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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P BOT1 C01 - PHYCOLOGY, BRYOLOGY, PTERIDOLOGY AND GYMNOSPERMS

(Botany)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

Part-A

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Write a note on biological importance of planktons.
- 2. Write a note on sexual reproduction in Pheophyta.
- 3. Explain economic importance of Sphagnum.
- 4. What is heterospory? Explain seed habit in Selaginella.
- 5. Give an account on Prothallus.
- 6. Write a note on Adder's tongue fern.
- 7. Describe the Economic importance of Gymnosperms.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Explain Round's and Smith's classification of algae.
- 9. Write a note on sexual reproduction and evolutionary trends in chlorophyceae.
- 10. Write a note on fossil bryophytes and their affinities.
- 11. Write a note on types of steles.
- 12. Write a note on Pichi-sermolli's classification.
- 13. Comment on Psilotales.
- 14. Write short note on the angiosperm features of Gnetum.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Write an essay on different types of life cycles in algae
- 16. Explain economic importance of bryophytes in detail.

- 17. Explain general characters and life history of pteridophytes.
- 18. Write an essay on classification of gymnosperm and mention its features.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ Weightage})$
