



‘সমানো মন্ত্র: সমিতি: সমানী’

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.Sc. Honours Part-II Examination, 2022

BOTANY

PAPER-IV

Time Allotted: 4 Hours

Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer the following: 2×7 = 14
- (a) Name the usable parts of cotton.
 - (b) Who established Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose Indian Botanic Garden?
 - (c) Name one cucurbit showing vivipary.
 - (d) Give the full name of the author of ‘Bengal Plants’.
 - (e) Mention the alternative names of Poaceae and Apiaceae.
 - (f) Name a monocot family where embryo is undifferentiated.
 - (g) What is life table?
2. Answer any *two* of the following: 16×2 = 32
- (a) Characterise the family Orchidaceae. Mention the advanced features of this family. Mention the systematic position of the family. 8+5+3
 - (b) Briefly describe one natural system of classification. Mention its merits and demerits. 10+6
 - (c) Discuss about the ecological adaptations of hydrophytes and xerophytes. 8+8
 - (d) Give an account of the phytogeographical regions of India as proposed by D. Chatterjee (1960). 16
3. Answer any *three* of the following: 8×3 = 24
- (a) Distinguish between the floral characters of: 4+4
 - (i) Acanthaceae and Lamiaceae
 - (ii) Apiaceae and Solanaceae.
 - (b) Write the scientific names and their respective families, usable parts and uses of the following: 2×4 = 8
 - (i) Tea
 - (ii) Lemon grass
 - (iii) Arjun
 - (iv) Chickpea.

- (c) Write short notes: 4+4
- (i) Typification
 - (ii) Role of Botanic Garden.
- (d) Write short notes on the following: 4+4
- (i) Survivorship curve
 - (ii) Ecological pyramid.
- (e) What is plant succession? Describe briefly different stages of Xerosere with suitable examples. 2+6

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