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## THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

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# CC15UBOT3C03 - MORPHOLOGY, SYSTEMATIC BOTANY, ECONOMIC BOTANY, PLANT BREEDING AND HORTICULTURE

(Botany - Complementary Course)

(2015 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 64 Marks

Draw diagrams only when specified

## PART A

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. The type of inflorescence in *Leucas* is .....
- 2. Name a chemical mutagen.
- 3. ..... refers to prophylactic methods to prevent the arrival and spread of new diseases, insects, and weeds from other contries.
- 4. Most of the pulses belong to the family .....
- 5. Name the fruit in Poaceae.
- 6. The binomial of tea is .....
- 7. In the floral formula superior ovary is represented by .....
- 8. ..... is the branch of horticulture concerned with the production of vegetables.
- 9. Scion is .....
- 10. Who is the father of plant taxonomy?

### (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

## PART B

Answer any seven questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Compare allopolyploids and auto polyploids.
- 12. Define phyllotaxy. Mention the different types.
- 13. Write a short note on imbricate aestivation.
- 14. Write the binomials of two spices that you have studied.
- 15. What is ICBN?
- 16. Explain umbel inflorescence.
- 17. What does  $M_1$ ,  $M_2$ ,  $M_3$  and  $M_4$  represent?
- 18. Name two important Botanical gardens in India.

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- 19. Differentiate grafting from budding.
- 20. What is 'Triticale'?

(7 x 2 = 14 Marks)

### PART C

Answer any *six* questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 21. What is placentation? Explain the different types with diagrams.
- 22. Describe the characters of the family Euphorbiaceae.
- 23. Briefly explain the modern trends in taxonomy.
- 24. Explain grafting and its advantages.
- 25. Compare mass selection with pureline selection.
- 26. With diagrammatic sketches explain any two special types of inflorescence.
- 27. Write the binomial, family and morphology of the useful part of two oil yielding plants.
- 28. Describe the steps involved in the preparation of standard herbarium.

#### (6 x 4 = 24 Marks)

#### PART D

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 8 marks.

- 29. What is an inflorescence? Describe the various types of racemose inflorescence with suitable diagrammatic sketches.
- 30. What is hybridization? Describe its importance as a method of crop improvement.
- 31. Compare the sub families of Fabaceae.

(2 x 8 = 16 Marks)

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