5 SEM TDC DSE BOT (CBCS) 1 (H/NH)

2021

(Held in January/February, 2022)

BOTANY

(Discipline Specific Elective)
(For Honours and Non-Honours)

Paper: DSE-1

(Analytical Techniques in Plant Science)

Full Marks: 53
Pass Marks: 21

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

- 1. (a) Choose the correct answer of the following: 1×3=3
 - (i) If the average of a series of values is 10 and their variance is 4, then the coefficient of variance is 10% / 40% / 20% / 80%.

- (ii) Millimeter / Nanometer /
 Centimeter / Decimeter is the smallest unit of measurement.
- (iii) The PAGE stands for Polyacrylamide Gel Electrophoresis / Polymerization and Genetic Engineering / Post Application of Genetic Engineering / Poor Adaptation of Genetic Engineering.
- (b) Fill in the blanks: 1×2=2
 - (i) ____ unit is used for sedimentation of coefficient gradient in centrifuge.
 - (ii) The technique to distinguish the individual based on their DNA print pattern is called _____.
- 2. Write short accounts on any three of the following: 4×3=12
 - (a) Marker enzymes
 - (b) Autoradiography
 - (c) Ultracentrifugation
 - (d) GLC
 - (e) X-ray crystallography

3. What is electrophoresis? Write on the different types of electrophoresis. Also describe on western blotting. 2+7+3=12

Or

What is resolving power? How will you calculate the magnification of a compound microscope? Also mention the components of dark-field microscope. 1+8+3=12

4. What are radioisotopes? Write briefly the application of radioisotopes in biological sciences.
2+10=12

Or

Write notes on the following:

6+6=12

- (a) Mass spectrometry
- (b) FISH
- 5. What is chromatography? Write briefly on different types of chromatography and their utility.
 2+5+5=12

Or

What is standard deviation? Calculate mean, median and mode of the data given below:

3+3+3+3=12

Class Interval	Frequency
15-25	4
25–35	11
35–45	19
45-55	14
55–65	0
65–75	2

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