- v. Numbers in right indicate full marks of the question.
(पूर्णांक दायीं ओर लिखे गये हैं।)

Group A

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| 1. | | [5x1=5] |
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Group B

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| 7. | | [5] |
| 8. | | [5] |
| 9. | | [5] |
| 10. | | [5] |

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examination.

FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPER FOR END SEM EXAMINATION

70 MARKS



Ranchi University, Ranchi

End Sem No.Exam Year

Subject/ Code

F.M. =70**P.M.** =28**Time**=3Hrs.**General Instructions:**

- i. **Group A** carries very short answer type **compulsory** questions.
- ii. **Answer 4 out of 6** subjective/ descriptive questions given in **Group B**.
(खंड 'B' के छः में से किन्हीं चार विषयनिष्ठ/ वर्णनात्मक प्रश्नों के उत्तर दें।)
- iii. Answer in your own words as far as practicable.
(यथासंभव अपने शब्दों में उत्तर दें।)
- iv. Answer all sub parts of a question at one place.
(एक प्रश्न के सभी भागों के उत्तर एक साथ लिखें।)
- v. Numbers in right indicate full marks of the question.
(पूर्णांक दायीं ओर लिखे गये हैं।)

Group A

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Group B

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Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examination.