U.G. 2nd Semester Examination - 2021 BOTANY [HONOURS]

Course Code: BOT-H-CC-T-03

Full Marks: 20 Time: 1 Hour

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer any **five** questions:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- a) What do you mean by viroid?
- b) What is mycoplasma?
- c) What is F-factor?
- d) What is flagellin?
- e) Mention two pigments solely found in Cyanophyta.
- f) What is coenozoospore?
- g) What is nucule?
- h) What is pyrenoid?
- 2. Answer any **one** question:

 $5\times1=5$

a) Describe the structure of a T₄ phage with neat labelled sketches.

- b) Write a short note on bacterial growth.
- c) Draw and describe the ultrastructure of a cyanophycean cell.
- 3. Answer any **one** question : $10 \times 1 = 10$
 - a) What is transduction? Mention the differences between generalized and specialized transduction. Draw and describe the process of generalized transduction in bacteria.

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- b) Mention the salient features of Phaeophyta.

 Draw and describe the life-cycle of Ectocarpus.

 3+7
- c) Describe the sexual reproduction in *Polysiphonia*. With suitable diagram illustrate the post fertilization changes observed in *Polysiphonia*. 4+6

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